CYCLISTS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:30 a. m.
Sun Sets 4:57 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 5:57 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Fair and Warmer Tonight, Wednesday, Increasing Cloudiness with Probably Showers by Wednesday Night. Thermometer, 58.

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THE WORK INCREASES FASTER THAN INCOME.

What the Annual Report of the Hospital Shows.

GREAT NEED FOR FUNDS.

PATIENTS INCREASED 500 PER CENT. BUT FUNDS ONLY 75 PER CENT.

Statistics That Show the Trying Situation at a Glance—Economy Administration During the Last Year—Invested Funds Amounting to $6,510.88, Only Produce $328.35—119 Contributors.

The annual report of the Hospital for 1897-98, issued today, contains details of the work of the year, most of which have appeared in The Press from time to time.

The most striking feature of the report is the comparison made between the work, income and expenses of the Hospital during the year just passed and during 1892-93, five years ago. The report says:

"A very brief review will show that during the last few years the growth of resources of the Hospital has not been commensurate with the growth of its work, and a comparison of the more important items of regular receipts and expenditures for the Hospital years 1892-3 and 1897-8 will strikingly show the disproportion.

The following figures show the numbers of patients and the receipts from the different sources mentioned in the two years referred to, and the ratio of increase or decrease:

Patients—Indoor, 1892-3, 112; 1897-8, 256; increase, 144. Dispensary—1892 3, 68; 1897 8, 428; increase, 360.

Receipts—From donations of money, 1892-3, $1,847.50; 1897-8, $3,818.90; increase, $1,971.40. Paying patients, 1892-3, $1,095.20; 1897-8, $1914.37; increase, $819.17. Hospital Sunday collections, 1892-3, $457.31; 1897-8, $319.31; decrease, $138. Totals—1892-3, $3,400.01; 1897-8, $6,052.58; increase, $2,652.57.

Thus it appears that while during the last five years the number of indoor patients has increased 130 per cent. and the number of dispensary patients has increased 500 per cent., the aggregate regular income of the hospital from the principal sources mentioned has increased only 75 per cent.

The increase in the principal items of ordinary expenditure affected by the number of patients treated are for medicines, provisions, and salaries and wages, and are as follows: Medicines, $456.83; provisions, $425.36; salaries and wages, $1,365.50. Total, $2,247.69.

These figures, which show a ratio of increase of expenditure for the items mentioned less than the ratio of increase in the numbers of patients treated, indicate economy of administration during the last year.

In regard to the immediate needs of the hospital the report says:

The invested funds of the hospital, aggregating $6,510.80, produced during the last year an income of only $328 35, and now, as always, the chief support of the institution must come from regular contributions.

The hospital has friends and the board is pleased to note the number increasing; but all do not realize its pecuniary needs nor manifest their interest in a practical way. Plainfield and North Plainfield have together a population approximating 20,000, including more than 3,500 voters, and in such a community surely more than 119 contributors of money should be found. The number should rather be expressed by thousands, and if during the coming year a general canvass for contributions be deemed best, it is hoped that the representatives of the hospital will meet a kind and considerate reception and generous response.

Ordinary current expenses of administration, however, should not alone receive attention. The number of patients at times reaches the limit of the capacity of the hospital, and the pressure for enlargement and additional facilities is constant. The hospital building now contains one ward for males and one for females, with a very limited number of separate rooms for private patients and special cases requiring isolation. Separate wards for medical and surgical cases, both male and female, are needed, and many will recall the annoyance and dissatisfaction frequently felt by reason of the lack of accommodations for the reception and treatment of cases of contagious disease. Such cases, as will be readily understood, cannot be admitted without peril to the lives or health of other patients, and the admission of any such case is forbidden by the constition of the hospital. The Board of Governers, however, recog-

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GO TO SCHOOL TOO EARLY

STRANGE PRACTICE THAT SCHOOL BOARD HAVE TO COPE WITH.

In Some Instances Scholars Are Reported Going to the School House at 7:30 a. m.—Style of Window for New School.

The Borough Board of Education met last evening in regular session, but not a great deal of business was considered. One matter that engaged the attention of the board for sometime was that in reference to certain scholars who make it a point to come to school every morning about 7:30. This practice has become a nuisance and the board decided last evening that hereafter all scholars who persist in doing this will be sent home with a note from their teacher. The practice, aside from being a nuisance, is dangerous, for the scholars cannot get into the school yard, and they spend their time on the sidewalk and in the street. At that point the trolley cars pass on a switch and more than once the children have had narrow escapes from being injured. For these reasons the board has taken a decisive stand in the matter.

Another matter considered was that regarding the use of a certain kind of a window for the new school building now in course of construction. The special style of window was adopted and will be put in the new building. The favorable features of this new window are that it can be swung back and forth and can be easily cleaned on both sides, and at the same time allows of perfect ventilation. The board signed the contract with the firm making this window last evening. Nothing else of any importance was considered by the board.

FIRST OF THE STAR COURSE.

J. Williams Macy Entertained the Audience Very Cleverly.

The Star Y. M. C. A. course of entertainments were opened last evening in an auspicious manner. There was a large attendance of people and in the audience were seen many new faces, while the patrons were on hand as usual. J. Williams Macy, humorist and buffo-basso, entertained the audience, while Miss Carrie Dewey, of this city, assisted on the piano. Mr. Macy is an artist of great ability and his work last evening was of the highest order. He recited a number of poems and selections written especially for himself by well-known writers. Some of his selections were very pathetic and sad, while others abounded with humor. Mr. Macy had complete control of his audience throughout and could easily have entertained for a much longer period. Those in charge of these entertainments deserve great credit for the very excellent list of entertainers secured for 1898-1890.

PRESENTATION OF BOOKS.

A Gift Which Will Prove of Practicable Value to Miss Shinn.

Yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Primary Teachers' Union there was a programme of special interest. After the devotional exercises and the teaching of the lesson, Miss Beeching, on behalf of the members, presented to Miss Julia Shinn, the city missionary from the First Baptist church, four valuable books and an autograph book containing the names of the members, which will assist her in her proposed work in preparing for foreign mission work.

Miss Beeching made a pleasant speech in presenting the books, and Miss Shinn in accepting them thanked the union most heartily for their acceptable gift. Following the presentation the members enjoyed a social time in which all bid Miss Shinn an affectionate adieu. Miss Shinn will leave the city in a few days for Newton, Mass., to prepare for her work in foreign fields.

A Summer in England.

A meeting of the Friends Association will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Aaron M. Powell will give an illustrated lecture on his recent trip abroad; subject, "A Summer in England," at the Friends meeting house, Watchung avenue. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Says He Was Peacemaker.

Oliver Holmes, who was implicated in the affair at Marshal Wise's barn on Grandview avenue Sunday morning, called at The Press office this morning and stated that he only acted in the capacity of a peacemaker between his brother and the injured man.

A Fanwood Marriage.

Charles Kyte, of Fanwood, has sent out invitations for the marriage of his granddaughter, Grace Estelle Kyte to Stranton Williams Pentz, Wednesday evening, November 9th at 8 o'clock, in All Saints church, Fanwood.

—Press want ads bring results.

DEMOCRATS READY FOR ORGANIZATION.

Enthusiastic Conference of Leaders Last Night.

PLANS WERE DISCUSSED.

PERMANENT ASSOCIATION TO BE FORMED TOMORROW.

Representatives From All the Wards Were Present—Democratic Association Will Probably be Formed After Constitution and By-laws are Decided—John M. Hillman Was Chairman.

An unexpected and very gratifying interest and attendance of representative Democrats from various sections of the city was shown last night in the meeting held in Councilman Moffet's office on North avenue for the purpose of deciding upon plans for the reorganization of the Democratic party in this city on a thorough, active working basis. The various wards were represented as follows by committees appointed by the chairmen of the last ward primaries:

First ward—Walter L. Hetfield, Joseph C. Blimm, George R. Wyckoff, John L. Force, John Angleman, William Gloak and Michael J. DeCourcy.

Second ward—John H. Hillman, James E Martine, Sylvester Sharkey, W. K. McClure, Leonard Spangenberg, Alfred Cox and James B. Guttridge.

Third ward—Edward Birmingham, F. M. Bacon, James Clark, Mr. Lawrence, John Moran, Patrick Traynor and George DeRevere.

Fourth ward—Elmore D. Moffett, M. R. Flynn, W. W. St. John, M W. Shannon, James Kane, Vincent L. Frazee and George O Stevens.

The conference was called to order by Councilman Moffett, of the Fourth ward, and John M. Hillman, of the Second ward, was unanimously chosen as chairman. W. W. St. John was chosen as secretary.

M. R. Flynn, of the Fourth ward, who suggested the reorganization movement in the Fourth ward primary, which took the initiative in the matter, was called upon to explain the purpose of the meeting. Briefly, Mr. Flynn recounted the well-known lethargic condition of the party as it now constituted in the city—merely an empty title, to whose support now and then when primaries were held a few people accorded perfunctory aid. Mr. Flynn said he believed that the time was ripe for a thorough reorganization of the party machinery and that with a little effort a wonderful change could be brought about. Just what line of reorganization should be decided upon he had no decided opinions, but suggested that an association which would enroll every Democratic voter in the city and arouse his personal interest in the welfare of the party would be the proper method.

The secretary, who had in his possession a copy of the old constitution and by-laws of the defunct Democratic Association, read the essential parts of the by-laws to the meeting. They provide for the enrollment of every Democratic voter in the city, dues of 25 cents a year to be exacted from members. Honorary members from out of town, who have no voice in the business of the association, are priviledged to be elected. The officers are president, vice-presidents from each election district, corresponding secretary, financial secretary, treasurer and a number of committees such as executive, finance, printing, public meetings, canvassing and naturalization. It was stated that in a general way the rules and regulations of the old Democratic Association would probably serve, with some slight alterations and improvements to meet the present condition of affairs, the new organization that was to be formed.

Chairman Hillman also presented copies of the by-laws of the Kings County Democracy and the Shepperd Democracy of Brooklyn. Mr. Hillman, who was at one time closely identified with both organizations, and was, in fact, one of the leading organizers of the latter Democracy, gave a brief description of the way they were operated.

F. M. Bacon, of the Third ward, moved that a committee of one from each ward be appointed to draft suitable constitution and by-laws for the organization and report at the next meeting. The following were appointed: Councilman Walter L. Hetfield, Counselor W. K. McClure, F. M. Bacon and M. R. Flynn, the chairman to serve ex-officio.

On the suggestion that a committee be appointed to secure rooms, Councilman Moffett tendered the use of his office to the Democrats till a perman-

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NIGHT OF MANY PRANKS.

HALLOW E'EN CELEBRATED BY THE RISING GENERATION.

Many Prosaic Citizens Arose This Morning to Find Their Property Turned Topsy Turvy by Lads of the Town.

There was feelings of fear and consternation among the city and borough last evening, for no one knew what the smaller generation would accomplish during the evening. It was Hallow E'en, and every boy who was old enough to comprehend anything at all, knew what that meant. Scarcely had the shades of night fallen when all over the city and borough could be seen groups of boys in consultation regarding the pranks which they had been planning for several days

All of the jokes cannot be laid to the small boy, for his older brother was much in evidence, and practiced pranks that were for beyond the hopes of the little fellow, and in some cases much trouble was caused.

A majority of the boys used false faces and wigs to conceal their identity while they carried out their plans. Of course, the gates had to come in for a share of trouble and this morning residents could be seen exchanging them in various parts of the city.

On Watchung avenue a trolley car was made to jump the track. This was one of the most serious jokes practiced, and it is said that a warrant is out for the arrest of the boys. The boys placed obstacles on the tracks and without any warning the passengers in the car were given a good shaking up.

Three carriages owned by different persons were wheeled into Tier's pond, and this morning their owners had some difficulty in getting them out. Various signs about the city and borough were exchanged. One sign on Somerset street, advertising California perfumery, was found in front of a beer-bottling establishment. A large wagon was placed on top of Montfort's photograph gallery on Somerset street. In this case the glass in top of the building suffered considerably.

Most everyone suffered the annoyance of having their doorbells pulled and in many cases there was to be found a goodly supply of corn and rice on the front porchers this morning. Tick-tacks were used to good advantage, and all of the one hundred and one jokes known to the boys were played in some way on innocent and unsuspecting people.

Hollow'een Parties.

In connection with Hollow'een there were several parties about town. One was given by Miss Edith Pruden, of East Second street. There were about twenty-five guests present and the evening was passed in playing all sorts of games. Another party was given by Miss Clara Williams, of Madison avenue, and games furnished the chief amusement. So far as the boys and girls were concerned the night was one of great pleasure and everyone indulged freely in all sorts of frivolities. Many people are glad the event is over, but when another Hollow'een rolls around the small boy and girl will be just as much in evidence.

A Soldier Sick

Word was received in this city last week by Mrs. Charles Beggs, of Warren street, that her brother, William Dennis, who before enlisting in the army was a machinist in Scott's, was lying very ill in a Philadelphia hospital. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Beggs went to see their relative and found him very ill and weak. It is thought that he will pull through, however.

Gashed His Finger.

George Frazee, of Watchung avenue, caught one of his fingers in a piece of machinery yesterday and cut a gash in it to the bone. Frazee was putting a nut in the machinery, and it was started up before he was quite ready. The consequence was that the finger was caught, and rather than have the end taken off he pulled it out gashing it deeply.

Sent to Jail for 10 Days.

Martin Holmes, of this city, for whom a warrant was issued, charging him with stabbing Jules Berrek, of the borough, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Marshal Wise in the borough, and last evening he was tried by Recorder Long. Homes was committed to the county jail for ten days as a penalty for his offence.

Fair Prizes to be Distributed.

Tomorrow evening there will be a reception at the Plainfield Catholic Club house at which time a supper will be given and the prizes won at the late fair will be awarded. Those who participated and assisted at the fair, and a few invited guests will be present. Eugene O'Reilly will furnish music.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

GOSPEL OF THE G O.P. HEARD IN BOROUGH.

Republican Mass Meeting Held in Saengerbund Hall.

SENATOR REED A SPEAKER.

HE REHEARSES WHAT GOOD THE REPUBLICANS HAVE DONE.

County Candidates Were Expected, But They Failed to Appear—W. W. Howland Was Made Chairman—Comptroller Gibson, of Newark, Devoted His Remarks to Crane and Senator Smith.

The Republican mass meeting in Saengerbund Hall last night was not the success it was intended to be because the candidates for the various offices who are to be elected this fall did not put in an appearance. It was expected that Howell, Cooper and VanDoren, the nominees for Congressman, Assemblyman and Sheriff, would be there to make addresses, but the only speakers were Senator Reed and Hon. John S. Gibson, comptroller of Newark.

The chairman was W. W. Howland, who opened the meeting in a few words, in which he urged upon the voters the importance of turning out in full numbers at the polls this year and depositing a straight ticket for the Republican party. He said that there was too much apathy existing in the Republican ranks in Somerset county; the voters were lukewarm and not alive to the great issues of the day.

Senator Charles A. Reed was introduced as the first speaker. The Senator's popularity was shown by the applause that greeted him, and the "tall sycamore of Somerset," as Mr. Howland said in introducing him, made a short speech, but one in which he placed before the voters the attitude of the Democrats in this present election.

In opening his speech Senator Reed rehearsed some of the changes that the Republicans have made in the administration of public affairs since their accession to office. Among them he mentioned the changes that have been made in the courts, rearranging the bench in many of the courts, and making an equal number of Democrats and Republicans to preside, as nearly as possible, instead of putting all Republicans in office as the opposite side would have done had they been in power.

Senator Reed spoke of the prison and almshouse reforms, and called attention to the fact that there are no coal combinations now. He admitted that the Republicans had spent money, but pointed out the fact that instead of repainting the Statehouse at Trenton every other week and spending money for Statehouse furniture, which was afterwards found in the politicians' homes, the money had been expended for lasting improvements that would stand as monuments of the party's carefulness and wisdom for years to come.

In closing, Senator Reed paid a glowing tribute to Foster M. Voorhees, whom he knew in school and college. He also mentioned the other nominees and predicted that when the sun rises next Wednesday morning Foster M. Voorhees will be elected Governor, and the entire Republican ticket will go in with him.

Hon. John S. Gibson, the second and last speaker was announced, and met with rounds of applause. He was a rapid talker and an eloquent speaker and presented the facts he desired to make known in a strong, forcible way. He talked for an hour and a half, rehearsed the former administration and showed up the alleged characters of Crane and Senator Smith. The speaker said that he was formerly a Democrat, and was a Republican only because he believed that was the better party.

Hon. Mr. Gibson, too, urged the importance of the campaign. He said that no prominent Democrat could be made to announce which side of the money question he stood on, whether for free silver or for gold, for they don't know which way they are going.

The Comptroller prophesied good times, as soon as this unpleasantness with Spain is over. To be sure, he said, it must be gradual, but it is surely coming. Mr. Gibson urged the election of the Republican ticket on general principles.

A Church Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Baker, of Stelle avenue, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Gertrude Baker to Howard Wade Beebe, of 718 Madison avenue. The wedding will take place Tuesday evening, Nov. 15th, at 8 o'clock in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

THEIR SEVENTH YEAR.

QUEEN CITY LODGE CELEBRATE AN AUSPICIOUS EVENT.

Anniversary Exercises Attended by a Large Number of Members—History of the Lodge—Smoker Followed the Business.

The seventh anniversary of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., was appropriately celebrated last evening in the lodge rooms on West Second street. There was a large number of members present and a short history of the lodge was presented for the consideration of all. There is now a membership of about one hundred and fifty, and there is nearly $1,000 in the treasury. The lodge is in a very prosperous condition and new members are constantly being taken in. At the meeting next Monday evening there will be initiation.

After the business of the evening was transacted the members enjoyed a smoker and a phonographic entertainment given by Salmon C. Baker, a member of the lodge. There was also a number of speeches by members of the home lodge and of visiting lodges, after which all adjourned to the banquet room where Messrs. Thaddeus Smith, Charles Randolph and William Barbour, the committee in charge, provided a bountiful collation for all. After the inner man was filled there were more speeches and the happy event was brought to an end after all had congratulated each other on the successful growth of the lodge.

COL. MORRELL TO TALK.

Democratic Mass Meeting for Colored Men on Friday Night.

A Democratic mass meeting will be held in Reform Hall Friday night, when Col. William Morrell, the well-known colored politician, who has received a great deal of attention in this campaign, will deliver a speech. Although it will prove entertaining and instructive to all classes of people it will be especially so to the colored voters. Col. Morrell has the reputation of being a vigorous speaker. It was he that created a sensation in the Democratic State convention by berating the management of the Republican party. Col. Morrell will probably stir up the colored men in Plainfield when they hear him.

A number of the Democratic county candidates are also expected to be present at the meeting. A special feature will be a cinematograph, which will throw Candidate Crane's picture on the canvass.

A HALLOW 'EEN SUPPER

Given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue Church.

A pleasant Hallow 'een event of last evening was the supper and entertainment given in Monroe Avenue church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of which Mrs. LaRue is the president. The affair was arranged and given for the benefit of the church and was largely attended. Supper was served between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock and nearly everything was disposed of. The menu was an excellent one and the large number of people who partook were loud in their praise of it.

During the evening there was a short and informal programme of music and recitations. Stephen Haff and L. A. Hummer, Jr., favored the audience with several excellent piano selections, while Mrs. Grannatt and Miss Foster gave readings and recitations.

ENTERTAINED AT EUCHRE.

Monday Evening Club Met With Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Lowe, of Park avenue, entertained the Monday Evening Euchre Club at their home last evening in a delightful manner. This was the first meeting of the club, which comprises about thirty members, and the affair throughout was one of great pleasure to all. The home was prettily decorated for the occasion and the hospitality of the host and hostess was proverbial.

The first and second prizes for the women were won by Mrs. Howard Fleming and Mrs. O. T. Waring, while H. M. Stockton and E. H. Ladd, Jr., were presented with the first and second honors for the men. Following the games refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed. The club will meet again in two weeks.

Won the Cake.

A Hallow'een party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones in honor of their guest, Miss F. Jones, of Easton. Music was rendered by Miss Jones and Thomas Randall. Music and playing games were the features of the evening. There was a cake walk and the cake was awarded to the most graceful couple, Miss Dollie Bolsterli and Frank Jones. The lucky prize in the cake was won by Frank Schafer.

BUNCO MEN WERE ONCE ESTEEMED RESIDENTS.

How Plainfield Received a Rude Shock Last January.

RESPECTED BIG CRIMINALS.

THEY POSED HERE AS QUITE, SUBSTANTIAL BUSINESS MEN.

Spencer and Ludlum Lived in Quiet Style and by Their Demeanor in This City Made the People Regard Them as Estimable Residents—Story of New Years Eve Supper—His Attempted Escape

When the news that the man known as George Spencer, esteemed resident of Putnam avenue in this city, was arrested last January as he was about to board a steamer for Europe in Philadelphia to escape the minions of the law, Plainfield received a rude shock in its confidence in human nature. Posing here as a quiet, substantial business man, austere in a general way, though a perfect Chesterfield to those with whom he was acquainted, Plainfielders could scarcely believe the charge that he was the king of bunco steerers in this country and was a large dealer in gold bricks, etc., for the purpose of parting confiding agriculturists and their financial hoards of years of hard toil. But such he really proved to be and a few months ago he was sentenced to fourteen years in prison. Plainfield had forgotten all about the great bunco steerer until yesterday they read in The Daily Press of his escape to liberty.

Spencer alias Reed, alias Greenlage lived in elaborate style in a house on Carlton avenue, near Watchung, with spacious bow windows hung with lace curtains, and parlors well filled with bric-a-brac. Not far from the Reed house lived a family known as the Ludlums on Putnam avenue, who likewise seemed to be well-to-do and were the bosom friends of the Reeds. Subsequent events proved that Lou. Ludlum was the particular pal of Reed in his bunco practices.

There was a small party at the Spencer house last New Year's eve. Messrs. Speneer and Ludlum had returned home after a long absence.

Business had been good and the Merry Christmastide had been gaily celebrated. Only guests from out of town were bidden to the jollification.

Next day neighbors saw Spencer and Ludlum going down Putnam avenue for the last time, but they returned quietly and for three days following they were at home.

Then they took a trolley car to Netherwood and a day or two later came a despatch from Philadelphia saying that John Reed, alias George Spencer, alias John Greenhalge, of Plainfield and the United States at large, had been arrested by State Detective Whitney, of Massachusetts, and was awaiting requisition papers, on a charge of swindling farmers by the green goods and three card monte process.

Detective Whitney returned to Massachusetts to get requisition papers. Reed declined to say a word, but declared he must consult counsel.

Meanwhile, Mr. Ludlum disappeared. When Reed was arrested in Philadelphia he appeared to be making plans to go abroad.

A few weeks after the arrest of Reed, the wives of both Reed and Ludlum left town, their departure being reported in The Daily Press at the time.

MADDEN WAS KILLED.

Plainfield Man Was the Victim of a Railroad Accident.

The police have found a clue to the identity of the unknown man found dead along the Central's tracks at Cranford early Sunday morning. They think he is Wm. Madden, who lived in the Eight Row on West Front street.

Saturday night Madden, who is a machinist, told his wife that he was going to Bayonne to visit over Sunday, and was seen to jump a caboose. When he went away he wore a dark coat and vest and a pair of blue overalls, and although the body found at Cranford is too badly mangled to be identified by the features, the clothes worn answer the description of those worn by Madden exactly. The wife will go to Elizabeth today and view the remains. Madden has six children.

Theodore Stites, brother-in-law of Madden, visited the morgue this morning and identified the remains as those of Madden. They will be brought to this city tomorrow and interred.

—Today is the last opportunity given for registering in the city and borough, and every voter should see that his name is on the list.

Ask your doctor how many preparations of cod-liver oil there are.

He will answer, "Hundreds of them." Ask him which is the best. He will reply, "Scott's Emulsion."

Then see that this is the one you obtain. It contains the purest cod-liver oil, free from unpleasant odor and taste. You also get the hypophosphites and glycerine. All three are blended into one grand healing and nourishing remedy.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

ENTIRE GROUP CLAIMED

Our Commissioners Present their Ultimatum to the Spaniards.

REPLY TO BE GIVEN FRIDAY

A Written Statement Presented at Paris by Our Commissioners. The Debt to be Assumed Only Where It Represents Public Improvements.

Paris, Nov. 1.—The American peace commissioners, each of them carrying a portfolio containing records and personal memoranda, left their headquarters in the Continental Hotel for the meeting with the Spanish commissioners, at the foreign office, just before two o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The president of the Spanish commission, Senor Montero Rios, whose health at one time was so precarious as to threaten an indefinite postponement of the sessions of the commission, had so improved that he was able to attend the meeting.

He arrived at the foreign office in a closed carriage, with his colleagues, just after the Americans.

The American commissioners presented a written expression of the purpose of the United States to take the entire group of Philippine islands and to assume such proportion of the Philippine debt as has been spent for the benefit of the islands or their inhabitants, in public works, improvements and permanent betterments.

It was also set forth that the United States would not assume any part of the Philippine debt which had been incurred by Spain for the furtherance of military or naval operations to quell insurrections of the natives.

After the presentation of the statement the session was brief and uneventful, and an adjournment until Friday was taken, to give the Spaniards time to formulate a reply.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The advices from Paris to the effect that the United States peace commissioners have demanded the cession to the United States of the entire Philippine group is in line with the instructions that have been issued to the representatives of the United States. Up to a very recent date the United States commissioners had no precise instruction upon this vital point.

Before they departed from Washington a majority of their number leaned towards a restriction of the demands as to the Philippines. But since then the president has become convinced that there is a great popular demand for the annexation to the United States of the whole Philippine group, and he is disposed to defer to that sentiment.

Besides, there is ground to believe that, in an unofficial manner, the commissioners have satisfied themselves that the difficulties in the way of annexation, so far as they depend upon the will of the natives, have been very much exaggerated.

It cannot be learned definitely what money consideration is to pass with the title to the Philippines. Indeed, there is reason to believe that even the United States peace commissioners have not yet been able to fix the amount exactly.

The Klondike Gold Fields.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 1.—Ice was making on the Yukon and there was thin ice at Dutch Harbor when the steamer Portland, which has arrived here, sailed on October 11. At least a dozen river steamers are stuck on sand bars in the Yukon, and all will probably be held all winter.

The steamer Dawson City is a total wreck.

The Herman and Tacoma are stuck in the mud and the other boats are in such perilous positions that when the ice breaks up they may be ground to pieces.

All the treasure on the steamer Portland was one box of gold dust and nuggets, consigned to the Alaska Commercial Company.

Its value was not made known, but it is not believed to exceed ten thousand dollars.

Several returning miners were on the vessel, but they carried their treasure in the form of drafts, and were reticent regarding the amount.

New French Cabinet.

Paris, Nov. 1.—The new cabinet is constituted as follows:

M. Dupuy, premier and minister of the interior.
M. Lebret, minister of justice.
M. De Freycinet, minister of war.
M. Lockroy, minister of marine.
M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs.
M. Peytral, minister of finance.
M. Leygues, minister of public instruction.
M. Deloncle, minister of commerce.
M. Guillain, minister of the colonies.
M. Viger, minister of agriculture.
M. Krantz, minister of public works.

WORK OF INQUIRY BOARD.

Examination of Camp and Hospital Still Going On

Knoxville, Nov. 1.—The members of the war investigating commission, who reached here Sunday, started early yesterday upon the investigation of Camp Poland near this place.

They visited the general hospital and the Fourth Tennessee regiment together, and then separated for the work in the other commands, General McCook taking the Second Ohio and Third North Carolina, General Wilson and Captain Howell the Sixth Ohio and the First West Virginia, and ex-Governors Beaver and Woodbury the Thirty-first Michigan and Sixth Virginia.

It was evident from the first that there would be comparatively little to do, the camp being new and well located.

More time was spent at the hospital than elsewhere. There are two hundred and fifty patients there, many of them suffering from typhoid fever, but it is claimed that the fever was imported.

The commissioners showed much interest in the report of three deaths last Saturday among the colored patients of the North Carolina regiment. Two of them were unexpected by the surgeons in charge, as the men were not considered seriously ill.

They seemed of the opinion that two had died of fright at seeing their comrades expire.

There were some complaints among the troops of the absence of stoves, and some of the soldiers confessed a desire to get home, but otherwise they seemed well satisfied.

There was a review of the troops here yesterday. The commissioners will visit every camp before hearing any testimony that may be offered concerning it.

They concluded their work here last night and left for Lexington, Ky.

Dr. Conner, General Dodge and Colonel Sexton are in Lexington, having gone there direct from Chattanooga, Tenn.

WORKING ON ANNUAL MESSAGE.

The President Will Exercise Great Care in Its Preparation.

Washington, Nov. 1.—President McKinley has commenced formal work on his annual message to Congress. The president realizes that he has an exceedingly important state paper to draft and he fully understands that it will be scrutinized more closely, perhaps, than any similar document that has emanated from the White House during the past half century.

He has before him the data from the annual reports of the cabinet and bureau officers, and he will proceed to cull from them such information as will guide him in treating of the business affairs of the government.

In consequence of his work upon the message the number of callers has been greatly reduced. It was stated at the executive mansion that while the president does not intend to deny himself to all visitors while he is engaged in the preparation of the message, he will be obliged to deny himself to the general run of callers who flood the corridor day after day. Cabinet officers, members of Congress and those whose business require a personal interview were received as usual at the convenience of the president.

Federation of Women's Clubs

New York, Nov. 1.—Delegates from all parts of the state to the number of about four hundred met at Mendelssohn hall, No. 119 West Fortieth street, this morning, when the New York state Federation of Women's Clubs convened.

The convention will last four days and the general public will be admitted to the morning and evening sessions.

Many interesting papers will be read, followed by discussions. Reports and routine business will occupy the most of to-day, and an informal reception of delegates will be held at the Hotel Majestic this evening.

The election, around which centers much of the excitement of the convention, will take place on Thursday. The polls will be open until 5 p. m. There will be two sessions, and between them Mrs. Washington A. Roebling will give a luncheon to the delegates at Delmonico's.

The Case of Capt. Carter.

Washington, Nov. 1.—It is expected that the case of Captain Carter of the engineer corps will be disposed of this week.

The papers in the case are now with the president and have received his careful consideration.

The friends of Captain Carter have petitioned the president for a hearing to present some statements as to facts and law in the case.

This request has been granted by the president, and he will hear the case during the week.

Huge Gun-Carriages Completed.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 1.—The Walker Manufacturing Company has just finished the first of the eleven carriages for the Buffington-Crozier disappearing guns, for which it was awarded the contract last April by the government.

A test shows that everything works with the smoothness and accuracy of clock work, the carriage being turned in five seconds. The carriage weighs 107,000 pounds, and the gun 32,000 pounds.

Earthquake at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 1.—A slight earthquake shock was reported in the western part of this city between four and five o'clock Monday morning.

Residents say that the vibrations were distinctly felt, being from north to south, and lasting for several seconds.

Telephone Stock Increased.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 1.—The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company certified to the secretary of state yesterday that it had increased its capital stock from $5,000,000 to $8,000,000.

The liabilities of the company are $2,100,521.66.

Death of a Noted Actress.

London, Nov. 1.—Helen Faucit (Lady Martin), the English actress who retired from the stage many years ago, is dead. She was born in 1820, and was married in 1851 to Sir Theodore Martin, K. C. B.

A BUNCO KING ESCAPES

Prisoner Reed Takes Quick Leave of His Guard.

RULED GREEN GOODS TRUST

He Was Serving a Fourteen Years Sentence in the Massachusetts State Prison. He Was Taken to Worcester to Consult Lawyer and Eluded His Keeper. Reed Was a Noted Confidence Man.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 1.—John Reed, the notorious bunco king, who was serving a sentence of from eleven to fourteen years in the state prison, escaped from a keeper at the Sherwood House in this city early yesterday morning.

Reed was brought to this city by Keeper J. L. Abbott of the state prison for consultation with his counsel, Colonel W. A. Gile of this city.

The keeper took his man to the Sherwood House, where an appointment was made to meet Colonel Gile, and remained with the prisoner all the evening when Reed's wife, who came up from Boston, called.

Shortly before 12.30 o'clock Abbott left the room to go to an adjoining room, and when he returned about ten minutes later, found that his precious prisoner was gone.

A hurried search of the hotel was made, but no trace of Reed was to be found, and Abbott notified local police headquarters.

No trace of the famous prisoner was found after he left the hotel, and the local police and Abbott believe it possible that Reed caught the 12.29 a. m. train for New York and the West.

The local police are scouring the town and the police of all surrounding towns were telephoned a description of the man.

Abbott telegraphed the police of Springfield in time to intercept the man if he was aboard the western bound train.

Reed is thirty-nine years of age, five feet eight inches tall, weighs about 165 pounds, has light hair and light blue eyes, wore a brown derby hat, black overcoat with satin lining, blue suit, colored shirt with a red stripe and a white standing collar.

The overcoat belonged to Proprietor P. H. Hurley and was taken by Reed from the hallway as he left the hotel.

John Reed, alias George Spencer, alias John Greenhalge, was arrested at Philadelphia last January for swindling several Massachusetts farmers by the three-card monte and green goods games.

He was commonly known as the "prince of confidence men," and was reported to be one of an association of brainy, unscrupulous men who are believed to have formed a green goods trust with a capital of five hundred thousand dollars.

It was supposed that there were at least eight men in this trust. Their field of endeavor extended from Vermont and Massachusetts in the east, to Kentucky in the South and Indiana in the West. Traces of their nefarious progress have been visible in seventeen states.

In Indiana alone the unsophisticated gave up about $60,000 to the "Green Goods Trust."

For the Nicaragu Canal.

New York, Nov. 1.—A dispatch received by William R. Grace & Co. yesterday confirms the report that the Nicaragua Congress has granted to Edward F. Cragin of Chicago, Edward Frye and Frank Washburne a concession for the building of the ship canal.

The concession will take effect in October, 1899, when the Cardinas-Menocal grant, which was obtained in 1889 by the Nicaragua Canal Company, an organization with which Warner Miller is prominently identified, expires.

Mr. Grace said yesterday afternoon that the syndicate had not yet met, and he did not feel at liberty to tell the names of the capitalists forming it. He said, however, that C. P. Huntington was not interested.

Porto Rican Gets a Commission.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The first native Porto Rican to receive a commission in the United States army is Dr. Jose Lugo-Vina, who was recently appointed, after a personal consultation with the surgeon-general of the army and other officers of the war department.

Dr. Lugo-Vina was appointed to be an acting assistant surgeon and has already been ordered to report to Major Nathan S. Jarvis, brigade surgeon at New York, and to sail on the first steamship for Ponce, Porto Rico.

He has been a practicing physician in his native country and was appointed to the military service because of his expert knowledge of treatment for yellow fever and other diseases prevalent in the island.

More Indian Troubles

Washington, Nov. 1.—Word has reached the interior department of trouble threatened by a band of young Sioux on the Pine Ridge agency in North Dakota, who are reported to have started an organized movement for the forcible removal of Indian Agent Clapp from the reservation. There is nothing on file at the department that is averse to Agent Clapp. The agent is an army officer who is executing his duties satisfactorily and the question of removal or transfer is not to be entertained.

In Honor of Surgeon Gibbs.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The president has directed that the general field hospital at Camp Hamilton, Lexington, Ky., be known as the John Blair Gibbs United States Army General Hospital, in honor of Assistant Surgeon John Blair Gibbs, United States navy, who died on June 12, 1898, from wounds received in an engagement with the Spaniards at Guantanamo.

Presented to President Faure.

Paris, Nov. 1.—The United States ambassador, General Horace Porter, yesterday morning presented Mr. Ferdinand W. Peck, the United States commissioner to the Paris exposition of 1900, and the latter's colleagues, to President Faure.

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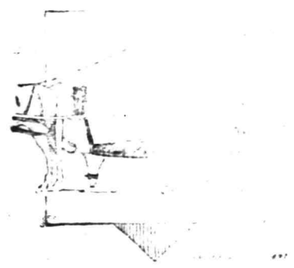

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THE CHINESE EXCLUSION LAW.

The Question of Admitting Wives and Minor Children of Merchants.

Washington, Nov. 1.—A new question in connection with the Chinese immigration laws has just been presented to the attorney general for an opinion. This is as to the application of the laws, as construed by the department of justice, in past opinions, to the wives and children of tender years belonging to Chinese now rightfully in this country.

The question was raised by ex-Representative Baker of Rochester, N. Y., who has appealed to the treasury department on behalf of a Chinese merchant living in Rochester, and generally known and respected there, who is now in a position to bring his family over.

One opinion of the attorney general holds that under section six of the laws of 1884, all Chinese persons shall be excluded from entry unless able to present a certificate such as is required by that law, and a later opinion goes further and holds that no Chinese person is entitled to such a certificate unless he belongs to one of the classes expressly exempted from exclusion—namely, merchants, students, or travellers for curiosity or pleasure.

As the Rochester merchant's family would not come under either of these heads, the opinions combined would, unless modified or explained, seem to exclude them.

The treasury authorities feel, however, that the attorney general may rule that the status of wives and minor children should be treated as determined by the status of the head of the family, and that it may be possible to permit the reunion of the Rochester merchant's family by this construction of the law.

The only thing to be guarded against in such a case is imposition for the purpose of evading the law.

Notable Nuptials at Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 1.—The marriage of Miss Mabel Gordon and Mr. Rowland Leigh of Stoneleigh Abbey, England, was celebrated at noon yesterday at Christ church in this city.

The bride is the daughter of General W. W. Gordon, Porto Rican commissioner, and the bridegroom is the son of Baron Leigh of Stoneleigh Abbey. His mother is the daughter of the late Duke of Westminster.

He was born in 1859 and was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge, taking his degree of B. A. in 1882.

He was admitted a barrister of the Inner Temple in 1887 and was private secretary to the secretary of war, the Right Hon. Henry Campbell-Bannerman, from 1892 to 1895.

The records of the family date back to Sir Piers Leigh, who bore the standard of the Black Prince at Crecy, and whose son, Sir Peter, was slain at Agincourt.

Miss Gordon is a social favorite in Savannah. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Hon. the Very Rev. James Leigh, the dean of Hereford, assisted by the Rev. Robert White, pastor of Christ church.

Stoneware Trust Formed.

Akron, Nov. 1.—The combination controlling the production of white, black and salt glazed stoneware in the United States is an assured fact.

Three meetings recently held in Chicago, Cleveland and Akron resulted in a trust being formed along the lines of the nail trust. Twenty-six concerns are interested.

The combination, it is stated, was planned by the best legal talent in the country, and it is claimed the trust laws will not be violated.

The combination represents about 65 per cent. of the entire production of common stoneware in the United States.

The trust has advanced the market a half cent a gallon and in some instances one cent.

R. F. Kent of Akron is president, T. C. Robinson of Akron treasurer, and M. H. Linn of Zanesville is its secretary.

A Smokeless Powder Explosion.

South Acton, Mass., Nov. 1.—The powder house of the New York and New England Titanic Smokeless Powder Company was demolished by an explosion just before eleven o'clock yesterday.

Twenty men were employed in the building, all of whom escaped unhurt, except three, who were slightly injured in the rush to get out.

The cause of the explosion has not been determined, but a few moments previous to the trouble, the engineer noticed that something appeared to be wrong with the machinery, and he shut off steam and gave the danger signal in time to prevent loss of life. The loss will be $60,000.

The building in which the explosion occurred was about 150 feet long by 75 feet wide, and one story in height. The structure was almost totally demolished, and the machinery, including the engines and boiler, destroyed.

Hold Umbrella Low.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 1.—Two men were killed by electricity in the streets here yesterday in a peculiar manner. A terrific rain and wind storm was prevailing. Abraham Stummer was passing under an arc light in front of a store. The steel rod of his raised umbrella came in contact with the light, and the current passed down the frame into the hand of the carrier.

Stummer dropped dead and blue flames shot from his hand. The pavements and the soles of the man's shoes were wet.

Wrecked by a Hurricane.

Nassau, N. P., Nov. 1.—The schooner Jennie F. Willey, Captain Bulger, which sailed from Jacksonville on September 21 for Long Island Sound, encountered a hurricane on October 1, during which she was dismantled and her deck load blown off.

She drifted, however, and stranded on October 26 at Walker's Cay.

The vessel and cargo are a total loss. The crew succeeded in reaching the shore and subsequently came to this port.

Panama Railroad Terminal.

Colon, Colombia, Nov. 1.—Permission has been obtained from the government by the Panama Railroad Company to establish terminal facilities at Laboca upon the payment of $400,000 and the granting of a loan to Colombia of $1,000,000.

ENGLAND AND FRANCE

Great Activity in British Naval Circles.

MARCHAND TO BE RETIRED

Reported Orders for Volunteer Mobilization. Artillery Corps Instructions. Reported Change of French Policy Concerning Africa. To Raise the Whole Egyptian Question.

London, Nov. 1.—The British naval preparations are being pushed with great activity. The British emergency squadron is assembling at Devonport with all possible speed.

Seven battleships and one cruiser have been thus far designated to join this squadron.

Officers and sailors have been hurriedly recalled from leaves of absence, several battleships and cruisers at Portsmouth are taking their full crews on board, and other warlike preparations are being made. A number of signal men on duty with the British channel squadron, which arrived at Gibraltar this morning, have been ordered home for service, it is presumed, on board the auxiliary cruisers, if the latter are required for active service.

A supposed Russian spy was arrested at a fort near Harwich yesterday morning. The man was already under surveillance and went to a redoubt, where he tried to obtain some information from a sentry regarding the fortifications.

He was promptly arrested and inquiries are being made regarding his antecedents.

It was asserted yesterday that the commanding officers of the London volunteer regiments have received orders to prepare for immmediate mobilization, and that the different artillery corps have been informed of their allotments to the forts on the southern and eastern coasts.

The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon said:

"England has been and even now is so near war that the government has carried its preparations to the farthest limit of the preparatory stage. It has been arranged to call out the reserves and militia, and to mobilize the volunteers simultaneously, and to form large camps at various important railroad junctions, where rolling stock and locomotives will be concentrated."

There was an unexpected gloomy feeling yesterday morning on the stock exchange, and the Paris Bourse, both these markets being influenced apparently by the aggressive tone of some of the French papers.

Paris, Nov. 1.—The Eclair says that it learns on reliable authority that the Fashoda question will be settled favorably to Great Britain by the recall of Major Marchand. France, the paper adds, yields all, reserving only the question of the right to the Bahrel-Ghazal district, which she does not consider as belonging to Egypt. The paper also says:

"M. Delcasse, however, has now decided to raise the whole Egyptian question, which should have been done from the first, thus avoiding the humiliation of yielding to the British ultimatum. When the question is thus enlarged, France will not be alone in its discussion with the Marquis of Salisbury. Egypt interests all the powers. Russia has promised M. Delcasse its most effective assistance, and, besides Germany has the biggest interest, in view of her East African possessions and trade in the far East, that the Suez canal should not become exclusively British, and is disposed to support Franco-Russian arguments for a definite settlement of the Egyptian question."

Work at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 1.—Every available shipwright in this city has been engaged by the naval authorities here, and orders have been given to prepare the battleships and other vessels for sea as soon as possible.

Saturday the men worked all day, something unprecedented in the dock yard here. The great activity displayed is the result of messages from the home authorities.

The battleship Renown, the cruisers Pelican and Cordelia, the gunboat Columbine, and two torpedo boats are now here and are being fitted out as soon as possible.

So far they have not been ordered away, but instructions to that effect are hourly expected.

A Yellow Fever Bark Missing.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 1.—The whereabouts of the bark Maryland, on which, when at Havana, there were five cases of yellow fever and three deaths, is a mystery.

The Maryland sailed from Havana on October 13 for Baltimore against the protest of Dr. Brunner, sanitary inspector of the marine hospital service at Havana, who advised the captain to proceed to Tortugus quarantine.

The Maryland, had she entered the capes of Virginia, would have been held up at quarantine, but the officials yesterday said that nothing had been seen of the vessel, on which it is feared other cases of the disease have developed.

Sioux Threaten Trouble

Washington, Nov. 1.—Word has been received here by the interior department that a band of young Sioux on the Pine Ridge agency in North Dakota, have organized a movement for the forcible removal of Indian Agent Clapp from the reservation.

Secretary Bliss said yesterday there was nothing on file at the department that is adverse to Agent Clapp, and that the question of removal or transfer is not to be entertained.

Rev. Dr. Samuel W. Duncan Dead.

Boston, Nov. 1.—The Rev. Dr. Samuel White Duncan, foreign secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union, since 1892, who reached his home in Brooklyn on Saturday from a trip to the Orient, died yesterday from heart failure.

He was sixty years old, was a captain in the Fiftieth Massachusetts in the civil war, and had held pastorates in Rochester, N. Y., and Cincinnati.

BLANCO'S ORDER MYSTIFIES.

May be a Clever Scheme to Delay Evacuation Further.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Two constructions are put upon the recent order of General Blanco that the Spanish troops in Cuba shall not be discharged, but shall first go to Spain and receive their pay.

This cancels the previous order of October 4, saying that such Spaniards as desired could remain in Cuba.

Should the troops chose to return under this later order to Spain it would give the Spaniards a pretext for asking a longer time for evacuation, which may be their desire.

On the other hand it is urged by a high war department official that the cause of this order lies in the inability of Blanco to pay them and in the hope, therefore, that they would desert and thereby relieve the Spanish government of further obligation.

The Spanish regular troops in Cuba are now much scattered, and number about 85,775. n the Province of Pinar del Rio there are in all 10,450 men. In the Province of Havana there are 14,100 men. In the Province of Matanzas there are 8,500 men.

In the Province of Santa Clara there are 23,206 men, of whom 12,550 men are in the Spiritu division. In the Trocha Jucaro Moron there are 6,100 men.

In the Province of Puerto Principe there are 5,000 men.

The Province of Santiago originally contained 13,525 in the Manzanillo division, 7,700 in the Holguin division and 21,250 in the Santiago division. Out of the total of 42,425 men in Santiago province about 24,000 men have been transported to Spain, leaving about 18,425 now there.

These are regular Spanish troops, with whose transportation the commissioners will have to reckon.

Besides these there were over 80,000 volunteers and guerillas.

Civil Service Reformers.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The Civil Service Reform League has sent a letter to the president expressing its hope that he will not, as reported in the public press, withdraw a number of places now filled by civil service methods from the scope of the civil service rules. The letter says:

"The League submits for your consideration the certainty that such changes, whatever their motive and however plausibly they may be explained by those by whom they are suggested, will be greeted alike by the friends and enemies of the merit system as a step backward—a step the more significant because it will be the first step backward avowedly taken by the executive branch of the government since the civil service law took effect."

Last Week of the Campaign.

New York, Nov. 1.—The last week of the campaign opened with unusual snap at Republican campaign headquarters. Chairman Odell and Colonel Roosevelt were on hand early making arrangements for the fight in New York county.

Chairman Quigg of the county committee was in conference with the colonel for some time yesterday regarding the local campaign.

The colonel will practically devote the remaining days before election to his canvass in Greater New York. He will spend one day, Wednesday, on Long Island, and will make short runs to Albany and Troy, but otherwise he will confine his work to this locality.

The Tammany speakers' bureau has made arrangements for several meetings in each assembly district every night this week. In a few days the executive committee will meet to receive the usual yearly election predictions of the district leaders. Each leader will submit an estimate of the vote in his district.

Judge Augustus Van Wyck spoke in Utica with ex-Governor Hill last evening. He will return to New York today. He has only three more speaking dates—Poughkeepsie, November 3; Albany, November 4, and Troy, November 5.

Foreign Corporations Must Pay.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The United States supreme court has announced its decision sustaining the constitutionality of that feature of the tax laws of New York, which lays a tax on foreign corporations doing business in the state, according to the capital employed.

The case was instituted against James A. Roberts, controller of the state of New York, to test the law and to vacate an assessment made on the capital of a large western drug house which has a branch in the city of New York.

The lower court sustained the validity of the law, and the supreme court now affirms this decision.

Indiana Strike Leaders Shot

Washington Depot, Ind., Nov. 1.—Richard Reibmeister and Alonzo Ragsdale, coal strike leaders, were shot by Austin Kocher, a non-union miner, yesterday.

Kocher claims that Ragsdale tried to hit him with a brick and that Reibmeister attempted to strike him.

Kocher fired five shots, two of them taking effect in Ragsdale's neck and one in Reibmeister's side. Ragsdale is seriously hurt.

The Celtic at Bahia.

Washington, Nov. 1.—The Celtic, one of the colliers accompanying the battleships Oregon and Iowa on their voyage to Honolulu, put in at Bahia yesterday and cabled notice of her arrival to the department.

As the Celtic left Tompkinsville at the same time as the battleships, it is expected at the department that the latter will also arrive a Bahia in a day or two.

Comptroller Dawes in Town

New ork, Nov. 1.—Charles G. Dawes, comptroller of the currency, is in town. It was understood in Wall street yesterday that he was here to obtain the views of local bankers regarding the banking facilities that should be extended to this country's new colonies.

Guarding Against Plague.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 1.—The Zeitung says that the commission charged with the duty of taking precautionary measures against the bubonic plague has engaged a staff of forty physicians who will proceed immediately to Samarcand.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 1—Primary Teachers' Institute at First Baptist church.
November 2—Bazar at Mt. Olive church.
November 2—"Bachelor's Honeymoon" at Music Hall.
November 3—Firemen's ball at Washington Hall.
November 3—Sociable at Warren chapel.
November 3—W. C. T. U. Business meeting at 3:30 p. m.

The Trolley and Voorhees.

Evidently the trolley is not only a local issue peculiarly interesting to this city, but as well has a bearing on the State election. Wherever and whenever the opponents of the county trolley project have had an opportunity they have not hesitated to say that every member of the State government, from Governor Voorhees down, should be ingloriously retired for having aided in the enactment of the law which has allowed the Bergen scheme to become a reality. One of the reasons why the private trolley promoters want Voorhees defeated is contained in the following unique issue raised by Wright Babcock in a newspaper communication inspired by the trolley agitation in Plainfield:

In this connection the people should be reminded that Chancellor McGill's term of office expires in a few days. He is one of the few public officers who has always stood for right and equity. Before his court will come, in the last resort, the cases of those unfortunate owners of improved properties who object to having their property mutilated and part of it confiscated for the benefit of a private corporation. It is said that Mr. Voorhees and Mr. Bergen are very close friends, and that it was Mr. Bergen's influence which induced Mr. Voorhees to sign an act (the county trolley act) which he had both publicly and privately condemned. If Mr. Voorhees is elected Governor and appoints Mr. Bergen Chancellor in the room of McGill, the last rivets will have been put in the armor of the Knights of the County Trolley.

Yours etc.,
Wright Babcock.

John Kean Active.

The latest report is that John Kean is engaged in a plan of campaign which is particularly directed toward the fostering of his own boom for United States Senator, says a Trenton correspondent. He has selected a committee of his friends, it is said, to go through the State and pay special attention to the campaign for the Legislature. This committee is well heeled and is given carte blanche to do everything that is deemed necessary to secure a Republican majority on joint ballot in that body. According to this plan, then, the head of the ticket will not be allowed to monopolize all the attention of the campaign. The Legislative ticket must awaken as much, if not more, interest, and Mr. Kean's committee, which consists of skillful and experienced politicians, will be kept busy from now until election day. If the report is true that the Democrats intend trading their Gubernatorial candidate for the Legislature then it is the intentions of this committee to nip the scheme in the bud.

In their threat not to vote at all unless they are allowed to cast their ballots in their home districts, the members of the Third Regiment would seem to hold a pretty good hand. A thousand or more votes are not favors to slightly pass over by either political party in this campaign and if the threat of the soldiers is actually to be carried out it is not at all unlikely that most of the men will find furloughs conviently awaiting them the day before election.

It has been hinted that perhaps in the present agitation of the curfew bell idea the fair members of the Town Improvement Association are making ready to have that subject made one of the issues of the approaching municipal campaign, which will follow immediately after the State election. What a novel campaign issue the curfew bell would make.

Senator Reed seems always to have the happy faculty of putting his auditors in a humorous mood whenever he undertakes a public speech. This characteristic of the Senator was nicely developed at the Republican mass meeting in the borough last night.

Where oh where are the politicial mass meetings in Phinfield? Have the political managers forgotten that Plainfield is on the map, or don't they care?

There is a well-developed boom among Republicans for the nomination of Marion Ackerman for Mayor at the approaching municipal election.

GERONIMO, CHIEF OF THE APACHES.

Most terror-inspiring of the dreaded Apaches is Geronimo, the chief. Recollection of his record of murder, arson and rapine in Arizona and adjoining states and territories caused a shudder to run across the whole country at the announcement that he had escaped from his guards on his return to Fort Sill from the Omaha exposition.

PASSING COMMENT.

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

Yesterday's New York Press has a picture of the Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr, of the Ruggles Street Baptist church in Boston, Mass., with an account of the "Open and Institutional Church League" which meets at Worcester, Mass., November 2d and 3d. Dr. Burr is prominent as an advocate of this league, the object of which is threefold: (1), to advocate free pews in all churches; (2), to keep the churches open every day of the entire year; (3), to promote interest in institutional work which cares for the body as well as the soul. Dr. Burr's own church in Ruggles street, Boston, forms the center of a great and peculiar mission field where cluster masses of needy men, women and children. Dr. Burr was a Plainfield boy, the son of Stephen H. Burr who resided here for a number of years.

DEMOCRATS ARE READY.

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ent organization could be formed.

Mr. Hetfield moved that when the meeting adjourned it to do so to meet Wednesday evening of this week, when the committe on constitution will report and the permanent orgaization formed.

Mr. Hillman, who, as stated above, has had extended and practical experience in political organization, gave a short talk on the essential things required in organization, first and foremost of which was the necessity of every member of the party lending his best efforts personally to the movement. Finance was also an important matter, Mr. Hillman said. A properly conducted organization would need plenty of cash to run it, and every Democrat should feel it his duty to give whatever he felt that he could afford to give. To make the movement effective the organization should flourish the year around, and an important fact in this connection was the headquarters. Rooms should be secured and kept open the year around, virtually forming a club, where meetings could be held when desired, the daily papers kept on file and a place made for all Democrats to meet socially and unreservedly. Mr. Hillman ended by saying that all of his experience in organizing political movements was at the service of the Plainfield Democrats and that he would gladly to do whatever he could to make the movement a success in every particular.

Councilman Hetfield and Counselor McClure also spoke briefly of the need of the thorough organization and the personal efforts of all Democrats to make it a success.

Before the meeting closed a liberal sum of money was collected for the secretary to purchase an enrollment book and a book to keep the minutes in.

The meeting tomorrow night will be open to every Democrat in the city. It is the desire of those who have undertaken the movement to have as many there as is possible.

—Today is the last opportunity given for registering in the city and borough, and every voter should see that his name is on the list.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

Messrs. Warde & Sackett, whose comedians are billed to present the latest Hoyt's Theatre success, "A Bacheleror's Honeymoon," at the Stillman Music Hall tomorrow night, are well known managers and have always been identified with the best class of attractions. Mr. Warde is the eldest son of Frederick Warde, the tragedian, and was identified for many years with the management of his father and the famous Warde-James combination. E. L. Sackett, his associate, also obtained his first experience from the same source, but has lately been connected with other enterprises. These young managers have bought the rights to John Stapleton's farce, "A Bachelor's Honeymoon," which scored a hit at Hoyt's Theatre last season, and are presenting it this year with a splendid company including the merry comedian, Walter Walker. Everywhere they have been they have been they have left a pleasant impression, and are meeting with the artistic and pecuniary success that rewards all managers who cater to the public and provide wholesome, reputable and attractive entertainment.

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The management of the Star Theatre, Fourteenth street and Broadway, New York, offers a genuine novelty for this week, when Marie Wainwright will appear in the successful English play, "Shall We Forgive Her," and in her own version of the powerful domestic drama "East Lynne." The leading roles are assumed by Miss Wainwright, who brings to the parts the force, dignity and ability necessary to their interpretations. To present both plays in a perfect manner, Manager Litt has selected an exceptionally strong company, while the accessories and scenic equipments are in keeping with Jacob Litt's well-known prodigality in this direction.

THE WORK INCREASES.

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nizes the fact that some provision for cases of contagious disease is desirable, but cannot maintain separate buildings for such cases unless furnished with adequate means.

The construction at the present time of a costly permanent brick or stone building, designed to meet all requirements of hospital service for many years to come, may not be wise, but some enlargement of accommodations is needed. This matter is of common interest to the entire community; and to it the attention and earnest consideration of all is invited and urged. Any suggestions touching the solution of the problems involved will be welcomed by the board of governors, and any aid towards the accomplishment of the ends in view will be gratefully received. All are invited to visit the hospital and investigate its work, and the officers and superintendent will gladly facilitate inquiry and furnish information.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure.

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, November 1.—A slight wreck occurred on the Jersey Central just south of here early Sunday morning. The air hose on a freight train burst under one of the box cars. This stopped the train so suddenly that two box cars and a gondola crashed together and one car left the track. The wrecking crew were sent for, but the cars were placed on the track again before they arrived. No one was hurt.

Mrs. Sarah Terry, mother of William H. Terry, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Dove, of Metuchen, Sunday morning. Mrs. Terry was in her eighty-first year. The remains will be taken to Brooklyn, where the services will be held this evening. Mrs. Terry was one of the oldest residents of Brooklyn, and knew Williamsburgh when it was a village surrounded by farms. Death was due to general debility and old age. She leaves two children, Mrs. Dove and Mr. Terry. The latter came from Brooklyn, but has made his home here for several years.

An ardent wooer, who does not live a hundred miles from the post office, had an experience Sunday night while on his way to call on his sweetheart, who lives in Warrenville, which he won't soon forget. To cut the journey short he sometimes takes a path through the woods. He did this last night, and catching his foot in a vine was thrown headlong, spraining his ankle. Yesterday he was about town, but used a cane.

Two years ago card parties were quite the rage here. It was hoped that a club would be organized this fall, but so far no attempt to do so has been made.

Mr. Orr and family, of Summit, have taken the John S. Milliken house on Prospect avenue, and they moved here Saturday.

There is a great crop of cabbages growing on the sewer beds, in that portion of them just south of the superintendent's office.

The funeral of Walter Vliet's child were held last night at the home. Rev. E. S. Jamison officiated and interment was out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

Now that the trolley cars run to Bound Brook, it is quite the proper thing to take the ride in the afternoon.

Mrs. Irving Dunham returned to Alabama yesterday after a three months' visit with Mrs. Ann Dunham.

A sociable will be held Thursday night in the Presbyterian church under the auspices of the C. E. society.

Percy Abbott spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Abbott, of Somerville.

Miss May Apgar spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Sherman Cooley, of Flemington.

Miss Annie Sirisky, of Raritan, spent Sunday with Bernard Sirisky, her brother.

Harry Dodwell and Walter Brokaw spent Sunday in Bound Brook.

Miss Annie and Miss Lena Mair spent yesterday in New York.

Mrs. Annie Abbott spent Sunday with relatives in Elizabeth.

The Epworth League will hold a business meeting tonight.

George W. Churchill is confined to the house by illness.

Willard Apgar spent Sunday in Easton.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, November 1—W. H. Satterlee gave a reception last night in honor of his cousin, and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Barton Stillman, of Bloomfield, N. Y. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Larrabee, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Alison Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis and Horace Satterlee, all of whom came from Bloomfield.

Another case of diptheria has broken out on the New Market road this time in the Eick family one of the young children being down with it.

Rev. Frank Fletcher will give a missionary address in the Methodist Sunday-school Sunday afternoon.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 1—The annual dog list has been posted and shows Fanwood Township has 160 dogs, good, bad and indifferent.

Some of the residents of the village who neglected to take their gates off themselves last evening found on awakening this morning that someone had made them pay the penalty for their thoughtlessness.

Mrs. E. L. Hand and George Schick returned Sunday from a three days' visit with friends in Philadelphia. During this visit they attended the peace jubilee which was held in that city.

Mrs. Thomas Gere, of Brooklyn, who has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Paff, Jr., returned to her home Monday.

The Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal Sunday-schools united in a union service in the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jimerson, of Westfield, were the guests Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. George W. Marsh.

John E. Flannery, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. George Johnston.

The Board of Education hold a special meeting in the school parlors this evening.

Miss Reignette and Ernest Marsh were the guests Sunday of New York friends.

William Telley, of Bordentown, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Schick.

Miss Bella Mercier spent Sunday with her sister in Plainfield.

Miss Sadie Reger spent Sunday with friends in Cranford.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 1—A fire-alarm rang from the box at the corner of Middlesex and Broad streets at 7 o'clock last evening and the three companies responded. When they arrived at the box they found that the alarm was the work of boys who were celebrating Hallow'een. Just as the firemen arrived back at the engine house another alarm was sent in from Clark street, but the firemen did not respond until they had telephoned to a house near there. The officials say they know who sent in the alarms, and that the guilty party will be brought to terms for his joke.

A Democrat arrived in town Saturday who threatens to make it pleasant for Township Clerk Irving I. Ross. This new man didn't have anything to do with the failure of "Irv" to get the nomination for Assemblyman, but since his arrival he has made the genial clerk hustle putting an extra leaf in the family table and doing other things to keep him busy during the day and night. Irving I. Ross, Jr., weighs twelve pounds, and mother and son are doing nicely.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Pierre Mali and family, of East Front street, leave town today for their city home on Fifth avenue, New York.

Gen. Eli Long and family, of Grove street, have returned to their home after spending the month of October at Penn Yan, N. Y.

Rev. Alfred C. Nickerson, pastor of All Souls church, occupied the pulpit of the First Unitarian church, at Yonkers, N. Y., last Sunday morning.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOFFETT.

Summons issued—In the cases of Wiegel, Jr., against Marsh; Wiegel, Jr., against Bicknel, both on contract and returnable November 10th. Clark against Madretts, on contract, returnable November 11th.

Adjourned—Case of Abbott against Simpson, until November 22d.

—Owing to the lack of a quorum there was no meeting of the directors of the Plainfield Catholic Club last night.

—G. B. Doty, of Cranford, has opened a tailoring establishment in the store on North avenue formerly occupied by the late E. E. Marshall.

You are making a great mistake in not sending for a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. It is a specific for catarrh and cold in the head. We mail it, or the 50 cent size. Druggists all keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

By Request

the date of closing the

VELOX

Competition

has been deferred to

Saturday, Nov. 5th

THE BARD COMPANY,
133 NORTH AVE.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Walter Gibson, of Passaic, has been visiting friends in Plainfield.

Miss Florence Dodge, of New York, is visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Mrs. Yost, of Fourth street, is confined to her house with serious illness.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pound, of this city, is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Western, of New York, spent last Sunday with relatives in this city.

J. Erwin Waters, of East Third street, is entertaining his mother from New York.

General Swain and daughter are the guests of Colonel Mason W. Tyler, of West Seventh street

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, has returned from Newark, where she spent Sunday.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, who has been seriously ill, is no better and his condition is critical.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schomp, who were married last week, are now stopping at Toronto, Canada, enjoying their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McVoy, of Sandford avenue, have returned from Bayonne, where they spent Sunday and part of Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Biswanger, of Philadelphia, who have for sometime been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McVey, of North avenue, are visiting in New York.

Nicholas Jansen, of this city, accompanied by Miss Miller, of New Market, spent Sunday at the home of Charles Strenzenbach, of Berckman street.

Fred Moore, of West Front street, who has been detained at home by illness, is much improved. His wife, who has also been ill, is gaining slowly.

Rev. E. O. Moffett, of Orange county, New York, brother to Counsellor Charles L. Moffett, is visiting his father, D. Moffett, of Watchung avenue.

Samuel Yates, of Seattle, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street. His father's illness brought him to Plainfield.

Mrs. F. E. Kinsman, of Sherman avenue, who has been confined at the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, for sometime past, was brought to her home today. Her health seems to be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Baker, of Stelle avenue, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude to Howard Wade Beebe, Tuesday evening, November 15th at 8 o'clock, in the Crescent Avunue church. A large reception will follow at the home on Stelle avenue.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

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This is the time for renovating the system. YOUR BLOOD may need cleansing.

RANDOLPH'S SARSAPARILLA

is compounded of roots and herbs that free the circulation of its impurities. Everybody may have the benefits of this preparation.

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Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.
Park and North Aves.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A larch tree in the depot park is putting on its second dress of leaves.

—The infant son of Chester Dennis, of West Front street, died Sunday night.

—The Exempt Firemen's Association will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—An important meeting of the Game Protective Association will be held this evening.

—Orra S. Rogers, of New Berlin, New York, has opened an insurance office in the Babcock building.

—A missionary meeting of unusual interest will be held at Grace M. E. church tomorrow evening.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Thursday at 3:30 p. m.

—Attorney J. P. D. Kirch is now settled in his new office in the Taylor building, over Dunn's grocery store.

—Druggist A. D. Mallinson, of North avenue, will move to the corner of Watchung and North avenues, Dec. 1st.

—Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will hold an important meeting.

—A large number of Masons went to New York last evening and attended the meeting of the Mystic Shrine.

—The Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the First Baptist church next Friday evening will be led by Harold Serrell.

—Today is the last opportunity given for registering in the city and borough, and every voter should see that his name is on the list.

—Rev. H. W. McKane, pastor of the Christian church on Grove street, will give a fine wargraph entertainment in the church tomorrow evening.

—The Grand Union Tea Co., 138 West Front street, announce that all this week there will be given free to each purchaser of one pound of baking powder, four earthen bowls, 1, 2, 3 and 4 quarts each. There is no better baking powder than that sold by this company.

—Thursday next between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. the lady managers of the Baptist Home for the Aged, who are members of the First Baptist church, this city, will be at the church to receive articles, groceries, linen or money, to be sent in the barrel to the home in Newark.

—The John Stephenson Car Company, Limited, went into the hands of receivers Tuesday, application having been made by a majority of the directors in the New York Supreme Court. An order to show cause for the dissolution of the company is set down for hearing before James M. Vernum, as referee, December 6. The company has recently finished the erection of a large and well-equipped plant, in Linden Township, just beyond the Elizabeth city line.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

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9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)
10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction. THOS. S. NEWMAN, Prop.

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TELEPHONE 248 B.

DIED.

HEGEMAN—In North Plainfield, Saturday, Oct 29th, Catherine E., wife of B. A. Hegeman and daughter of the late Judge Wm. J. Roome, of New York, aged 68 years. Funeral services at her late residence, 27 Sycamore avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, Nov. 2nd, at 3 p. m. Please omit flowers. 10 31 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non-Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. Plain sewing and embroidery done and taught at the home. 11 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney. cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED—Situation by reliable young man on gentleman's place; understands care of horses and cows; good references. Address Z C., care Press. 11 1 2

WANTED—A white woman as cook and laundress. Apply 324 Franklin place.

WILL do dressmaking or plain sewing out by the day. Call 42 Harmony street.

TO LET—House, five rooms, 19 Chatham street, small family. Enquire 414 Park avenue. 11 1 2

WANTED—A capable girl with references, to do general housework in small family. 218 LaGrande avenue.

BOARD WANTED in private family for young lady. References given and required. Address L., care Press.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two handsome bearskin robes, separately or together; also double harness. 20 Harmony street.

WANTED—Cook and laundress; best references required. 441 West 8th St. 11 1 2

A YOUNG man wishes a tutor to prepare him for college. Must reside in Plainfield; state terms. Address Tutor, care Press. 10 31 3

HOUSE for sale or rent, 6 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

TO LET—At Netherwood, convenient to station and trolley; 9 rooms; improvements; rent low. J. T. Vail, agt., 177 North avenue. 10 27 5

WANTED—Girl or woman for cook and general housework. Apply at Somerset Hotel, North Plainfield. 10 29 tf

WANTED—Ten room, modern house. will pay $35.00 or will buy if big bargain; give exact location. Home. 10 29 tf

A Jacket, Cape or Suit.

Any and all of these items are here and ready for your approval; better Jackets, better Capes and better Suits this season than ever before, and so priced as to at once strike you with their all-around worthiness. We ask particular attention to our tailor made, silk-lined suits for $8.98 and $10 50.

That Kid Glove Stock.

Is building business for itself every day. Liberal policy has something to do with it. Good Gloves, Right Fitting Gloves, Gloves such as if bought once you will buy again, that's the secret of it all. Try the P. L. Button, Hook and Clasp, $1.10 Pair.

MAIN FLOOR.

50 in All-wool Cheviots 25c yd.
38 in Silk and Wool Fancies 29c yd.
45 in All-wool Novelties 49c yd.
Ladies' Fine Hose 15c pr.
Children's School Hose 10c pr.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, fleeced, 21c.
Ladies' natural wool fleeced vests, 39c.
Ladies' fine fleeced hose 19c pr.
Men's fine suspenders, the 25c kind, 13c pr.
Men's fine wool half-hose 17c pr.
Fine all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs 13c ea.
Men's heavy wool shirts and drawers, 75c kind, 49c ea.
Infants' wool ribbed vests 17c ea.
Ladies' fine black kid gloves, in button and hooks, 79c pr.
Ladies' leather belts 10c.
Side combs 5c pr.
Plate glass hand mirrors 15c ea.
Silk curtain cord and tassels 12c pr.
Laundry bags 10c ea.
Mantle lambrequins 29c ea.
Linen tray cloths 27c ea.
Fine embroideries 10c yd.
Chatelaine bags 10c ea.
Buttermilk soap 7c cake.
Ladies' side supporters, with belt, 10c pr.
Turkish wash cloths 2c ea.
Fine writing paper, 60 sheets, 60 envelopes, 17c box.

VERY SPECIAL.

About one thousand yards of Imported Denims for draperies, cushion covers, etc, value 25c and 35c., 15c yd.
1,500 yards of real Torchon Lace, value 8c to 15c yd, 6c yd.
1,500 yards of fine Torchon Lace, value 15c to 25c yd, 7c yd.
1,000 yards of fine Curtain Swiss, in stripes, dots and figures, 9c yd.

One case fine White Counterpanes, value $1, 69c.
A manufacturer's sample stock of fine Liberty Silk Ruching, worth from 40c to 75c yd, 25c yd.

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' plaid waists 65c.
" flannel waists $1.25.
" satine skirts $1.
" flannelette wrappers, well-made, 98c. ea.
Ladies' velveteen waists, all colors, $3 98.
Ladies' silk waists, black and colored, $4.98.
Fur collarettes $1 69.
Boy's outing flannel waists, plaited back and front, 25c.
Boy's All Wool shirt waists 69c. value $1.
Boy's knee pants, made of all wool cheviot 29c. pr.

THIRD FLOOR.

Smith's finest quality velvet and Axminster carpets 95c. yd. including making, laying and lining.
Lace curtains, extra size, 98, 1 10, 1.19, 1 29 1.39 and $1 49 pr.
Tapestry table covers 39c. ea.
Chenille " " 49c. ea.
Wilton velvet mats 18x37, 98c. ea.
" " rugs 27x63, $1.98.
" " " 36x72, $2 98.
Tapestry carpets, 10 wove, 49c. yd.
Extra super all wool ingrain carpets 52c. yd.
Extra quality all wool art squares $4.88.
Tapestry portierres 98c. ea.
Feather pillows 39c.
Comfortables filled with white cotton 98c. ea.
All wool blankets, full size, $2.49 pr.
Heavy grey blankets $1.50
Cotton blankets 39c. pr.

The House Furnishing Department will offer many specials in Granite Ironware, toilet sets, fancy cups and saucers, glassware, etc. You should be with us in this unusual distribution of values. Half the bargains are not told of; there's the Silk Sale, the Muslin Underwear Sale, the Flannel Underwear Sale, are all worthy of your attention.

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75.
MODEL 49 (improved) $40.
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OTHER MODELS AT $25 and $35.

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WHILE man wants work on gentleman's place. 959 Arlington avenue. 10 31 2

Corporation Notice.

Commissioners of Assessments report for sewerage construction on consideration before the Common Council, Plainfield, N. J.

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J., held on Monday, the twenty-first day of November, there were presented and laid before the Common Council (the same having first been filed in the office of the City Clerk September sixth, 1898,) the report and assessments of the Commissioners of Assessments of said City heretofore appointed under the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Assessments under Chapter CXLI P. L. 1895," approved April 25th, 1896, containing the assessments of damages and benefits or expenses, as the case may be, for the making and constructing of sewers and appurtenances (including house connections), under and by virtue of the Act of the Legislature, entitled, "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in Cities of this State", approved April 7th, 1890, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and ordinances and other proceedings of the Common Council had under said Acts of the Legislature, said report and assessments covering the whole of said system of sewerage and appurtenances already completed, (not covered by assessments heretofore made) and particularly in and through the following described streets and parts of streets, to wit:

Stelle avenue, from Plainfield avenue easterly 1148 feet to a point near Central avenue.

Plainfield avenue, from West Eighth street to Stelle avenue.

Berkeley avenue, from Ravine Road southwesterly 379.7 feet to a point near Belvidere avenue.

Somerset street, from Front street northwesterly 265 feet to a point near Green brook.

Orange place, from Elm place northeasterly 291.5 feet to a point near Westervelt avenue.

Hillside avenue, from Putnam avenue southerly 379.6 feet to a point near Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue, from East Front street northwesterly 168.6 feet to a point near Greenbrook, including house connections and including appurtenances of said sewerage system in connection therewith; the said streets and parts of streets in which the same were so made and constructed and the location and dimensions of the several lots, tracts and parcels of land and real estate so assessed being delineated on a certain set of maps numbered "1 a" and "2 a", and each map marked "Sewerage Construction Assessment Map dated August 8th, 1898" and attested by the signatures of the said Commissioners and filed in the office of the Collector of Taxes September 6th, 1898.

And it was ordered that said Common Council will proceed to consider, review, alter, ratify and confirm said report and assessments at a meeting to be held in the Common Council Chamber, 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, N. J., on the twenty-first day of November, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which meeting all persons interested in or affected by said assessments, on account of which said assessments were made, will be given ample opportunity to be heard upon the subject of said assessments.

The Character of the work and improvement for which said assessments have been made is shown by the foregoing, and in general is the construction of said sewers and appurtenances (including house connections), and said system of sewerage and appurtenances; and the streets and avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assessments are those hereinabove particularly set forth.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 24th, 1898.
JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.
11 1 2 tu

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Undergoing a thorough renovation, and when completed the public will find this a first-class hotel in every respect. 10 27 tf

AUCTION OF HORSES

At Hand's Mountain avenue brickyard, North Plainfield,

Friday, November 4th,

1 o'clock. 11 1 3

TOWELING AND BEDSPREADS.

Process of their Manufacture at a Town Away Down in Maine.

Twenty-five miles of toweling! Ten hundred white bedspreads in one piece! Or even perpetual wash day from Monday morning till Saturday night. These things excite no remark at the Avon mill, Lewiston, where looms are kept busy the year round.

The yarn is sent to the beamer, who, with infinite pains, separates all tangles and starts the 2,700 threads evenly on the great iron beam, and sees that the machinery winds the threads evenly and close on the beam.

If ever any person since the day of Job deserved to be put into a story book to point a moral, it's a beamer. The careful eye, the cool temper, the steady hand and the unfailing patience required make Job a peevish, ill-natured invalid in comparison to the quiet, good-natured beamer.

But it's pretty nearly as hard on the weaver, for when a fresh beam is put on a loom each of the ends must be tied separately before the machinery can be started.

When the product of the looms have been sewed together till five miles of towels, or 500 or so quilts, are in one piece, this piece is run over rollers out into the room where every day is Monday, and is piled up on a platform in one corner. Then the system of rollers and pulleys is reversed and the fabric is drawn over the rollers into the bleaching vat, where it remains for two hours in a solution of chlorine, and is drawn into an empty tank overhead, where the chlorine drains off. Then the cloth is run through rollers, where clear water is forced upon it, then back to the boiling kier. When the kier is filled the soap and water are put in, and the kier kept boiling for eight or ten hours. Then a final rinse is given through the huge rollers, which squeeze the fabric nearly dry.

A part of the towels are so woven as to leave fringed ends, and these are quickly folded by the deft young woman who, from practice at the pile before her, folds as precisely as machinery. Another part is taken to the room where hemstitching is done in the twinkling of an eye.

Each quilt, before it is bleached, passes through the hands of two keen-eyed young women who snip away any knots of the fabric, or pull away any bit of waste that may be clinging to the bleaching, rinsing and boiling process.

When the quilts come from the bluing vat they are run through a more intricate system of beaten rollers on account of their larger size and heavier weight. Two young fellows, with knives sharper than a virago's tongue, then slash into the salvage of the long stretch of quilts with a reckless accuracy born of practice, and cut each quilt free from its fellows.—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

DOCTORING THE CHINESE.

An English Physician's Experience, Hospital of Ten Thousand Virtues.

Dr. Charles Wenyon, the famous medical missionary in China, says that medical science in China is not as advanced as it was in Rome two thousand years ago. The so-called doctors cannot tie an artery, open an abscess or reduce a dislocated limb. Every Chinaman has got something real or imaginary the matter with him, and there was great curiosity to see the methods of the foreigner; therefore, when Dr. Wenyon arrived there was no lack of patients. They came daily by the hundreds from far and near—from an area three or four times that of England. In seventeen years they numbered many thousands, and some of them, as Dr. Wenyon says, became the center of influence more or less favorable to western thought and western men. Dr. Wenyon has many curious stories to tell in connection with the medical work. The literati, who are the great instigators of riot and murder in China, declared that they ought to open a rival hospital, and they did open one. A staff of native "doctors" was found, and the building was called "The Hall of Ten Thousand Virtues." It was a splendid building, but somehow that did not assist the cures. Two afflicted friends came to Fatshan, and they decided one to go to Dr. Wenyon's hospital and the other to the rival place. In three weeks Dr. Wenyon's patient was well, and on going for his friend to the other hospital, found that he was dead. The doctor tried to console him by saying that they had buried him in a splendid coffin. "In fact, coffins were a great necessity at that hospital," says Dr. Wenyon. "When I went there I found that they had laid in a good stock. So the people came to us. It was a question of coming to our hospital for a cure, or going to the 'Hall of Ten Thousand Virtues' for a coffin. One day there came a stately gentleman, a learned man belonging to the upper classes, having a painful disorder needing surgical treatment. He hired a private room and I operated on him and in a fortnight he was well. He had not told me who he was, but before he went away he said: 'You might like to know who I am, and I want to tell you, because I am so grateful for being cured of this terrible disease. I am the head doctor of the Hall of Ten Thousand Virtues.'"—St. James Gazette.

"There's one good thing about these conceited people."

"What's that?"

"They don't come around and wear you out because they've got the blues."—Chicago Record.

Old Gentleman—Weren't you kissing my daughter when I came in?

Young Man—Yes, sir. Have you any apologies to make?—Truth.

Queer Notions of Beauty.

It is curious to note the queer ideas of beauty which characterize different nations. In Fiji, the native women paint their faces with red and white stripes as an ornament. The women of Greenland cover their faces with blue and yellow, while Arabian beauties stain their lips blue and their fingers and toes red.

The pearly teeth of the poet and novelist would not be valued by some of the Eastern and Polynesian nations. In Macassar the women paint their teeth red and yellow, in such a way that a red tooth follows a yellow one, and alternately. The teeth of the Tonquinese are as black as art can make them. The dyeing occupies three or four days, and is done to both boys and girls when they are about twelve years of age.

During the whole operation they never take any nourishment, for fear of being poisoned by the pigment if they swallowed what required mastication. Every person, high and low, rich and poor, is obliged to undergo this somewhat objectionable operation, as it is alleged that it would be a disgrace to human nature to have teeth white like those of dogs or elephants.

In Japan fashion compels married women to blacken their teeth, not, however, as an ornament, but to make them more ugly and save them from temptation.

The Sunda Islanders sometimes blacken all the teeth but two with burned cocoa-nut, covering the two excepted teeth with thin plates of gold or silver. The same tribe are in the habit of employing their old women to dress up the teeth of the youths and maidens at wooing times. The canine teeth are filed to a fine smooth edge, and the body of the tooth made concave, or they will notch the edge of the teeth like a fine saw as an additional means of beautifying.

This mutilation of the teeth is observed by many of the savage or uncivilized races in various parts of the world. In the Malay Archipelago the natives file their teeth into points like those of a saw, or pierce them with holes into which they insert studs. The Macassar people sometimes pull out two front teeth, in order to supply their place with teeth of pure gold or silver. Some African tribes knock out their front teeth, on the ground that they do not wish to look like beasts. On the Upper Nile four front teeth are always knocked out, but farther south only the two upper incisors are dispensed with.

In some parts of the world the shape of the head is of great importance. Many American Indians admire a head so extremely flattened as to appear to us idiotic. The natives of the northpointed cone, while the inhabitants of Arakhan admire a broad, smooth forehead, and in order to produce it they fasten a plate of lead on the head of the new-born children.

In some countries the feminine headgear is carried to singular extravagance. The Chinese lady carries on her head the figure of a bird, which is composed of copper or gold, according to the quality of the owner. The Myantse women carry on their heads a thin board, about a foot long and six inches broad. With this they cover their hair and seal it with wax.

With the Tahitians to be called "long-nose" is considered an insult, and they compress the noses and foreheads of their children for the sake of beauty. The same custom is prevalent among the Malays and the natives of Brazil. In some parts of the world the nose is pierced, rings, sticks, feathers, and other ornaments being inserted in the holes.

The ancient Egyptians and Assyrians used paint to make their eyebrows seem wider; the Arabians of the present day go a step farther in the use of paint. They endeavor to produce the impression that their eyebrows grow down to the middle of the nose and meet there. Persian women paint a black line around their eyes and ornament their faces with a variety of figures. The Indians of Paraguay eradicate their eyebrows and eyelashes, saying that they do not wish to look like horses.

In China and neighboring countries the finger-nails are allowed to grow to a monstrous length as a symbol of nobility, ladies wearing silver cases to protect them. In some parts of Africa yellow or purple nails are considered fashionable, while the Turkish women tinge their nails with a blue color.

Dainty Tea Cosey.

For the woman with a large circle of friends and therefore many little mementos and gifts to make it is none to early to start on the Christmas presents now, and suggestions and new ideas are always welcome.

The accompanying pattern for a tea

cosey is pretty. It is made of cream white satin with an applied design of pink crepe de chine poppies, with light green velvet leaves and buds. The hairy stems of the flowers are worked with silk. Above this design eccentric scrolls are couched, Japanese fashion heavy with gold thread each one ending with a gold pailette. A white and gold silk cording finishing the edges.

Land- und Leute aus der alten Heimath.

Württemberg.

Stuttgart. Dieser Tage wurde auf der sogenannten Planie zwischen dem alten Schloß und dem Waisenhause das Denkmal Kaiser Wilhelms des Ersten in feierlichster Weise enthüllt.—Hier tagte unter großer Betheiligung von Nah und Fern die Konferenz deutscher Sittlichkeitsvereine.

Cannstatt. Dem diesjährigen Volksfeste auf dem Wasen war die Witterung sehr günstig; nur am Nachmittag des letzten Tages beeinträchtigte Regen die allgemeine Festfreude. In herkömmlicher Weise betheiligte sich wieder der gesammte Hof an der Abhaltung des landwirthschaftlichen Hauptfestes. Der allgemeine Besuch auf dem Festplatze war stärker denn je; kolossale Mengen von Speisen und Getränken wurden konsumirt. Das auf dem Festplatz errichtete Postamt expedirte über 85,000 Ansichtspostkarten!

Ehingen. Wegen Brandstiftung sind die Bauern Stephan und Peter Walter von Neudorf verhaftet worden. Nun tritt hartnäckig das Gerücht auf, daß Stephan Walter, welcher auch Ziegelmeister ist, einen einarmigen Schäfer, der Ende der 70er Jahre spurlos aus Neudorf bei Rottenacker verschwand, erschlagen und in seinem Ziegelofen verbrannt habe. Gerichtliche Untersuchung ist deswegen bereits eingeleitet worden.

Göppingen. Seine goldene Hochzeit beging das Kirchenrath Rabbiner Herz'sche Ehepaar. Der Jubilar ist 83, seine Gattin 74 Jahre alt.

Hall. Zum Tode verurtheilt wurde vom hiesigen Schwurgericht der 30 Jahre alte ledige Bayer Felix Jakob von Neuenstein wegen Mordes, begangen an dem fürstlich hohenlohe'schen Forstwart Schmander von Rohrklinge. Jakob hatte dem ihm verhaßten Schmander im Walde aufgelauert und ihn durch zwei Schüsse in den Kopf getödtet. Die Geschworenen empfahlen den Verurtheilten der Gnade des Königs.

Langenargen. Hier versuchte ein bei der Bodenseegürtelbahn beschäftigt gewesener Arbeiter (Italiener), einen Materialwaarenzug mitten auf der Argenbrücke durch Anhäufen von Dielen und Steinen zum Entgleisen zu bringen. Maschinist und Heizer bemerkten rechtzeitig die große Gefahr und brachten den Zug zum Stehen. Der alsbald verhaftete Missethäter wurde der Staatsanwaltschaft übergeben.

Ulm. Die Strafkammer verurtheilte den Baumeister Mergner aus Göppingen und dessen Bauführer Pfeifer wegen fahrlässiger Tödtung zu Gefängnißstrafen von 14 Tagen und 2 Monaten. Beide hatten durch leichtfertige Bauführung den Zusammensturz eines im Umbau befindlichen Kellers in Göppingen verursacht, wobei ein Arbeiter getödtet und einer schwer verletzt wurde.

Baden.

Karlsruhe. Der Großindustrielle August Ruh, Theilhaber der bekannten Nähmaschinenfabrik Junker und Ruh, ist jüngst im besten Mannesalter gestorben. Er gehörte früher dem Bürgerausschuß und später dem Stadtrath als Mitglied an, auch war er seit einer Reihe von Jahren Handelsrichter.—Sämmtliche Ministerien haben dem badischen Handwerkerverband auf eine Eingabe ihre Bereitwilligkeit ausgesprochen, vorbehaltlich der Prüfung der einzelnen Fälle, aus Gründen der Billigkeit bei Ausbruch von Strikes oder Geschäftssperren bei den Arbeitern für den Staat Fristverlängerung zu gewähren und von konventionellen Strafen abzusehen.

Heidelberg. Neulich Nachts wurde der 86jährige Makler Windisch von Kirchheim auf der Strecke zwischen Leinen und Kirchheim von einem von Karlsruhe kommenden Zuge überfahren und war sofort todt.

Mannheim. Der frühere Student der Philosophie Karl Lambelet aus Weinheim verübte 17 Einbrüche in Heidelberg, Baden-Baden u. s. w. Die Strafkammer verurtheilte ihn zu zehn Jahren Zuchthaus.

Pforzheim. Der Vorsteher der hiesigen Reichsbank-Nebenstelle, Heyrich, wurde verhaftet. Es fehlten in der Kasse bei der Uebergabe des Bestandes an einen Vertreter 5000 Mark, welche sich Heyrich geständlich angeeignet hat.

Elsaß-Lothringen.

Hayingen. In der Nähe von hier wurde dem Fürsten Bismarck im Staatswalde eine Eiche geweiht. Dieselbe hat 3.50 Meter im Umfang und 1.10 Meter im Durchmesser. Sie stammt ungefähr, wie der große Mann, dessen Namen sie jetzt trägt, aus dem Jahre 1815 und ist ein gesunder Stamm. An ihrem Fuße wurde ein Steindenkmal errichtet, das auf eingelegter Gußplatte schwarz auf weißem Grunde nur den Namen „Bismarck" trägt. Die Weihe gestaltete sich zu einem kleinen Festakt, an dem besonders die Kriegervereine der umliegenden Dörfer theilnahmen.

Markirch. Auf sonderbare Weise kam der Lehrjunge eines Schlossermeisters daher um's Leben. Ein anderer Arbeiter holte gerade ein glühendes Eisen aus dem Feuer, um es auf dem Amboß zu schmieden, als der Lehrling rückwärts und gerade auf das glühende Eisen fiel. Dieses drang ihm tief in den Rücken und verletzte noch die Lunge. Der unglückliche Knabe starb bald darauf.

Oesterreich.

Wien. Zwischen der Gemeinde Wien und der englischen Gasgesellschaft wurde ein Uebereinkommen getroffen, nach welchem der Gasgesellschaft die Beleuchtung der Wiener Vororte unter der Bedingung überlassen wird, daß sie auf eine Steigerung der Gaspreise verzichtet.—Bei der Aufführung von Sardous „Pamela" im Volkstheater bat der die Rolle eines Polizisten spielende Schauspieler Weidinger in einem Zwischenakt den Administrator Geiringer um einen Vorschuß, erhielt aber statt dessen eine Ohrfeige. Der Beleidigte zog seinen Theatersäbel und hätte den gewaltthätigen Vorgesetzten übel zugerichtet, wenn ihm nicht andere Mimen in den Arm gefallen wären.

Budapest. In dem Hochverrathsprozesse Muzsik und Genossen wurde das Urtheil verkündet. Muzsik wurde wegen Anstiftung einer Verbindung zum Zwecke eines auf Majestätsbeleidigung gerichteten Verbrechens zu fünf Jahren Zuchthaus, Hartmann und Koras zu zwei Jahren Zuchthaus verurtheilt.

Innsbruck. In der Hinterriß verunglückte bei einer Treibjagd durch Absturz ein junger braver Bursche aus Scharnitz, Namens Sigmund Heiß. Zwei seiner Kollegen hatten die gefährliche Stelle bereits passirt. Auf ihre Frage, ob er nachzukommen sich getraue, erwiderte er lachend: „Ja!" In diesem Augenblick aber stürzte er auch schon in die furchtbare Tiefe. Nach einer anderen Aussage sei er von einem Steine, der durch eine flüchtige Gemse über ihm losgelöst worden war, am Kopfe getroffen worden und in Folge dessen in die Tiefe gestürzt.

Jung-Bunzlau. Der von hier mit Hinterlassung eines Defizits von 107,000 Gulden durchgebrannte Sparkassenrendant Wilden soll an Bord des Lloyddampfers „Kaiser Wilhelm der Große" in New York angekommen sein. Er reiste unter falschem Namen und in Gesellschaft zweier „Damen."

Steyr. In der hiesigen Gewehrfabrik sind 1200 Arbeiter an den Strike gegangen.

Unterradlberg. Ein auf unaufgeklärte Weise entstandener Brand zerstörte den größten Theil der hiesigen Hanfspinnerei und Bindfadenfabrik. Die Schadensziffer beträgt ungefähr 250,000 Gulden. Es werden dadurch circa 150 Arbeiter brodlos.

Weisenberg. Der Handwerker Huebes, der unvermuthet aus Amerika nach seiner hiesigen Heimath zurückkehrte, erschoß seine ihm inzwischen untreu gewordene Ehefrau und dann sich selbst.

Schweiz.

Bern. Der Bundesrath hat auf die Einladung der russischen Regierung, an einer Friedenskonferenz theilzunehmen, zustimmend geantwortet.—Die Führer Melchior und Kaspar Kohler, Heinrich Rieder und Albert Huggler haben dieser Tage den Aufstieg auf's Finsteraarhorn direkt vom Studerjoch über den Ostgrat ausgeführt. Der Aufstieg von der Oberaarjochhütte bis zum Gipfel dauerte gerade neun Stunden. An der schwierigsten Aufstiegstelle, etwa 20 Meter unterhalb des Gipfels, befestigten die Führer ein 30 Meter langes Seil, eine Arbeit, welche zwei Stunden in Anspruch nahm.

Zürich. Im Züricher Arbeiterquartier Außersihl wurden Nachts italienische Plakate von äußerst aufrührerischem Inhalt angeschlagen. Sie enthielten eine Drohung gegen den Bundesrath wegen seines Vorgehens gegen die Anarchisten, sowie die Aufforderung, das geheime Komite mit Geld zur Herausgabe eines neuen Anarchistenblattes zu unterstützen. Der Polizei gelang es, fünf Betheiligte zu verhaften.

Uri. Die Leiche des seit November 1895 vermißten Polytechnikers Julius Franellich aus Triest ist von Jägern tief unter dem Engelberger Rothstock gefunden und nach Isenthal gebracht worden. Wahrscheinlich ist er von einer Lawine in die Tiefe gerissen worden.

Nidwalden. Herr Bucher-Durrer hat das Restaurant und Pension „Helvetia" auf Bürgenstock käuflich erworben. Damit sind nun alle Etablissements auf Bürgenstock unter die gleiche Leitung vereinigt.

Wallis. Ein 15jähriges Mädchen aus Biel feierte kürzlich seinen Geburtstag auf dem 4482 Meter hohen Matterhorn, das es mit zwei Führern und anderen Bergsteigern glücklich bezwungen hatte.

Genf. Die Polizei in Basel verhaftete den Italiener Giovanni Gilo, der in dem Verdachte steht, einige Tage vor der Ermordung der Kaiserin Elisabeth zu Luccheni Beziehungen unterhalten zu haben. Gilo wurde sofort von Basel nach Genf übergeführt, hier verhört und in das Untersuchungsgefängniß verbracht.

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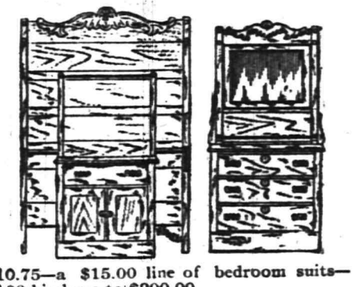

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St, at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 10 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 07, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 11, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 32, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 25, 5 36, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 20, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 8 45, 8 06 9 55, a. m; 2 08, 3 59, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 30, 1 45, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 26, 6 05, 6 06, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 26, 6 33, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 8 06 a. m.; 3 05 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 20 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 26 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 5 37, 6 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, a. m; 1 13, 3 46, 5 32, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 5 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 5 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a.m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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A boy went to Mr. Sage to get his advice. He was very bright, self-reliant youth, and he honestly wished for Mr. Sage's opinion. The rich man talked to him more openly than it is likely that he would have talked to a man.

The youth first met Mr. Sage coming out of his office, and requested an interview. The financier said that he was very busy that day, and he wasn't sure that he could spare time any day.

The boy went back to the office again and persuaded the cashier to admit him to Mr. Sage's room. The millionaire was tipped back in a chair his feet resting against a radiator. He was examining the tape of a stock ticker.

"I have come," said the caller, "to ask you about things that are of deep interest to me and to all young men just starting out on their careers. Will you try to answer them as if you were advising your own sons."

"Why, yes; I'll answer them to the best of my ability," he replied.

"What are the opportunities for boys to get rich nowadays? Are there as many opportunities as there were fifteen or twenty years ago?"

"Of course there are," responded Mr. Sage with energy. "There are chances now to make money in some thing besides real estate. There are more men in the field now, but the field is wider. I think that there is as great a chance for boys to get rich now as there was fifteen or even twenty-five years ago. At any rate there is always room for bright young men. Conditions never change in that respect."

RUSSELL SAGE.

"Do you think that there is any one business or profession that offers more opportunities than the others? There is a complaint met with everywhere about overcrowding."

"I do not think there is any one special avenue which offers chances better than others. It depends largely upon the man."

"What about your business, Mr Sage? Is there an opening in it for a bright young man?"

The financier chuckled in his peculiar way and took his feet down from the radiator. He was becoming interested. He looked at the quotations which may or may not have meant much to him, before he answered.

"Yes," he said, "I believe that my line still offers opportunities for young men to get wealth. But I won't say that it offers better chances than any other business. You must know that it is not every young man who can make it a success."

Again Mr. Sage looked at the ticker and his thoughts flew away. His questioner asked him how he had started in life, particularly about his boyhood, of which almost nothing has ever been printed.

"Well, I started out very young," replied the man who is worth more than $40,000,000. "I was only fifteen years old when I began as a clerk in a store. I slaved in that store for four years. When I was nineteen I started in business for myself.

"And you have never worked for any one but yourself since?"

"No; I have been my own employer ever since."

There was a suggestion of triumph in Mr. Sage's tone. It was plain that the thought gave him great satisfaction.

"Did you have many hard struggles before you reached the top of the ladder?"

"I had many hard knocks. Every young man must expect that when he starts out."

"How long did you go to school? What kind of an education did you have?"

"I educated myself," was the reply, and again that shade of triumph was in his voice. "I used to study at night and got my knowledge at odd times. I belonged to a debating society, too. I used to be one of the best speakers in the club."

This will surprise many people who are familiar only with the later years of Mr. Sage's life. It surprised the boy, who had read a deal about him. He said something about Mr. Sage giving up public speaking.

"No," returned Mr. Sage, "I kept up public speaking for many years, until I became so old that my voice weakened.

"Do you think a boy should have any special training for a business career?"

"No. All knowledge comes in handy when you are in an office. I did a lot of general reading when I was a boy and I have never regretted it."

"Would you advise a young man to go to college if he can?"

"A college education comes in handy in the way that I have mentioned. It adds to the young man's fund of general knowledge. Most young men could spend four years to better advantage, though."

"What would you suggest as a good investment for a young man's savings?" he was asked. "You know that there are thousands of young men who have saved from $50 to $100 who are at a loss to know what to do with it. Is there any way in which so small a sum can be invested?"

"Certainly. There are a number of ways in which a young man can place his money so that it will yield him a good return. He could buy one share in a good railroad stock or the shares of some solid bank would be a good thing. If he hasn't money enough to buy a whole share he can find some companies which sell half and even quarter shares. But he must be very careful. Let him be sure that it is perfectly good stock and that he is in no danger of losing his capital. When he makes a profit on the principal he may be a little more reckless, perhaps. But no young man should ever lose his principal, for if he does, he must start all over again."

"Then you don't believe in the axiom, 'Nothing risk, nothing gain?'"

"That's all very well, but you must never risk your principal."

The caller said that he had been sometimes asked to invest a few dollars in speculating in corn and wheat and stock.

"Don't ever do it," said Mr. Sage vigorously. "You would lose everything."

"If a young man saves his money and invests in one or two good shares at a time, there is no reason why he should not be rich, is there?"

"None in the world, but few youths realize that," declared the financier.

There was a point which troubled the young man seeking advice. He asked Mr. Sage if he thought honesty was necessary in order to succeed in business and if most millionaires were honest.

"Why, of course a man must be honest in his dealings, or he would soon cease to be trusted by those with whom he does business," declared Mr. Sage. "The millionaires of to-day must have been honest or they would not be rich. It is impossible for a dishonest man to stay rich any length of time."

Another thing that bothered the young man was put in the form of a question:

"Do millionaires sometimes feel that their wealth is a burden and that they would rather not have so much money?"

"Do I look as if my money was a burden?" asked Mr. Sage. "Wealth cannot become a burden unless it is foolishly invested. When you have your money in safe hands it cannot help being a comfort. To me, of course, it is a pleasure. I might have been as happy without it, but I would not care to make the experiment."

He laughed heartily at the suggestion and then his face sobered. "I knew once what it was to be without it," he said, "and that is why I am not making a show with it now."

When Mr. Sage dismissed his caller he invited the young man to come again, saying: "I will be glad to talk with you. I take a great interest in boys."

It is interesting to know how this man, about whom so many hard things are said in Wall street, impressed the youth who had gone to him for advice.

"I shall always remember him as a kind and fatherly old gentleman," says the boy, "who took a deep and genuine interest in me and in all boys. He gave me time that I am sure was worth a lot of money and out of pure good will and generosity."

There are no boys in Russell Sage's home, no children at all. The lonely old man has long passed the three score and ten allotted to man. Standing in the shadow of declining years, perhaps the sorrow of his childless life makes him feel a tender interest in other people's boys.

How the Brahmin Cleans His Teeth.

When the Brahmin cleans his teeth he must use a small twig cut from one of a number of certain trees, and before he cuts it he must make his act known to the gods of the woods.

He must not indulge in this cleanly habit every day. He must abstain on the sixth, the eighth, the ninth, the fourteenth, the fifteenth, and the last day of the moon, on the days of new and full moon, on the Tuesday in every week, on the day of the constellation under which he was born, on the day of the week and on the day of the month which correspond with those of his birth, at an eclipse, at the conjunction of the planets, at the equinoxes and other unlucky epochs, and also on the anniversary of the death of his father or mother.

Anyone who cleans his teeth with his bit of stick on any of the above mentioned days will have hell as his portion.

Citizen—"They say that opposite dispositions attract wan another. Do yez believe ut?"

Riley—"Shure an' Oi do thot. Oi nivvir kin meet an Orangeman widout clinching wid him on th' shpot."

A TELESCOPIC VIEW.

The cub having gone off to Switzerland to look for Mousie (and to propose to her), I informed William that it was my intention to return to town without delay.

So William said,—

"Then I shall come and stay with you."

I let him come. I knew why he wanted to come. He wanted to come because he wanted to pay calls at the Jungle and see Miss Ethel Mainwaring. William, therefore, accompanied me, and it soon became clear to me that his visit was to be one of some duration. However, as he spent most of his time hovering between Lord's and the Jungle—partaking of many meals at the latter address—his stay did not put me to much expense which was gratifying, as my income though quite sufficient for one single gentleman, will not stand being divided between two single gentlemen. I have often remarked to the cashier of the London-German that it is strange how badly off most writers on finance are—the irony of fate, I presume—but his sole reply is, "I zubboze it is beges they bragtiss vot they breach," and pays little regard to my wistful glances in the direction of his strong box.

The foregoing sentences are supposed to represent a period of rather more than three weeks. I was making some humorous remarks about a company which had been started to insure young married men against twins when there came two slow knocks at the door—two lifeless knocks, two abjectly miserable knocks. Mr Charles Johnson, the clerk, knew who it was. He is in love himself with a young lady in a Fleet Street tea shop and sympathizes with the cub. Accordingly, therefore, as a trained nurse did Mr. Johnson open the door, and he was with and air of the deepest condolence that he ushered Master John Mainwaring into my presence.

"Oh, how are you?" I cried cheerfully.

"Ripping; thanks," he replied, in a tone such as 'condemned murderers' would use in reply to Mr. Billington's greeting.

Then he flung himself into a chair and laughed bitterly.

"I wish I were dead—dead!" he then remarked.

This was getting serious. Here was a young gentleman, aged twenty-three possessed of independent means, splendid health and all those other things which make life worth living, don't you know, wishing he were no more—wishing he were a cold corpse.

I knew, of course. Getting up, I marched into Charles Johnson's sculllery office to find that blushing youth deep in a penny booklet, entitled "Wooed, Won and Wed; or, True Love Triumphs O'er All." I gave Mr. Johnson some directions, and presently he came in with two steaks, a mountain of vegetables and a large bottle of Lord Bass.

"Now, Mainwaring," I said, "I'll say grace to save time, and you see to."

He demurred at first, but finally allowed himself to be persuaded. When the cub had finished, I said, as he lit his pipe,—

"So she won't have you?"

To my surprise, he did not do or say anything violent, but went on lighting his pipe. I was inwardly congratulating myself on the success of the measures I had taken in order to disperse the cub's funeral ideas when he suddenly remarked,—

"This is my last pipe."

"Going to train for something then?"

"This is the last pipe I shall ever smoke."

"You'll find it difficult to give up tobacco so suddenly."

He puffed solemnly for a few moments, and then, pointing with the stem of his brier to the cleared decks he said,—

"I have eaten my last meal."

It now struck me that there was something more than mere training in the cub's self-abnegation. There was that in his cold-blooded speeches which chilled me, which produced a curious sensation in my scalp, which would doubtless have caused my hair to stand on end had the quantity there been sufficient to undergo the process. I gazed at him with a paling face.

For quite three minutes he said nothing, but smoked steadily. Feeling thoroughly uncomfortable, I took up my pen and began to write. I had hardly covered a line, however, when the cub observed in an off-handed tone,—

"In short, I am going to kill myself."

"Nonsense!"

I was determined not to take him seriously, you see.

"Yes," he continued. "Either with this"—drawing a little white bottle labelled poison from his waistcoat pocket—"this"—producing a razor from the depths of the inside breast pocket of his coat—"or this"—whipping, with a dexterity that would have done credit to Mr. Maskelyne, a tiny revolver out of some other part of his apparel.

"You are well provided," I said chaffingly, although I felt nervous at being in such proximity to so deadly an outfit.

"Yes," he said, toying with the revolver. "I am going to make sure of it. I shall first swallow the poison, then cut my throat and then shoot myself through the brain."

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finger, and, uncorking the bottle, sniffed at its contents with an evident relish.

I turned cold to my finger tips. Great Heaven! Was it all a dream? I rubbed my eyes and gazed at the cub. No, it was grim reality, every bit of it. The girl had refused him, and so he had concluded that the best way out of his misery was to commit suicide.

The tobacco began to hiss and burn in the bottom of his pipe bowl. His last smoke was drawing to a close. And then——

I threw him my pouch.

"More 'baccy?"

He placed it politely on the edge of the desk.

"No, thanks—finished now." And he rose from his chair and walked to the window. "I should just like to take a last look at the sun shining on the trees."

I suppose I moved, for he wheeled around like lightning.

"If you attempt to interfere with me," he said, with the same unnatural calm in his voice and manner, "I'll shoot you first, Worm, and myself afterward. So pray be careful."

"Put it off for a few minutes," I begged him. "I want to talk to you. Just tell me what has happened."

"I'm not in any particular hurry," he observed, reseating himself, "and I have no objection to telling you what has happened. But nothing you can say will alter my determination. This thing must be—I say must be." And he patted the pocket which contained the poison.

"Well, go ahead," I urged him. "Just tell me what you did after you left us so suddenly in the Doone valley."

"No need to detail the journey," he muttered; "just a sheep walk—every one goes the same way. I made tracks for Southampton, caught the night boat for Havre, went on to Rouen, thence to Paris, Paris to Geneva, and there I was."

"And then, of course, you took Mousie—I beg pardon, Miss Rathbone—by surprise, proposed to her again, heap, and got rejected, as was quite natural. You can't rush a thing like that."

"I did not meet Miss Rathbone," said the cub coldly, "and I did not propose to her. Getting to Geneva was one thing, but finding her was quite another. People go to Geneva and make excursions all round the shops. I found out the hotel at which she was stopping, and tried to get rooms there myself, but it was full up. This was why I constantly missed her—she was always going off somewhere, and whenever I followed her she always caught the train or boat that I just missed. So, although I dodged about for a fortnight, I didn't meet her once. The amount of money I spent chasing about and making inquiries and tipping people was something appalling, but of course I didn't mind that."

"Well," I said, "I don't see why you should kill yourself because you missed her in Switzerland."

"Let me go on," said the cub, sternly, "and then you'll understand why. Just as I was thinking of giving it up and coming home I heard that she and her party had gone to Chamouni, with the intention of ascending Mount Blanc. Of course—just my luck—I was a train and a coach behind, as you go to Cluses by train and then coach on to Chamouni. When I finally got there, I was told that the party I was in search of had started up some hours before. I asked whether it wouldn't be possible to catch them up, but the great fool of a guide I was talking to just laughed and made a face. Then he told me that I could watch them through a telescope, but as for catching them up that was impossible. "Well," continued the cub. "I paid my money and the telescope chap put me on to them at once. He said they were nearly four thousand feet above the valley, but I could see them as plainly as if they were only fifty yards away. There were five or six people. Just as I had got my eyes on Mousie a great fat Johnnie who was walking a few yards behind her actually went up, and—and——"

The cub paused.

"Go on," I said. "What did he do?"

"Why"—with heaving chest and glaring eyes—"he put his arm inside hers and began talking and laughing as if he'd known her all her life!"

"And what did she do?"

"Talked and laughed back."

"Well?"

"Well, isn't that enough? She's engaged to him—slap home and here I am. It's all over. In five minutes I shall be dead!"

I started from my chair.

"There must be some mistake," I exclaimed. "The man you saw was evidently a relative."

"I know all the members of her family," said the cub, "and there's no man like that in it. No; she's engaged. I don't care to live any longer."

"Look here, Jack," I said desperately "let me make some inquiries. I give you my solemn word of honor that I won't say anything about your—er—intentions. Let me go to your place and try to find out the truth of the matter. Trust me not to give you away."

The sun shone out gayly just then. Perhaps the cub thought it a pity to leave it so suddenly. At any rate he said,—

"I won't do anything until you come back—I swear it. Now go!"

So off I went post haste to the Jungle, and when I returned with the news that a relative the cub had never heard of had suddenly returned he was willing to live long enough to try his luck, and succeeded.

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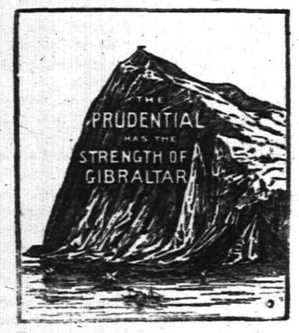

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—Woodhull & Martin's special sale seem to have struck the popular chord among the shopping public of this city. Another one is advertised in today's Press. It will be well for the women to look over the advertisement on the fourth page.

—The sidewalk in front of Woodhull & Martin's looked like that of some large jobbing house today. The firm were opening their holiday goods and from the quantities received we should judge they would be able to supply the two counties with everything in that line.

Claims Bullman Took Her Jewelry.

Summons in tort have been issued by Justice Mosher in the case of Mrs. Annie Clarkson, of New York, against Charles Bullman, of Third place. The case was to have come to trial yesterday morning, but as Bullman seems to have left the State, and taken all his household goods with him, the summons has not been served on him personally. The plaintiff claims that the defendant took a watch and ring belonging to her, and has not returned them. Counsellor W. K. McClure represents Mrs. Clarkson.

George Tobin's Brother is Dead.

George Tobin, of this city, received word this morning telling him of the death of his brother, Joseph Tobin, of New York, which occurred very suddenly during the night. Death was due to acute gastritis. Mr. Tobin had been ill for sometime, but it was thought that he would recover. He was a valued employe of the Custom House in New York, where he had been employed for a long time. Announcement of the funeral services will be made later.

Went to a Party in Stages.

A jolly party of young people, mostly from the Seventh-Day Baptist church, enjoyed a ride to Mt. Pleasant last night in two large stages, and enjoyed a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Ida Randolph. The evening was passed with games, music and refreshments. There were about forty young people in the party.

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Captain Phillips' Counsel Appears in Court in His Behalf.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 1.—An argument took place here yesterday morning in the Union County Court before Judge VanSyckel, in the case of Captain George W. Phillips, of Plainfield, who was recently mulcted $250 in a suit for defamation of character brought against him by Miss Sarah O'Brien, a young woman of Plainfield. Frank Bergen, counsel for Captain Phillips, wants the verdict set aside on the ground that it was contrary to the evidence. Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, of Plainfield, who appeared for Miss O'Brien, opposed Mr. Bergen's theory. Judge VanSyckel reserved his decision.

A Dunellen Marriage.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Irving Beetham, of Greenbrook, to Alexander Frazee, formerly a resident of the borough. The wedding took place at the home of Rev. E. S. Jamison, pastor of the Dunellen M. E. church. Mr. Jamison performed the ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Walker, of Greenbrook. After the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Frazee came to this city, where they took a train for Brooklyn, where they will reside.

Information for Pensioners.

Orders have been received from the Pension Bureau that all pension certificates must be exhibited on the fourth of each quarter, vouches signed in the presence of the magistrate, and the oath administered at that time. If this order be not strictly complied with it will be it void andevery one will be prosecuted.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

R. A. Frey has accepted a position as bookkeeper in D. C. Ivins & Co.'s coal office.

Mrs. Henry VanName, of Elmwood place, has secured a new wheel to take the place of the one which was stolen recently.

Chivalry of the "Slums."

A touching story is told of an Edinburgh street waif. There was a Christmas treat given to poor children at a mission hall, and hundreds of little ones were assembled at the doors in advance of the hour of admittance, many of them barefoot.

Among the number was a sweet-faced little girl, who seemed less hardened than most to the cold, for she shivered in her poor jacket and danced from one foot to the other on the cold, hard stones. A boy not much older watched this performance for a few minutes, and then, with a sudden impulse of protection, took off his cap, put it down before her, and said:

"Ye maun stand on that."—Christian Endeavor World.

Pointed Paragraphs.

The more bread the baker makes the more he needs.

Weather strips will soon be classed as long felt wants.

The early milkman catches a glimpse of a woman's true complexion.

No man who ignores small things ever accomplishes any very great ones.

A few men "think," others "guess," some "fancy," while still others "reckon."

It must be hard on the fingers of the jolly mute who is always cracking jokes.

The end of one man's failures is oftentimes the beginning of another man's success.

It always makes a man feel cheap to be caught looking at a photograph of himself.—Chicago News.

Elsie was trying to eat a dessert of gelatine, and had some difficulty in conveying the quivering spoonful to her mouth. "Mamma," she said at length, "I don't b'lieve I like such nervous desserts."—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

PUSSY IN OUR NAVY.

The Government Makes Regular Appropriations for the Cats.

When Major General Merritt sailed from San Francisco he asked the government authorities for three cats to take to Manila. Probably the trio of American felines are now teaching Yankee habits to their misguided fellows of the islands, for it was Major General Merritt's intention to send them ashore when he landed. The cats came from the commissary depot in San Francisco, and their progenitor may be seen there any day, busied among the barrels and boxes or dozing lazily in some snug corner.

It is not generally known, says the San Francisco Chronicle, that the government spends several thousands of dollars annually for the maintenance of cats, but the accounts of the United States depot commissaries prove it. In every storehouse there are from one to five of the animals, and their rations are provided as carefully and regularly as those of any of the gallant soldiers.

They are not fed on scraps, nor are their individual tastes disregarded, as are those of the enlisted men, but they are allotted so many pounds of choice beef or any other delicacy their palates may desire. Of course they may have as much game as they wish, and the storehouses seldom fail to furnish an unlimited supply of rats and mice. That the cats save many times their cost of support is well known, as such supplies as crackers, cheese, bacon, flour and meal are much sought after by the rodents.

Some time ago a new attache of the warehouse procured a terrier and installed him in the territory of "The Colonel," who is the father of the animals Major General Merritt took with him. The next morning the dog was found beside two dead rats, badly scarred, while "The Colonel" guarded five with a pride that spoke in the severe arch of his back and his loud meows. The terrier was forthwith removed.

All men-of-war carry cats. Their usefulness is never more apparent than on shipboard. The writer was crossing from Antwerp to New York on the steamship Southwark, when he was awakened by the sudden stopping of the ship, an occurrence which, happening in mid-ocean, generally means something serious. The passengers rushed on deck half clad, and were disgusted to learn that a rat having crawled into the cylinder had caused the halt. Such an action on a man-of-war in time of action might be fearfully paid for, and an active cat is the only preventative of such a possibility.

A Veritable Napoleon.

"That shows what you can do in this country," said the man with the loud voice, as he rang up a nickel with a view to stopping the car. "John's one of the most remarkable self-made men we ever had in Wayne county."

"Is that true?"

"I should say so. Wonderful man! Why, that fellow came here twenty years ago with $50 and last week he failed for a round half million. Beats the band what a rustler can do in this country."—Detroit Free Press.

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Fresh Jersey Pork, 10c lb.	Meat and Link Sausage, 10c lb.

Best Sugar Cured Hams	9c. lb.
Small California Hams	7c. lb.
Legs of Choice Lamb	14c. lb.

Fresh Eggs, 16c doz	Best Elgin Creamery, 23c lb

1-2 lb Tin Breakfast Cocoa	16c.
Sweet Chocolate, per cake	3c.
Globe Brand Condensed Milk	6c can.

Chinese Ironing Wax, (with handle) 1c each	Choice New String Beans, 5c can.

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SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS

PLEASE READ THIS.

You probably voted for McKinley & Hobart or Palmer & Buckner two years ago because you were opposed to the dangerous folly of coining gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Has anything occurred since to convince you that your vote was a mistake?

The question is a vital issue in this campaign. If the Bryan wing of the Democratic party shall succeed in electing a majority of the next House of Representatives the great advantage gained by the election in 1896 will be lost. Uncertainty, depression in business and ruinous financial conditions are certain to follow.

THE PLATFORMS.

The National Republican Convention at St. Louis on June 17, 1896, declared:

"We are opposed to the free coinage of silver except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, and until such agreement be obtained the existing gold standard must be preserved."

The Democratic platform adopted at Chicago, July 8, 1896, declared:

"We demand the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the aid or consent of any other nation."

THE JEFFERSONIAN DOCTRINE.

On the 7th of May, 1896, a Democratic Convention was held at Trenton for the purpose of electing delegates to the Chicago Convention. On that day the Democrats of New Jersey, by their representatives in convention, declared:

"We are in favor of a firm, unvarying maintenance of the present gold standard. We are opposed to the free coinage of silver at any ratio, and to the compulsory purchase of silver bullion by the government. We believe that the interests of the people demand that the earnings of trade, agriculture, manufacture and commerce, and especially the wages of labor, should be paid in money of the greatest intrinsic value and of the highest standard adopted by the civilized nations of the world. We are, therefore, unalterably opposed to all devices and schemes for the debasement of our currency."

That was adopted two months before the Chicago Convention.

THE POPULIST DOCTRINE.

On the 9th of September, 1896, two months after the Chicago Convention, a Democratic Convention met in Trenton for the purpose of nominating presidential electors. At that convention the following declaration was made:

"The Democratic party of New Jersey, in convention assembled, ratify and endorse the National Democratic platform adopted at Chicago and the candidates named thereon, the Hon. William J. Bryan of Nebraska, and the Hon. Arthur Sewall of Maine, and hereby pledge our honest, earnest and hearty endeavor to secure the election of these, our candidates; we insist that the platform adopted at Chicago is thoroughly Democratic and purely American, and with its enforcement we firmly believe that relief will come to the toiling masses and will advance the general prosperity of our country."

This is the doctrine that was repudiated by the people of New Jersey at the election in 1896 by a plurality of 87,692.

In the present campaign an effort is being made to commit the sound money Democrats of New Jersey to the Chicago platform and the declaration of September 9, 1896. Eight members of Congress are to be elected in November, and a legislature that must elect a United States Senator in January.

The Democratic Convention held in Trenton last September is silent on this great issue involved in the election of members of Congress.

During the past few months Democratic Conventions have been held in 41 States, and each convention adopted a platform. Ten of those platforms declared in favor of free and unlimited coinage of silver; twelve declared in favor of free silver and the Chicago platform; four endorsed the Chicago platform; six, including New Jersey, were silent on the silver question, and dodged the Chicago platform; three declared in favor of free silver and fusion; three favored free silver and partial fusion, and three declared in favor of fusion only.

Not a single Democratic Convention held this year has declared in favor of Sound Money.

FREE SILVER IS THE ISSUE OF 1898.

"The silver question, or more properly the question of bimetalism, upon which the presidential campaign of 1896 was mainly fought, is still the leading and predominant issue in American politics. Nothing has happened to lessen its importance or to shake the arguments of those who believe that the best interests of the country demand that silver shall be restored to its former position by the side of gold in the monetary system of the United States, regardless of what any other country may do or refuse to do. So far from being a 'dead issue,' as is so loudly proclaimed by those who wish it dead, its significance is intensified by the conditions which exist and the attitude which has lately been assumed by the leaders of the Republican party."—*Democratic Campaign Book of 1898 Prepared by Democratic Congressional Committee.*

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Very Special Announcements!

On Saturday, October 29th,

at 8 a. m., we will hold at our store, at 214 West Front street, next door to Music Hall,

A Special Manufacturers' Sale
of
Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's
Fine Clothing

consisting of high-grade fall and winter suits, overcoats, ulsters, reefers, trousers, etc., respresenting a value of over $16,000. This extensive offering is a combination of leading New York City, Boston and Rochester manufacturers, who, owing to the lateness of the season, have asked us to dispose of their large surplus stock of merchandise, to which we invite your attention. Remember that every garment bears the name of the maker, and in order to give the public an idea af the marvelous bargains to be had here, a few prices are here mentioned.

Men's melton cass fall suits that are sold in any and every store at $12 to $14, can be had here at $4 75. English diagonal dress suits worth $18 go at $7.50 Elegant imported worsted Prince Albert silk and satin lined suits at $8.90, worth $22. Men's business suits, strictly all wool, latest designs, worth $10, at $3 50. Men's fancy silk striped trousers worth $4 50, at $1.90. Men's fancy dress trousers at $2 50, worth $6. Boys' suits worth $4 at $1 45. Men's elegant fall overcoats, some silk and satin lined, $4.50 and $5.50, worth $13 Nobby youths' suits $4, worth $9.50. English fall top coats, silk or satin lined, $6 75, worth $18. Men's cheviot sack suits worth $14 at $4.75. Imported Vienna English box fall and winter overcoats, lined with heavy twill silk, $7.25, worth $19. Foreign wide wale worsted dress suits, silk faced, worth $22, at $8.90, Double or single breasted cheviot suits at $5.90, worth $12. Men's elegant cassimere frock suits at $7.50, worth $17. Men's heavy blue cloth double breasted suits at $8 40, worth $16. Men's blue kersey overcoats $6 90, worth $15. Young men's dress suits $5.75, worth $14. Men's melton cassimere pants 90c., worth $2. Men's imported clay diagonal dress suits, silk lined, worth $21, at $8 50 And thousands of other extraordinary bargains not mentioned here to be sold in the next 8 days at less than 50 per cent of the cost of making.

Cut this out and bring it with you. Come early and avoid the rush. Make no mistake in the place—look for No. 214 West Front street, next door to Music Hall. This big consignment of manufacturers' clothing must be sold and sale will remain open every night through the week until 9 p. m. and Saturdays until 11 p. m. Carfare paid to all out-of-town buyers.

Remember, sale begins Saturday, Oct. 29th, at 8 a. m. sharp, rain or shine.

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Prices That Sell Shoes.

It takes just as much time for you to buy "shoddy" shoes as to buy good ones, and often costs you as much as you would pay for the better kinds. Then think of the wear! How about the cost then? But we buy so as to sell, and sell so as to sell you again.

See our Men's Shoes for $3.00 and $4.00.
See our Women's Shoes for $2.00 and $3.00.
Most stores will charge you 50c. to $1 more for same goods.

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SPECIAL SALE!

N. Y. State Apples, per barrel	$2.50.
Finest Jersey Hams, lb	.09.
3-lb. can Baked Beans, 4 for	.25.
Magnolia Flour, per bag	.57.

Now is the time to put in your potatoes. We have a car of the finest, and prices way down. Our Teas and Coffees speak for themselves—the way the trade increases on them.

J. F. MacDonald, Uptown Grocer.

PUTNAM & DE GRAW.

Men's Fleeced Wool Underwear	50c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets from	10c. up.
Men's heavy Wool and Buck Gloves, all prices.	
Ladies' Black Satine Skirts.	
Ladies' and Children's Underwear, best goods, low prices.	

SOAP.

All kinds of Soap	5 Cents to $1.00 per Cake.
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Pears' Soap	
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FOOTBALL TOPICS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

The Plainfield Eleven Practicing for Election Day Game.

WHERE MEN WILL PLAY.

A GOOD STRONG ALL-AROUND TEAM BEING MADE-UP.

Practice Held on Westervelt Avenue Grounds Last Night—Candidates for Various Positions—Great Hustling for Tickets for the Yale-Princeton Game Saturday, November 12th—Other Notes

The Plainfield eleven will continue its practice for the election day game Thursday and Friday evenings at the Westervelt avenue grounds. Such of the players as can turn out Saturday afternoon, will meet at Martine's field for a little practice punting and catching punts in which they are deficient at present.

The Plainfield team met for practice last evening at the Westervelt avenue grounds and continued its work by electric light. Manager T. U. Smith had a big squad out. Almost all of the team he has selected was out together with nearly a score of others. Good work was done and the lineups were quick and snappy. The backs held the ball better and there was not so much fumbling. The interference was a trifle ragged but good coaching will round that into shape before the game.

There has been considerable discussion on the centre position in the line for the Plainfield team in the election day game. T. A. Cuming has played there but he is not up to the weight of the usual centre. The other principal candidate is Nathan E. Lewis, centre on the Stevens Institute eleven. With two such giant guards as Milne and Brown, it seems that Cuming will be able to more than hold his own at centre despite his light weight and it has been definitely decided to place him there. Lewis is needed at tackle where his weight will greatly strengthen the line. There was some talk of trying Cuming behind the line but there is now plenty of material for the backs.

The ends for the election day game will probably be Fletcher Hallock and Volney F. Green. Hallock is playing a brilliant game there in practice and has done wonderful work breaking up interference. Green is just home from the war and is strong, quick and brings increased weight. Before he left, Green had the reputation of being one of the best ends in this section although very light. He is much heavier now and is as speedy as ever.

There is a great hustling among the local football enthusiasts to secure tickets for the Yale-Princeton game which is to be played at Princeton, November 12th. Some of the Plainfield boys at both colleges have received quantities of requests for tickets. Now each of the college boys is limited to four tickets so it can be seen that none of them will be able to do more than supply their intimate friends. There are plenty of tickets yet, however, for a great stand capable of holding twenty thousand has been put up just for the game.

The first of the great football games among the leading colleges will be played Saturday at Philadelphia when the Pennsylvania-Harvard game will be played. Several Plainfielders are preparing to go over.

Solemn High Mass to Be Said

The funeral services of the late Jos. Tobin, who died in New York day before yesterday, will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at St. Ann's R. C. church on Twelfth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, New York, where there will be solemn high mass. The body will arrive in Plainfield on the 1 o'clock train tomorrow afternoon and interment will take place immediately afterwards in St. Mary's cemetery. There will be carriages awaiting the arrival of the relatives and friends.

Home From Europe.

Charles E. Brooks, of West Eighth street, returned yesterday from Europe on the Steamship Friesland. He reports having had a pleasant time, but the return trip was quite stormy, there being a very heavy head wind.

The New Fire House.

In another month the new fire engine house in the West End will be completed and possession will be taken. The officials have not yet decided just what apparatus will be stationed in that part of the city.

Registration is Large.

Yesterday was the last day for registry in the city, and in each of the wards several names were added to the list. In each case the number registered is large, and in the main exceeds that of last year.

INTEREST IN DEMOCRATS.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION TO BE FORMED TONIGHT.

All Democrats Will be Welcomed—A Plan to be Reported That Will Result in Interesting Every Member of Party.

All Democrats who feel an interest in the welfare of the party and especially in the success of the organization efforts that have been inaugurated, as described in The Daily Press last night, will be welcomed at the meeting to be held in Councilman Moffett's office on North avenue this evening when the permanent plans will be decided upon. Without the hearty co-operation of all Democrats, those who have taken the initiative steps in the reorganization plans realize that their purposes will be fruitless. It is the desire to have as many present at the meeting tonight as possible, and judging from the interest evidenced at the informal conference Monday evening there will be plenty of party enthusiasts on hand tonight.

The committee appointed to formulate a suitable constitution and by-laws have performed their duty and will be ready to report this evening. They have formulated a plan that, it is expected, will prove the rejuvenation of party activity in local affairs. After the constitution and by-laws have been adopted the permanent organization will be effected. Officers will be chosen and the machinery set in motion to put the Democrats upon a sounder footing than has been the case in some years past.

The organization plans of the Democrats have aroused a great deal of interest among the Republican leaders. They are anxiously awaiting to see the developments, because with an active Democratic organization they will not have that serene feeling of security that has heretofore characterized their path in Plainfield.

HOME FOR EPILEPTICS.

NEW STATE INSTITUTION LOCATED ON MAPLEWOOD FARM.

Unfortunate Victims of Epilepsy Will Now Have a Place Where Their Peculiar Malady Will Get Attention.

The State village for epileptics will be established soon at Maplewood Farm, situated near Princeton and about two miles from Skillman station. The farm of 187 acres was owned by the family of the late David C. Voorhees up to the date of the purchase by the State Board of New Jersey appointed by Gov. Voorhees under an act of the last Legislature, to establish a State village for epileptics. The proposed village was the outgrowth of an investigation of the State commissioners appointed by Gov. Werts, whose attention was directed to the unfortunate condition of epileptics in the State Insane Asylum as reported by the State Hospital managers.

Adjoining Maplewood Farm is another tract of 213 acres owned by Rev. John F. Mesick, which the Board has agreed to purchase for the same purpose, making 400 acres in the State village.

The mansion house on Maplewood Farm was built nearly a century ago, but is in an excellent state of preservation. Another story will be added to it and it will be the main building in the village. Smaller dwellings will be erected on the farm and these will constitute the village.

Prof. Garrison, the secretary of the Board, gives his opinion that from his experience with the State Farm for Feeble-minded at Vineland, the State village for epileptics will eventually exist without an appropriation and be self-supporting.

Lost His Toes.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Westfield, November 2.—August Orlowsky, who conducts a hotel at Lorraine, had the toes of both his feet taken off in front of the station here at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. He stepped in front of the passenger train which he intended to go home on and was thrown to the side of the track. Before he could regain his balance the engine had run over his feet. He was carried into the station and Dr. F. A. Kinch dressed the wounds and had him removed to his home.

Hopes to Release Champion.

Attorney William G. DeMeza is in Elizabeth today in behalf of Alfred Champion, the colored man who was committed to the county jail a few weeks ago to serve a term of five months for disorderly conduct. Wm. DeMeza is hoping to procure his release on habeas corpus proceedings, and the case will be heard today by Judge Vail. The hearing was adjourned till Saturday.

—Next Friday evening the Borough Council will meet in regular session.

NEW WAY OF TALLYING.

ASSEMBLYMAN MURRAY'S PLAN TO BE PUT IN USE.

An Important Legal Objection Has Been Overcome so That One Tally Will Count for Every Candidate on Straight Ticket.

The new tally sheets as designed by Assembly Roger F. Murray have been prepared and are now ready for examination. It is customary for the city clerk to furnish tally sheets to the election boards. While all that is really necessary is a large sheet of unruled white paper, it has been the custom to furnish them with sheets neatly ruled and arranged after a method prepared by Mr. Murray several years ago. This year, City Clerk MacMurray will furnish each set of election officers with the new Murray sheets which they can use if they want to or else make one of the old fashioned kind for themselves.

It seems quite likely that the new method of tallying will be adopted throughout the city. There is almost universal favor shown the new sheets with the exception of in one or two districts which, it is believed, will see the advantage of the new system before election day.

The new tally sheets have been criticized by several and one prominent lawyer declared them illegal on the ground that it was necessary to tally after the name of every candidate instead of the straight ticket only. This has been overcome by printing the names of the candidates in very small type in black ink under the political title of each ticket printed in red ink so that each tally will be made after the names of all the candidates on the ticket as well as after the name of the ticket or party itself.

A NEW MAP OF MIDDLESEX.

It Will Go Into Details and Will Be of Great Value.

Middlesex people will soon have the privilege of buying a map of the county that is certain to give the greatest satisfaction, as well as the most detailed and accurate information concerning its topography and people. The map has been prepared, after months of hard labor, by F. A. Dunham, the well-known engineer, of this city, assisted by A. W. Vars, of Dunellen, and others. Every road in the county has been traversed and measured. Nothing has been left to chance. Engineer Vars, who directed the surveys and collated the data, took pride in the work, because he is a Middlesex man. This, coupled with Mr. Dunham's long experience as a map publisher, has insured a map which for thoroughness and authentic information could not be excelled.

The map will show rivers, streams, roads, canals, railroads, trolley roads, county roads, townships, cities, boroughs and villages, schools, churches and other public buildings; residences and owners names; cities, boroughs and villages and other points of interest. Also statistics of population and manufactures from the latest official sources, and interesting school statistics.

Young Lad Fractured His Arm.

A young German lad about 12 years of age, in the employ of Mrs. Ulrich, of Sixth street, is now suffering with a fractured arm, the result of a fall last Sunday in a barn owned by John Giles and located on Highland avenue. The lad together with some other boys went into the barn without Mr. Giles' permission and he was injured. He is now being treated at the home of Louis Miller on Lake street, to which place Joseph Blatz, a relative of Mrs. Ulrich had him taken. Mr. Giles does not want to be held responsible for the accident and says that if he had been home it would not have happened.

Death of Harvey B. Eycke.

Miss M. E. Eycke, of 39 Summit avenue, the trained nurse, was called last Saturday to her home at Lamington, N. J., on account of the serious illness of her father, Harvey B. Eycke. Mr. Eycke died Monday evening. He was fifty-six years of age, and for a year past has been in poor health. His death was due to acute Bright's disease. Mr. Ecke was known in Plainfield, where he has visited. The funeral services will be held tomorrow morning from the house at 10:30 o'clock.

Work at the Hospital.

The monthly report of Dr. Endicott, medical director of Muhlenberg Hospital, for the past month, shows that the total number of patients admitted were 24, discharged cured, 16; discharged improved, 3; died, 3; total treated, 39; dispensary cases, 52; total number of visits, 120.

A Romance of the Alps.

The Serviss illustrated lecture will take place at the Casino tomorrow night. The subject will be: "William Tell and the Romance of the Alps." Mr. Serviss will give an entertaining talk.

WILLIAMS IS NOW OFFICIALLY ALIVE

Administrator's Papers Have Been Set Aside.

ACTION IN ORPHANS' COURT.

STATEMENT MADE BY MOTHER OF ALLEGED DEAD MAN.

Testimony Taken Before Judge Vail This Morning—Mrs. Williams Said She Had Received Letters From Her Son—Father's Deposition Also Received—The Alleged Death was Sensational.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 2—Judge Vail, sitting in the Orphans' Court this morning, decided the application to set aside letters of administration granted last January on the estate of Harry B. Williams on the supposition that he was then dead. The testimony produced was that of the mother of Harry B. Williams, who produced several letters from her son since the date on which he was supposed to have been drowned. Mrs. Williams stated that she did not learn the fact until long after Mr. McDonald had been appointed administrator. The deposition of Walter C. Williams, the father, was also produced. In this, the father stated that he knew of his own knowledge that his son had not been drowned as he had previously believed, but was alive and well. The stipulation of counsel for the father and mother was also produced admitting that the facts set forth in Mr. McDonald's petition were true.

After the taking of testimony, the court heard argument by Craig A. Marsh and immediately rendered an opinion granting his application and making an order that the letters of administration be set aside, and declared null and void.

The Standard Life and Accident Insurance Company, of Detroit, which company had previously paid the administration $1,500 on an insurance policy, now expect to procure the refunding of the money without further trouble.

December 6th, Williams, his brother, Walter Gardon Williams, a young lawyer, and Frank Swackhamer, of this city, sailed for Portland, Me., ostensibly on a hunting trip. While off the Rhode Island shore the next morning it was alleged that he was taken sick and fell into the sea. No trace of him could be secured after that. Just previous to that he had taken out several thousand dollars worth of insurance policies. The Prudential Life Insurance Company, of Newark, paid an industrial policy of $150, and the Standard Life Insurance Company, of Detroit, also paid one for $1,500. The insurance companies became suspicious that Williams was not dead, and put detectives on the case.

Detectives, it was claimed, found Williams working in Pierre, Neb., under an assumed name and secured his photograph. Soon after that a detective concealed himself in the office of Walter Gordon Williams and over heard a conversation between the lawyer and his father. The detective was unable to suppress a sneeze and he was discovered. An exciting scene, it is alleged, took place in the office, and a short time after that all those implicated in the affair left town. The next heard of the Williams, was that they were on their way into the Klondike gold fields.

A NATIONAL PROBLEM.

Important Question to Be Debated by Young People

Just what disposition the United States ought to make of the Phillipine Islands will be decided Friday night at the debate between the Plainfield Law Debating Society and the North Plainfield High School, and representatives from each society will meet and hold a debate, taking that for their subject.

The North Plainfield debaters chosen are Fred Overton, Arthur Smith, Miss Katherine Dwight, Donald McGee, Frank Bach, Miss Emma Line, Miss Laura Osgood, Miss Maud Honeyman, Fred Emmel and Miss Rita Pond.

The other side will be represented by Charles Dolliver, Sanford Robinson, Douglass Drake, Edward Bellis, Harry Linbarger, Fred Van Liew, Harry DeMeza, John VanWinkle, Chas. McCann and Wm. Nash. The judges are Prof. Wightman, Francis J. Blatz and S. St. J. McCutchen.

—Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh has secured the services of Mr. Richardson, of New York, as typewriter and stenographer. Mr. Richardson is a court stenographer and conversant in all legal matters pertaining to court work.

TO STIR UP COLORED MEN

COLONEL MURRELL WILL GIVE A POLITICAL TALK.

Will Tell of the Republican Treatment of the Colored Men—Other Well-Known Speakers Will Also be Present.

Friday night the Democrats will have their first and last mass meeting in the present campaign, but it is calculated to be a rousing one. It will be held in Reform Hall on West Second street.

There will be several speakers, among whom, as announced yesterday, will be Col. Wm. Morrell, the somewhat noted colored politician. He used to be associated with the G.O.P., but now he is fighting them bitterly and some people think effectively. He is a speaker who throws his whole soul into his talks, and those who attend the meeting can expect to hear an address that will be decidedly stirring. He will devote himself particularly to telling how little the Republicans have done for the colored people.

Former Senator Fred Marsh, of Elizabeth, and Hon. John B. Green will also speak on the issues of the campaign. A number of the county candidates are expected to be present and say a few words.

A special feature of the meeting will be a number of moving pictures thrown on the screen by the cinematograph.

LIBRARY BUSINESS.

Suggestions Offered to Directors by School Superintendent.

A regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library was held last evening with Messrs. Tyler, Cox, Tracy, Larrabee and Stillman present. A number of bills were ordered paid from the general fund and the Babcock fund. A letter was received from Superintendent Maxson, of the public schools, making some suggestions as to the use of the library by the public. The letter was read, received and referred to the library committee. Other matters referred to the same committee with power were the application of Albert E. King for teachers' cards, binders for periodicals, perforating stamp for Babcock library books, appropriations for replacing worn out books and buying a few new ones, label holders for new stock and bulletin boards. The report of the librarian was read and ordered filed.

Funeral of Mrs. Green.

The funeral service of Mrs. Thomas B. Green were held Monday afternoon from her late residence on East Front street, and was largely attended. Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor of Warren chapel, conducted the services and spoke conforting words.

He also spoke affectionately of the life of the departed. During the services vocal selections were given by Miss Hardenburg, Mrs. Asa Collier, E. E. Runyon and Charles L. Lewis. There were a great many floral tributes from friends. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery.

Maddon's Remains Brought Home.

The remains of William Maddon, who was killed Saturday night on the railroad near Cranford, were brought home this morning and removed to the house in the "Eight Row." A service will be held at the house today, and interment will be in this city. Two of Maddon's children attended the Methodist church in Dunellen, and Rev. E. S. Jamison, of that church, will officiate at the services.

An Aged Woman's Fall.

Mrs. Loomis, of Manlius, N. Y., who has been visiting at the home of of J. E. Morse, of Franklin place, fell down the back stairs at Mr. Morse's house Sunday. Mrs. Loomis is over eighty years of age, and when she was picked up it was found that she was unconscious. One finger was broken and also dislocated. Dr. Hedges attended her, and today she was able to return to her home.

Still Alarm of Fire.

A still alarm of fire occurred this afternoon about 2 o'clock, caused by a bonfire built by some small boys near Westphal's grocery on West Fourth street. Chief Doane dispatched No. 2 hose wagon to the scene of the fire, but it was out before the apparatus arrived. There was no damage.

A Busy Scene.

Woodhull & Martin's stores presented a busy scene this morning at the arrival of the Christmas goods which the firm are receiving in large quantities. The goods began to arrive last night, and the clerks are kept busy unpacking and marking the goods.

Mrs. Mulford, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Baker, of West Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews, of Grove street, have returned from Philadelphia, where they have been attending the Peace Jubilee.

THROWN FROM TANDEM.

EXCITING EXPERIENCE ON A BICYCLE BUILT FOR TWO.

Perth Amboy Young Couple Encountered a Bad Man Near Netherwood—Butcher Wagon Appeared in Time.

It was a lucky thing for Charles Christian and his lady friend last night that a butcher's clerk drove by the Netherwood station, just about 7 o'clock, for in that way Christian escaped serious injury perhaps, and the loss of everything of value.

Christian lives in Perth Amboy and he and a lady friend rode over here yesterday on a tandem to visit friends. They started for home about 6:45 o'clock and had ridden as far as Netherwood, when they were held up.

Christian sat on the rear seat with his companion on front. When they were wheeling past the Netherwood station a man was seen to step out from a clump of thick trees which are in front of the station and hurl something at the pair.

Christian and his companion both dodged the expected blow, but it was not aimed at them but at the front wheel of the tandem. The club lodged in the spokes and threw both riders, the tandem falling on top. Before Christian could struggle to his feet, the man was on top of him and had his fingers in his throat.

Christian was in such a position that he could do nothing to help himself. Just then he heard the wheels of an approaching wagon, and let out a loud yell. The highwayman heard it too and at the shout left his prey and ran.

All this occurred so rapidly that the lady did not have a chance to extricate herself. Both were badly frightened and the wheel was wrecked, but neither one of the wheelmen was hurt. The wagon proved to be a butcher's wagon, and the driver helped the two carry their wheel to the station where they took a train for home.

VOORHEES IS TO SPEAK.

REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING IN MUSIC HALL TOMORROW NIGHT.

He Will be Accompanied by the Rest of His Campaigners and Former Speaker Cross, Candidate for Senator.

Plainfield Republicans were among the first of New Jersey to push along the boom of Foster Voorhees for Governor, and tomorrow night when that eminent gentleman, together with the rest of his campaigning party, appears in this city to speak in Music Hall the local G. O. P. will probably "hump" itself and give them a rousing reception. Of course, Voorhees is a favorite son in Plainfield in all that term applies in a political way, and his Republican friends will take every means to let him know how good they feel for him and for the battle he is fighting.

Besides the address by Voorhees, Congressman Fowler will also be present and discuss the issues of the campaign. Former Speaker Cross, Republican candidate for Senator, will be here as well to guage the afterthoughts of the local Republicans as to how they regard his candidacy after having their favorite, Mr. Ackerman, defeated.

Hon. Frank Scott, of Paterson, will be among the speakers in the Voorhees party.

The Republicans have decided to reserve seats for the ladies who care to attend the meeting.

The Union County Republican candidates for Senate and Assembly began yesterday a stumping tour of the county which they propose to continue until election day. They drove to New Providence and Summit, and today visit Springfield and Union. All the other townships and cities in the county will be visited on the following days, and personal conferences will be held with the voters.

There will be meetings held by the Republicans at Westfield and Cranford on Saturday night at which Judge Cross and Assemblymen Squire, Houston and Murray will made addresses.

The Republicans in Union will whoop things up in a lively fashion from now until election day.

Funeral of Mrs. Zeisz.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Andrew Zeisz, of New street, were held yesterday afternoon from the house at 2 o'clock and from the German Lutheran church at 2:30. The services were in charge of Rev. Eyme, pastor of the church, and he spoke comforting words concerning the departed. There were many floral tributes from friends and a large pillow from the Ladies' Aid Society of the church. Interment was in the North Plainfield cemetery and the pall bearers were Augustus Feiring, Christopher Koller, John Becker, Fred Gray, Wm. Cortwright and Frank Scheelein.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

METZ GAINED FAVOR WITH THE COURT.

Sneak Thief Received Sentence of Six Months in Jail.

WHY LENIENCY WAS SHOWN

HE EXPOSED A PLOT OF PRISONERS TO BREAK JAIL.

For This Reason Judge Vail Decided to Let Him Off as Easily as Possible—His Wife Was in Court When Sentence Was Pronounced—He Stole $125 From the Home of William Stanbery in Fanwood.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, N. J., November 2.—Paul Metz, the self-confessed sneak thief who entered William Stanbery's house in Fanwood early this fall and ransacked the house of money and valuable jewels, came up before Judge Vail this morning for sentence. It was expected that he would get off lightly, and it was no surprise when he was given only six months in the county jail and ordered to pay the costs of court. As Metz has already spent two months in confinement, the punishment is more severe than it appears at first sight.

Metz appeared at the Stanbery homestead one day two months ago in the guise of a piano tuner. No one was at home at the time except the servant, to whom Metz made his business known. The girl hesitated, but being assured that everything was all right, finally admitted him and went off about her work.

When Mr. and Mrs. Stanbery returned home, the piano tuner was gone and with him all the money and jewelry he could find which amounted to $125. Mr. Stanbery put detectives on the man's track, and a few days afterwards Metz was arrested in Benner's road house in Fanwood where he was trying to sell a piano.

Metz pleaded guilty when arraigned in court, and was remanded for sentence. During his confinement he became aware of a plot to break jail, in which Roesel, the murderer of Farmer Pitts, and Wilson, who was confined for obtaining money under false pretenses, were the principal movers. Metz confided the information to one of the keepers, and the attempt was nipped in the bud.

For this the Court this morning reduced the sentence as much as possible, and now Metz will escape State prison. The complaining witness in the matter and his lawyer, ex Judge W. R. Codington, were present at the passing of sentence, and so was the prisoner's wife.

TALLY-HO PARTY.

Wealthy People Passed Through Plainfield This Morning.

The arrival of a tally-ho and four at the City Hotel this morning attracted considerable attention from local people, and while the party stopped in the city a great crowd gathered and watched proceedings with interest. In the party was H. McK. Twombley and wife, (nee Miss Vanderbilt), and four friends from Madison, where Mr. Twombley has his country seat. They were on their way to Princeton, where they will spend a few days. They expect to return home Friday or Saturday. Previous to the start from here a piece of harness broke while driving through Park avenue, and this delayed the party for a short time. The course taken from here was through Park avenue to Metuchen.

Borough Registration.

Yesterday being the last day for registry there was considerable hustling in the borough. The registration this year is the largest for several years and there is every indication that the vote this year will be very large. In the First district there were fifteen names added to the list and four erasures, making a total registration of 665 as against 631 last year. In the Second district there were thirteen names added to that list, making the total 544. In 1897 there were only a few over 500 names registered in the Second district.

Corner Stone Laying.

The corner stone of the new Calvary Baptist church (colored) will be laid Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Several out-of-town speakers will be present, and the services will last until 10 o'clock at night, being continued in Reform Hall.

Many Amendments to be Considered.

Next Tuesday evening a very important meeting of the local branch of the United Brotherhood Carpenters and Joiners of America, will be held at which time fifty amendments to the by-laws and constitution will be considered.

—Exclusive of barns and out-buildings there are 2,792 buildings in this city.

LOOKS LIKE A FIGHT

Two Companies Propose to Build Nicaragua Canal.

CONGRESS MAY INTERFERE

Former Mayor Grace Alone Stands Sponsor for New Syndicate. Waterway Must be Completed in Three Years. Old Company Claims Latest Grant Infringes on Its Rights.

New York, Nov. 2.—The capitalists behind the new Nicaragua canal syndicate, who, through Edward F. Cragin of Chicago and Edward Eyre of New York, have obtained a sweeping concession from the Republic of Nicaragua, will not disclose their names.

Former Mayor Wm. R. Grace, however, stands sponsor for them in the statement that behind the syndicate there is an ample supply of money.

Mr. Collis P. Huntington, whose name was yesterday mentioned as one of the capitalists in the syndicate, denies that he is in any way interested, and expresses the opinion that if the syndicate stops to count the cost its members will not build.

The concession of the new syndicate is to go into force when that of the Maritime Canal Company shall expire, in October of next year.

The concession provides that the canal shall be built in three years, and the work of construction must begin before April 10, 1900.

The profits of the canal are to go to the new company for one hundred and ninety-nine years, at the end of which period half the net receipts will go to the Republic of Nicaragua.

Should the waterway not be completed in three years the new canal company must connect the uncompleted water route by railroad, so that there will be a continuous system of transportation between the two oceans.

Mr. Hiram Hitchcock, proprietor of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, is president of the Maritime Canal Company, whose concession expires on October 10 of next year. This company is composed of American business men who have a charter from the United States and concessions from Costa Rica and Nicaragua.

They have already spent millions in surveys, soundings, engineering plans, telegraph lines, the building of wharves and the clearing of land, the construction of buildings, the laying out of a railroad and the opening of more than a mile of the canal.

There is a bill now in Congress to give government aid to this enterprise. A commission of experts appointed by the United States has reported on the practicability of the route, and places the cost at $110,000,000.

The concession, while it expires on October 10 of next year, contains a renewal clause providing for indefinite extension should the work at that period be well under way.

Should the bill now before Congress pass at the December session, which is likely, the canal would be well on the way to completion in October of next year, and the Cragin-Eyre concession would fail.

The select committee of the Senate has reported favorably the bill to aid the Maritime Canal and also distinctly recognizes in its report that the men who now hold the concession have certain property rights which should be protected by the United States in the event of any attempt on the part of Nicaragua to deprive them of the privileges they have under the concession granted.

HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLE.

Do Not be Alarmed, But Look For the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can best be done by the regular use after meals, of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, convenient form.

It is safe to say that the regular, persistent use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at meal time will cure any form of stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

Full sized package of the tablets sold by druggists at 50 cents.

Little book on stomach troubles mailed free. Address Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. 10 31 eod 3

FRANCE WILL BACK DOWN.

Will Quit Fashoda and the Bahr-el-Ghaze Territory

London, Nov. 2.—William Hayes Fisher, one of the junior lords of the treasury, and member of Parliament for Fulham, as well as a ministerial whip, speaking in London last evening said he had seen dispatches which enabled him to assert that the French government had decided to recall the Marchand expedition from Fashoda.

In the course of an interview after the delivery of his speech, Mr. Fisher on being reminded that he had said he had seen the dispatches justifying his assertion of the intention of France to withdraw Marchand, replied that he did not say that he had read them, remarking that he had been misreported.

There is little doubt, however, that either purposely or carelessly Mr. Fisher allowed the news of the actual fact to leak out.

The Daily Graphic says this morning:

"We learn from an official source in Paris that Captain Baratier bears instructions to Major Marchand to return to Fashoda and then to withdraw his expedition in the direction of the Upper Ubangho river, north of the Congo, evacuating Fashoda, and the five posts established by him east of the frontier indicated in the Anglo-German agreement.

"The Egyptian government will be invited to send troops to accompany Major Marchand as he retires from the Bahr-el-Ghazel territory and to reoccupy the posts as they are evacuated by the French officers, thus solving the difficulty concerning Major Marchand's revictualment.

Central American Coalition.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—The steamer Acapulco, which has arrived here from South America, brings news of the coalition of three Central American states, Salvador, Nicaragua and Honduras, which will be conducted under a common administration, to be known as the United States of Central America.

The inauguration of the new regime was to have been ushered in yesterday according to the Acapulco's passengers, and a grand celebration in honor of the event was to be held at Amapla, which is to be the seat of government. Under the new form of government the administration passes into the control of a representative from each of the republics—Dr. Salvador Callego of Salvador, Miguel Agnelugarte of Honduras and Dr. Manuel Corrolel Matus of Nicaragua.

These three will continue in power until March 4 next, when they will formally elect a president of the United States of Central America, who will hold office for four years.

Heavy Shortage in Taxes.

Holyoke, Mass., Nov. 2.—This city's back tax muddle is slowly but surely being cleared up.

The expert who has been sending out circulars to alleged delinquent taxpayers has received two thousand returns, and nearly every person has exhibited a receipt.

The amount covered by the receipts exceeds $150,000. All these are marked as not paid in the collectors' books.

The aldermen held an excited meeting last night and passed orders instructing the city solicitor to demand of former Collector Keough and the sureties on his bonds for 195, 1896 and 189, the amount of money committed to the collectors and not yet paid to the city treasurer, and in case of their failure to pay the amounts, to immediately institute proceedings against the bondsmen and the former collector.

The city treasurer was ordered to demand of Mr. Keough all taxes and interest on taxes due the city for the last three years, the amount being $260,000.

During the last two months the former collector has turned in only $30,000 of this $260,000.

New Demand for Spirits.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 2.—The internal revenue collections for October in the Peoria district amount to over $2,200,000, which is far above the average at this season of the year.

The unusual demand is due to the efforts of this and other governments to supply themselves with smokeless powder, of which spirits is an important component.

The Standard Distilling Company has just sent a special train of twenty-three cars of spirits to San Francisco, consigned to the Japanese government, which will use the spirits in the manufacture of smokeless powder.

Two more large shipments for Japan have been ordered for early in November.

Since the war broke out the Peoria distilleries have sold over four thousand borrels of spirits to the United States government for smokeless powder.

Frolic Laid Up at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Nov. 2.—The converted yacht Frolic, formerly the Hanna yacht Comanche, now at the Norfolk navy yard, where she underwent repairs, was recently assigned to the Illinois naval reserve as a practice ship.

On October 2 the authorities of the state of Illinois were notified that the vessel was ready to undertake the long voyage up the coast, the St. Lawrence river, through the Welland canal and the great lakes to Chicago.

The crew was to be sent from Chicago, but for some reason has not yet arrived.

Yesterday orders were received from Washington to take the Frolic's stores out and lay her up for the winter, as the St. Lawrence is closed by ice.

Brought $45,000 in Nuggets.

Bridgeport, Conn., Nov. 2.—J. A. Johnson and his wife, who went to the Klondike in the spring of 1897, arrived in this city yesterday on their way to their home in Northfield.

They bring home with them $45,000, most of which is in gold nuggets. They relate many interesting experiences of the hardships of prospectors.

Mrs. Johnson was instrumental in locating a claim for her husband in the original Bonanza Creek diggings, and it was from this property that their wealth was derived.

WILL PEACE PLAN FAIL?

Paris Papers Think Spain Will Break Off Negotiations.

NOT TO YIELD PHILIPPINES

They Persist Also in the Story that the Cuban Debt Question Was Only Settled for the Time Spain Will Rather Withdraw Than Submit to Humiliating Terms.

Paris, Nov. 2.—The French papers derive their news of the work of the peace negotiations from Spanish sources, and, therefore, the morning papers here are interesting, as indicating the atmosphere in Spanish quarters.

It must be remembered that the Spaniards have unconditionallyac cepted the refusalo ft he United States to assume the Cuban debt, and the Cuban article is ready for the final treaty, providing differences on the question of the Philippines shall not prevent the making of any treaty.

As the whole is composed of all its parts, so must the Philippine question be mutually agreed upon or none of those questions previously agreed on will find a place in the treaty.

This is all the provision or provisional understanding existent.

In view of the facts, then, the Paris press shows ate ndency to confuse the situation.

The Matin says: "It is well understood that the cession of Porto Rico was tantamount to the payment of a war indemnity in cash, and entirely freed Spain from any subsequent repetition on the subject."

Turing to Cuba, the Matin continues: "The Spaniards declined to concur in separating the debt from the pledge, the mortgage from the loan, and as it was impossible to reach an understanding, they asked that at least the order of the protocol be inverted, and that the question of the Philippines be previously discussed, that question possibly offering the Americans an opportunity for tendering some compensation for the enormous sacrifices they have forced upon the conquered.

"The Americans finally acceded to the change, and only asked the Spaniards to accept provisionally the clauses relating to the Cuban debt, with the reservation that the acceptance could be withdrawn if no agreement was reached as to the Philippines."

Referring to Monday's meeting, the Matin says: "The Spaniards said that they would make their answer known on Friday. But it is easy to foresee what it will be—a refusal, precise and formal. The Spanish plenipotentiaries have made up their minds, in the event of the United States adverting to the Philippine proposition, to decline signing the act of peace, to break off the negotiations and to call upon the civilized nations to witness the abuse of and theviol ation of the provisions set forth in the Washington protocol."

The Gaulois remarks: "The Spaniards will never agree to abandon the archipelago without compensation and we believe the Americans intend to suggest that they will assume the Philippine debt. We hope the negotiations will not be broken, but Spain, it is given out as certain, would take such a course rather than submit to humiliating terms."

To Stamp Out Yellow Fever.

Mexico City, Nov. 2.—The government is taking measures for carrying out the sanitation of Mexican gulf ports. It is believed here that when the American government completes the reconstruction of the sewerage system of Havana and cleans out the bay, with moderate care in Mexican gulf ports yellow fever can be stamped out. Heavy northerly gales on the coast are reported, and the health of the coast cities has improved.

The death of Colonel Waring is much lamented here by sanitarians, he being considered the best man to accomplish the work of sanitation.

Laredo, Tex., Nov. 2.—Mexican officials report four deaths from yellow fever in Monterey on Sunday. Entire families are known to be stricken. Reliable information is to the effect that the business in that city is paralyzed.

Honors for War Heroes.

Washington, Nov. 2.—Brigadier General Theodore Schwan, United States volunteers(c olonel, assistant adjutant general United States army); Brigadier General H. V. Boynton, United States volunteers, and Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Carter, assistant adjutant general, have been constituted a board for the purpose of making recommendations for brevet promotions, the award of medals of honor and cedtificates of merit for the officers and enlisted men who participated in the campaigns of Santiago, the Philippines and Porto Rico.

The board is instructed to meet in this city on November 9.

The Whaling Season.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—The whaling bark Horatio has reached port from the Arctic ocean with eight hundred and forty barrels of sperm oil, three hundred and fifty barrels of whale oil, and 4,300 pounds of bone, the whole being valued at over 35,000.

It is estimated that the whaling fleet will put more than a million and a half dollars in circulation in San Francisco this winter.

Naval Officers Discharged.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The following officers of the navy have been honorably discharged:

Lieutenant W. H. Eliot, Ensign J. F. Tatem, Naval Cadet G. D. Montgomery, Passed Assistant Engineer W. H. Badlam, Assistant Engineers F. W. Roller, W. Goodman, McC. Pate, J. F. Morris, T. Dimon and C. H. Treat.

No Sale of Cherokee Lands.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The interior department has no information regarding a reported project for buying up the lands of the Cherokee Indians in Indian Territory, and the authorities say that the Cherokee nation could not sell its lands save to the United States government.

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Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

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Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution:

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

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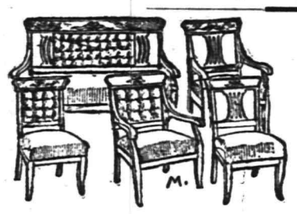

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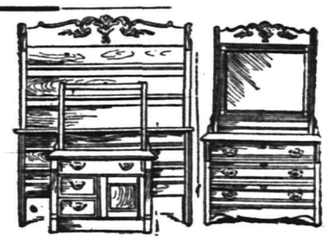

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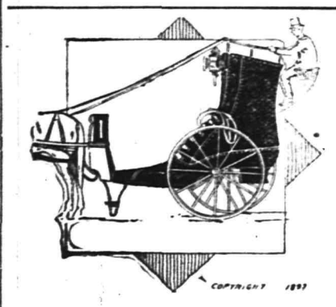

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EMPEROR WILLIAM AT JERUSALEM.

He Promises for Peace and Renews His Vow to Serve the Lord

Jerusalem, Nov. 1, delayed in transmission.—Emperor William went to Mount Zion this morning, where occurred the ceremony of hoisting the German and Turkish flags on a piece of ground upon which, according to tradition, formerly stood the abode of the Virgin Mary, and which the sultan presented to the German emperor.

The latter subsequently formally presented the ground to the German Catholics.

Jerusalem, Nov. 2.—Emperor William has telegraphed to the pope, saying: "I am happy to be able to inform your holiness that, thanks to the benevolent intervention of his majesty, the sultan, who has not hesitated to give me this proof of his personal friendship, I have been able to acquire at Jerusalem the abode of the Holy Virgin. I decided to place this ground, consecrated by so many pious memories, at the disposal of my Catholic subjects. It rejoices my heart to be able thus to prove how dear to me are the religious interests of the Catholics whom Divine Providence has placed in my care. I beg your holiness to accept the assurance of my sincere attachment."

The pope replied, thanking him and expressing satisfaction at the gift, for which he was sure the German Catholics would be deeply grateful.

The emperor, at the close of the ceremony of consecration of the Church of the Redeemer here, read an address, during which he said:

"From Jerusalem came the light in splendor from which the German nation became great and glorious, and what the Germanic peoples have become they became under the banner of the cross, the emblem of self-sacrificing charity. As nearly two thousand years ago, so to-day shall I ring out the cry, voicing my ardent hope, to all —'Peace on earth!' "

He then renewed the vow of his ancestors, saying: "I and my house will serve the Lord." He then called upon all present to make the same vow, concluding with a prayer—"God grant that confidence in the Almighty, brotherly love, resignation in suffering, and efficient work may remain the German nation's noblest ornament, and that the spirit of peace may more and more permeate and hallow the evangelical church."

The War Inquiry.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The members of the war inquiry commission who did not go to Lexington, Cincinnati and other western cities, reached Washington yesterday and will hold a meeting to-day to arrange for the trip to Camp Meade, near Middletown, Pa., where they expect to procure testimony bearing upon the conduct of Camps Alger and Wikoff.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 2.—Before the war inquiry commission yesterday, General J. C. Bates testified ast o the camps at Mobile and Chickamauga. He went to see General Brooke regarding the lack of equipments, clothing and other supplies. He said:

"The day before we left Mobile we got pretty well supplied. These were supplies for recruits. At Santiago we had bread and meat always. Montauk Point was not the proper place for a camp of sick soldiers at this time of year. At Montauk Point I learned that the Long Island Railroad had an extensive contract to haul the soldiers to the city. I issued orders to allow other railroads to come in and help take off the sick.

"In Cuba medical supplies were wofully short. The medical officers said they could not get them."

Death of a Centenarian.

Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 2.—Nancy J. Barger died yesterday morning at the age of one hundred and six years and one month.

Two months ago she fell and received injuries which resulted in her death.

She was born in Cumberland county in 792, and with her husband came to this county in 1814, and had lived in the same house for more than sixty years.

Five children survive, the oldest being Samuel Barger, aged eighty-four years. Mrs. Barger was in possession of all her faculties until her death.

Joseph Leiter's Plan.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Joseph Leiter, who returned home yesterday, speaking of the purchase of the Providence Locomotive Works, said:

"The deal is going through, but I am not prepared to give out any of the details further than to say that a corporation will take over the plant and continue the manufacture of locomotives and other specialties."

It is said that John W. Gates of the Illinois Steel Company, and several New York people are interested in the Providence deal with Leiter.

Coming on the St. Louis.

Southampton, Nov. 2.—The American line steamer St. Louis, which is scheduled to sail from this port on November 5 for New ork, will have on board as passengers Thomas W. Cridler, the third assistant secretary of state, and special commissioner of the United States to the Paris exposition of 900, and Mrs. Cridler, Justin McCarthy, Mme. Nordica, Ferdinand W. Peck, the commissioner general for the United States to the Paris exposition, and Mrs. Peck and Olga Nethersole.

Highbinders Make Threats.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—Friendly Chinese have warned Rev. Dr. Garner, interpreter of the Chinese bureau, who is making an aggressive campaign against the trade in slave girls, that Highbinders had decided to take his life if he persists in supplying the government with information detrimental to Highbinders and their chattels.

Rebellion in the Philippines.

Madrid, Nov. 2.—A dispatch from the Visayas group of the Philippine islands says that several companies of native troops there have rebelled.

They were pursued and several of them were killed.

The governor of the Visayas expressed the hope that the rebellion would not spread.

DISPOSITION OF TROOPS

Arrangements for Sending Men to Occupy Cuba.

PLANS ARE UNCHANGED

What the Administration Desires. Gen. Wood to Stay at Santiago. Volunteers who Want to Be Relieved from Garrison Duty. Reorganization of the Army.

Washington, Nov. 2.—There has been no change in the plans of the war department respecting the sending of troops to Cuba.

No date has ever been fixed for the troops to depart. The only thing that has been determined is that the control of the island shall pass to the United States on January .

Attempts to make it appear that the death of Colonel Waring from yellow fever has changed the plans of the department are without basis.

When General Lee was in Washington the earliest date he recommended for sending troops to Cuba was November 15, and he did this with several reservations, suggesting that only a small number be sent, and to places where there was little danger of disease and fever.

With a view to making arrangements for the troops, a board of officers was sent to Cuba to select camp sites and ascertain what was needed for the troops.

The principal officers of this board, Colonels Hecker and Lee, have been ordered to Washington, and their reports will be carefully considered before any troops are sent to Cuba.

The war department, moreover, does not wish to have any conflict with the Spanish troops as to occupation of towns, and therefore desires to send the United States troops into Cuba only a short time before the Spanish troops leave.

Owing to climatic conditions the United States has not been pressing for immediate evacuation, requesting only that reasonable progress should be made by the Spanish authorities.

A few months ago General Wood, in command of the city of Santiago, intimated to the secretary of war that he would like to come home on leave of absence, but in view of the fact that General Lawton has turned over the command of the Department of Santiago to General Wood and has been assigned to a division command in the United States, it will be impossible for General Wood to return to this country at present.

He has made up his mind to remain at Santiago, has taken a house there, and Mrs. Wood, with their children, will sail for Santiago a week from today.

The request of the First Colorado infantry to be returned from Manila to the United States cannot be granted by the war department. It was said by officers of the army yesterday that such requests had been frequent from soldiers of volunteer organizations who enlisted to fight, but did not enlist for garrison duty. The desire of this regiment to return home was simply the desire of other volunteers.

Nothing could be done, an officer said, until Congress met and provided some kind of a force to take the place of the volunteers.

The subject of reorganizing the army with a view to securing an adequate force for the new possessions of the United States has already received the serious consideration of the president, the secretary of war and others of the army, and the president will make recommendations to Congress on this subject.

It is probable that he will recommend an increase of the army to something like one hundred thousand men, or at least seventy-five thousand.

Burglars at Wallingford.

Wallingford, Nov. 2.—The biggest robbery which has taken place in this vicinity for several years occurred here Tuesday morning.

Burglars, whose work showed that they were professional cracksmen, entered the house of F. E. Simpson and stole jewelry valued at about $1,500, $20 in cash, valuable papers, considerable of the family plate and several diamonds.

The burglars evidently knew their ground. The members of the family were all away and the burglars escaped long before the robbery was discovered.

There is no clue to the identity of the thieves.

Postmaster Under Arrest.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 2.—Frank E. Foss, postmaster at Hill, has been arrested upon the charge of embezzling $6,000 belonging to the government.

His failure to make customary monthly remittances led to an investigation, and his arrest followed as a result.

Foss is the owner of a general country store, and, it is charged, issued money orders to himself as an individual trader and remitter, payable to banks in various parts of New England.

Cotton Goods Failure.

Providence, Nov. 2.—John H. H. Mason & Sons, cotton goods manufacturers, filed their voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday, with liabilities of $80,000 and assets of $120,000 in real estate and personal property and $180,000 in accounts.

The partners file individual petitions. Eugene W. Mason's liabilities are $330,000, with assets of a little over $100,000, and John H. Mason's liabilities amount to $180,000, with assets of about $110,000.

New Departure in Insurance.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—Insurance companies doing life business in Canada have agreed hereafter not to accept risks on lives of married women unless they are breadwinners of the family.

The object is to lessen the crime of murder for insurance.

Ormond's Not Sold.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.—A telegram from the agent of W. O'B. McDonough, the owner of Ormonde, says that the Duke of Westminster's offer of $50,000 has been declined.

NEW YORK TROOPS VOTING.

The Two Hundred and Second Regiment Balloting for Governor To-day.

Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa., Nov. 2.—An election was held in the Two Hundred and Second New ork regiment yesterday for state and district offices. The Two Hundred and First will vote to-day and the Two Hundred and Third on Thursday.

Polls were opened at eight o'clock in the Two Hundred and Second's camp, and four inspectors chosen by each company to conduct the election.

Major G. W. Hobbs, representing the New York secretary of state, has supplied each company with poll books and ballots. The ballots contain all the headings that any soldier may require, although he must paste or write the names of the candidates.

An official list of all the candidates has been posted by Major Hobbs in a conspicuous place in each regimental camp. After the polls close the ballots will be sealed and sent to the secretary of state at Albany.

He will, in turn, transmit them to the county clerks of the various districts represented by the soldiers.

These clerks will send the ballots to the district inspectors to be included in the return of the several districts.

NATIONAL BANK CIRCULATION.

An Increase of $4,189,331 During the Month of October.

Washington, Nov. 2.—The monthly circulation statement of the comptroller of the currency shows that the total amount of national bank notes in circulation on October 31 was $238,546,281, an increase for the month of $4,189,331, and an increase for the year of $9,499,916.

The circulation based on United States bonds amounted to $210,045,452, an increase for the month of $4,989,393, and an increase for the year of $6,119,776.

The circulation secured by lawful money aggregated $29,500,825, a decrease for the month of $800,062, and an increase for the year of $3,380,140.

The amount of United States registered bonds on deposit to secure circulation was $235,618,470, and to secure public deposits $70,875,100.

Of these amounts $58,544,220 is in the new three per cent. loan of 1898.

Porto Rican Currency.

Washington, Nov. 2.—An important question which occupied the attention of the cabinet yesterday was that relating to the currency of the island of Porto Rico.

Te fluctuating rate of exchange between the island and the United States and on the island itself between the peso and the dollar, has greatly hindered the transaction of business, and this notwithstanding the fixing of the ratio at the custom house of two pesos to one dollar.

Many complaints have been received, both from Porto Rican business men and from New York houses engaged in the trade.

The treasury department has not yet made any official investigation of the financial situation in Porto Rico, and Assistant Secretary Vanderlip, will go to San Juan on or before November 29 to look into the matter.

No definite action was taken yesterday by the cabinet toward the settlement of the currency question of the island further than to refer the whole question to Secretary Gage for investigation.

To Entertain Soldiers.

Burlington, Vt., Nov. 2.—Dr. W. Seward Webb will give a reception to officers of the Third United States cavalry at the Shelburne house, Shelburne Farms, on the afternoon of November 12.

The governor of Vermont and staff, and state officers, officers of the Twenty-first United States infantry, at Plattsburg, N. Y.; officers of the United States army and navy, residing in Vermont; officers of the First regiment Vermont volunteer infantry of the war with Spain; officers of the Vermont National Guard; representatives of the Vermont Commandery, Military Order of the Loyal Legion; of the Grand Army of the Republic; of the Vermont Societies of Colonial Wars and of the Sons of the American Revolution have been invited.

The Unveiling of a Tablet.

New York, Nov. 2.—This afternoon at three o'clock there will be unveiled in the chapel of the American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless, No. 29 East Twenty-ninth street, a bronze tablet in memory of the late president of the society, Mrs. Henry C. Houghton.

The work of the society is for homeless and neglected children, and the design of the tablet, which is that of the Good Shepherd, beautifully typifies this.

The drawing was made by Albert Operti, the modelling done by Mr. G. Moretti and casting at the Roman Bronze Works under Mr. R. Bertelli.

The whole design was developed under the oversight of Mr. George G. Rockwood.

Robbed a Bohemian Bank.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—Lambert Wilt, the absconding controller of the Burglau Savings Bank, Bohemia, with his wife and aunt, were brought here yesterday from St. Louis, where they were arrested Monday.

They will be detained here as prisoners to await instructions from Bohemia.

Wilt, through an interpreter, confessed to having embezzled forty-five thousand dollars of the bank's funds, and expressed relief that he was through with being a fugitive.

In Wilt's possession was found $5,521 and he is said to have considerable more of the $45,000 which he stole from the Bohemian Bank on deposit in New York.

Delay in Occupation of Cuba.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—After the meeting of the cabinet yesterday Secretary Alger made the following statement in regard to the military occupation of Cuba:

"It has been decided not to send troops to Cuba until the yellow fever in the island is under control. To send soldiers there now might result in considerable loss of life. The occupation will, however, be formally begun on December 1, and will be completed by January 1."

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November 6—Rev. G. W. Gards will addeess the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. Capt. Thompson, of the Salvation Army Headquarters, New York city, is expected to sing.
November 6—Harry Gee will speak to boys at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m.

The Hospital.

There is no institution in Plainfield that attracts more popular interest than the Muhlenberg Hospital, and the synopsis of the annual report of the Board of Governors, published in The Daily Press yesterday, gives a very clear idea of the splendid work that the hospital is performing for the suffering humanity.

The figures showing the great increase of patients at the hospital, as well as the increased cost of operation that accompanies such a condition, were doubtle s surprising to many people, but it was equally astonishing to know that though the work of the hospital has increased 500 per cent during the last five years the income has only increased seventy-five per ernt. It is a striking comparison that shows a trying situation that constantly confronts those who devote their time and energy, without thought of compensation, to its success.

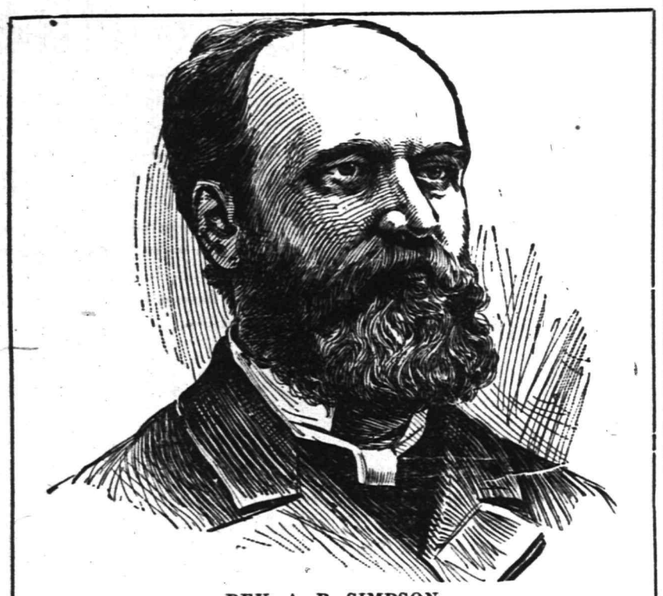
In a place of 20,000 people, there should be more than 119 personal contributors to the support of the hospital, as the report shows. It is evident that the Board of Governors hesitate about making a canvass of the city and borough for private contrbutions in order to raise enough funds for the proper conduct of the institution, but if such a method is undertaken a ready and liberal responce should be accorded to the appeal that is made.

In view of the large number of young lawyers Plainfield has turned out within the last few years and the numbers still in process of incubation, the determination of the lawyers of Newark to secure legislation which will make more stringent the rules for admission to the bar arouse, considerable interest hereabouts. It is proposed that no young man should be registered as a law student until he has passed an examination in the common English branches or is a college graduate or able to give satisfactory evidence of his ability in those branches. It is also proposed that every student should pass an examination at least once a year and a thorough examination just prior to the motion for admission to the bar.

The New York Press offers the following advice to the Republicans of Plainfield:

If the nomination of Judge Cross for Senator in Union has left any heartburning among friends of others of the many candidates, they should follow the honorable example set by Mahlon Pitney. The ex-Representative saw that the people wanted to give to Mr. Voorhees a full term, and that while they appreciated him and his services, the public demand for Mr. Voorhees must be heeded to insure a victory. Mr. Pitney bowed to the decree, then jumped into the fray to help elect Mr. Voorhees, and because of this magnanimity the people of Morris nominated him for and will elect him a Senator. The only way to achieve success is to deserve it and earn it, and in the fullness of time Judge Cross' opponents will, if they emulate Pitney, be in line for political preferment.

Senator Smith had interviews with Democratic leaders throughout the State yesterday and cautioned them against having any candidate sacrificed on the Democratic ticket in favor of any other candidate. As for himself the Senator said that he did not want to go back to the United States Senate at the expense of someone else. The Senator, however, believes this is a Democratic year and that it will be unnecessary for any candidates to be traded off with Republicans.



REV. A. B. SIMPSON.

The power there is in suggestion (sometimes called hypnotism) was shown at the recent meeting held in Carnegie Hall, New York, by the Christian Missionary Alliance. An impassioned appeal delivered at this meeting by Rev. A. B. Simpson, head of the Alliance, resulted in the collection of $113,000 for the conversion of heathens.

The following items have been culled from The News and are here reproduced to show the wonderful enterprise and brilliancy of the reporters employed on that paper:

Mrs. Jones while returning yesterday afternoon from Metuchen had a puncture and had to walk almost the whole way in the boiling sun.

A number of new signs are being painted for the street cars. The ones which have been in use had become worn out and the letters were hard to read especially at night.

The people had quite a little time with the electric lights Tuesday night. For some reason nearly all of them went out early in the evening and the town was in darkness.

People may talk about the degeneration of the cartoons that appear in the newspapers of the country, as compared with those of Mast twenty years ago, but there are two caricaturists in this country who are drawing political cartoons every day in the year that combine a world of force and idea in them that columns of pica editorials would not convey. They are Cory of the Evening World and Nelan of the Herald.

As an evidence of what the threatened prosecution of assesors throughout the State has done, the total returns made to the State board of assessors shows an increase of $31,756,108 in the valuation of taxable property throughout the State. Union county is fifth in the list of the counties showing an increase, the increase being $1,047,700. Somerset county has an increase of $528,324.

Whether or not Col. Morrell, the eminent colored politician, makes any votes for the Democrats in Plainfield among his brethren, we venture the prediction that he will make one of the liveliest arguments that the local colored contingent has heard in many a day. The Colonel is enthusiastic if nothing else.

The Democrats seem to have struck the right plan in their reorganization efforts in their intention to interest every Democratic voter in the association they intend to form. With a Democratic Association, the management of the party is constantly in the hands of the rank and file.

The New York and New Jersey Telephone Company have increased their capital stock from $5,000,000 to $-,000,000. Some people may say that talk is cheap, but the above statement proves that in some cases it is costly for some one and very profitable to the telephone company.

Under the distribution of the money received from the equal taxation bill, Union county receives $6,000. Salem county shows up as the smallest beneficary in the State, her share only being $152.15.

Anthony Kiligore is now editor of the Hunterdon County Democrat. He promises to continue the same policy that has marked the course of the paper for the past sixty years—sturdily Democratic.

The Democrats expect to get together tonight and do something that good politics should have taught them to do years ago—form a thorough party organization.

Plainfield won't see real interesting politics till after the State election. Then comes the municipal campaign, and lively times are expected.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of Gardner against Wickoff and Gardner against Murray, on contract, returnable November 7th.

—Press want ads bring results.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Mrs T. J. Gillies, of Central avenue, is visiting relatives in New York.

Mrs. W. C. Codington, of Newark, has been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Dunellen, has been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Mr. LaRue, of East Second street, has entirely recovered from his recent illness.

Mrs. Henry Angleman, of East Fourth street, has been visiting friends in the conntry.

Allan Laing, of Craig place, is now improving rapidly from a serious attack of typhoid fever.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Probasco's reception days will be every Wednesday during November and December.

Mrs. Henry Angleman, of East Fourth street, leaves tomorrow for a visit with relatives in Western Jersey.

Mr. Howatt, of Grove street, is detained at home by illness, and his friends are quite anxious concerning him.

Mrs. Hallock and her daughter, Mrs. O. L. Jenkins, of East Front street, have returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. Edward Rathbun and Mrs. Hiram Rathbun, of Connecticut, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos Andrews, of North avenue, have returned home.

P. Runyon Letson, of Stelton, has secured a position with Druggist Charles Hall, of Watchung avenue, and he will be Mr. Hall's assistant. Mr. Letson is a brother of Mrs. Kempton Browning, of East Fifth street.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

There have been so few arrests this summer and fall that it looks very much as though the total number of arrests this year will fall very much below the total for 1897, which was 800. As things seem to be going now the report January 1st will not show more than 500. There are several good reasons for this, the police say. Last year 100 of the 800 arrests were railroad tramps who were arrested for trespassing on the Central's cars. This year there have been few of these and that is due in a great measure to the war, which has made places for many of these tramps, and thus taken them off the road. Many of the unruly characters of this city have also enlisted and that has taken a few more away, so taking it all together the Plainfield officers have a pretty easy time just now.

ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Thursday Special.

All our 25c White Aprons - - - 19c each
All our 50c Corsets 39c "
Lot of Soiled Underwear, half price.
All our 25c Huck Towels, hemmed - 19c each
Toilet twill Crash, bleached - - - 3c yd
Best Amoskeog Apron Ginghams - 4½c yd
Outing Flannel Underskirts, embroidered - 25c

Down Stairs.

Solid oak Combination Writing Desk and Book Case, regular price $9.98, special for Thursday $7.87
Full size soft top Mattress, covered with heavy tick, regular price $2.45, special for Thursday $1.98
6 qt. Tin Pails, Heavy wire bail - - - 6c
Wood rim Flour Sieve 6c
Wood rim Ash Sieve 6c
Large Rolling Pins - 6c
Wood Towel Roller - 6c
Good Stove Brush - 6c
Hardwood Mop Sticks 6c
9-lb. Candlewick Mop 6c
Best Porcelaine Pie Plates, all perfect - - 2c

These prices are designed to make business. If you are wise you will take advantage of them.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,
234-236-238 W. Front St.

If you ask your hands what kind of a
Kid Glove
they want, will say
"Buy at Peck's."
Why crowd your hands into ill-fitting Gloves when you can buy the best
At Peck's ?

TAKE THE TROLLEY TO
LINCOLN
Your eyes won't deceive you at the sights you will see, your judgment will tell you what to do.
SILAS DEWEY DRAKE, President and Manager.

SPECIAL.
A splendid line of Scotch Suits to order - $15 00
Reduced from $20.00
Trousers to order - - - 5.00
SEBRING'S,
202 West Front St.

Boehm's.
ANOTHER OF THOSE OCCASIONS
characteristic of this store. If ever there was a chance to save money in everything, the time is now here; therefore, do not delay, but make the most of it.

A GREAT GLOVE SALE.
Ladies' 2 clasp Kid Gloves in white, with black stitching, all shades of tans and browns and black, sizes 6 to 7, were 89c., special at 69c. pair.
MEN'S FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR,
the warmest Underwear manufactured, heavy wool fleecing, all sizes, shirts and drawers, were 50c, at 38c.
BLACK WOOL SOCKS.
Double heels and toes, high cuff, the 23c. kind at 15c. a pair.
LADIES' CAMEL HAIR VESTS AND PANTS.
very serviceable and strong, ¾ wool, regularly sold for 42c., special at 30c.
A JOB LOT OF CHATELAINE BAGS,
in all leather, goods worth fully 50c., special at 25c.
CHILDREN'S CAPS
in embroidered silk, eiderdown, silk and velvet, colors pink, light blue, white, brown, navy, garnet and green with and without trimming, at from 25c. upwards.
SILK CHIFFON COLLARETTES.
There are only a few more left, manufacturer's samples, while they last 98c., worth $1.75.
FEATHER AND OSTRICH BOAS
and Collarettes from 25c. upward.
DOUBLE FOLD PLAIDS,
suitable for Waists and Childrens' Dresses, silk striped effects, at 12½c.
DRESS GOODS REMNANTS.
Going very fast. There are some Waist and Skirt Patterns amongst them which will surely pay you to look at. 50c. goods for 25c., 25c. Dress goods at 10 and 15c. a yard.
SKIRT PATTERNS
in Outing Flannel, in pink, blue, grey and red striped at 29c.
BLANKETS AND COMFORTABLES
in full sizes, from 49c. upwards.

Boehm's.

The New Miller Oil Heater
Cannot Smoke.
No Odor When Put Out.
New Lines Gas and Electric Fixtures.
Welsbach Reading Lamps.
JOS. W. GAVETT.
West Front Street.

"NO WAR TAX ON THESE."
Men's Top Sole Bal - $1.50.
" Gork Filled Bal - 2.00.
" Winter Russett Bal - 3.00.
Ladies' Regent Toe Button - 1.50.
" Calf Lace Shoe - 2.00.
" Manish Shape Shoe - 3.00.
A. WILLETT & SON, No. 107 Park Ave.

PRICES TO WIN TRADE.
NEVER BEFORE HAVE WE SOLD SUCH GOOD SHOES FOR SO LITTLE MONEY.
Women's real Dongola Kid ..... 98c.
A better one for ..... $1 25.
And better still for ..... $1.50 Up.
"OUR" $2 and $3 SHOES, Extra Fine,
are the best sold for the money.
Men's good working shoes only ..... $1.25.
Men's stylish dress shoes only ..... $1 50.
And up to the famous J. & M. ..... $3 and $6.
WE SUIT ALL POCKETBOOKS. GOOD TRUNKS CHEAP.
DOANE & EDSALL.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Oct. 2.—There was a chance for the boys to have fun Monday night and they took it. The way the borough rang with shouts and yells and discordant music reminded them of old times. There was no malicious mischief reported, but plenty of gates were missed yesterday morning, when the householders awoke and many a wife hurried to the front door at the ringing of the bell expecting a caller, only to find that some mischievous urchin had pulled the bell and run away. Among the more serious pranks was one played on the New Market people. A number of boys drew C. H. Adams' big stone wagon from his yard to New Market, loaded it with gates, and took it back placing it again in Mr. Adams' yard. On the way over a crowd stopped at R. J. Fisher's house and had a load of his settees piled up all ready for transportation when Mr. Fisher heard them At his appearance all fled. A big heavy farm wagon was found blocking the entrance to the post office this morning when Postmaster Coriell arrived, and Walter G. Runyon discovered a window glass broken.

The fuse in one of the trolley cars which run between here and Bound Brook burned out Monday night just *as the car was starting* for Bound Brook on its last trip. There was no way of repairing the damage, so the passengers had to take a train for home or walk. The car was towed home in the morning.

The Scotch Plains foot ball team will play the Dunellen eleven Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock on the Lincoln grounds. The Plains team are well trained and a good game is expected, The second team is not yet in shape to play, but may be so by Saturday.

Twenty-six members of the Methodist Episcopal church went to Plainfield Monday night and attended the supper given in the Monroe Avenue church. This was done as a compliment to those who partook of the supper given in the Methodist church here two weeks ago.

Miss Julia Dodwell gave a Hallow'een party Monday night. There were a number present and the evening was spent in playing Hallow'een games, dancing, etc.

There were only a few names to be added to the registry lists yesterday, and so much interest is being shown in the election that it is expected a full vote will be polled.

William H. Terry and family were in Brooklyn last night attending the funeral of Mrs. Terry's mother who died Sunday in Metuchen.

A Hallow'een party was given Monday night to Miss Mabel Jamison, where she was a guest, at 52 Tracy avenue, Newark.

Miss Mabel Jamison will sing at a sociable to be given in Plainfield tomorrow evening in the First Methodist church.

A number of Republicans attended the Republican mass meeting at Bound Brook last night.

Isaac P. Stites, the blacksmith, who hurt his foot a few days ago, is able to work again.

The household goods of the late Mrs. Lydia Johnson will be sold at auction Friday.

Mrs. Powell, of Lincoln, spent Monday as the guest of Mrs. Charles Dodwell.

Miss Maud and Miss Lizzie Rand, of Somerville, spent yesterday in town.

Miss Mabel Jamison has returned from a visit with Newark friends.

Miss Josie Dealaman has entered the Plainfield Business College.

Mrs. Mary C. Laing, of Salem, is a visitor in the borough.

The depot hedge is being trimmed and the park raked up.

Henry Stephens, of Newark, is a visitor in town.

Lumber has arrived for the new freight house.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 2—The Daughters of Liberty gave a Hallowe'en sociable Monday night at the home of Dr. Nelson. A dime was charged for admission and any were invited who chose to come. The proceeds went for the good of the order.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 2—Some of the boys of the village are likely to get into serious trouble as the result of carrying their Hallow'een pranks too far. A number of them broke the staple fastening the lock on the cellar door of the public school and after gaining an entrance they began upsetting things right and left. Not satisfied with what damage they could do in the basement, they concluded to have some fun in the classrooms upstairs Here they scattered papers papers around, and broke one of the clocks. When they finally concluded to leave, they left the cellar door and a window open. One of the boys confessed this morning and the names of all were taken.

All was as merry as a marriage feast at the reception tendered by the Christian Endeavor society of the Baptist church last evening to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hoppell, who have just returned from their honeymoon, spent in the west. Rev. J. S. Braker opened the reception with a few appropriate remarks, after which the bride and groom were presented with a dozen silver tea spoons, the gift of the society. Mr. Hoppell responded with a short address thanking the society for their pleasant reception to himself and bride and for the handsome present and that the little affair would always remain a pleasant memory to both in their journey through life together.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church will meet in the "Manse" this afternoon. Mrs. Miller, of Roselle, who is interested in the Baptist Training School, of Philadelphia, will address the meeting.

Tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock John B. Stiliger, of this place, and Miss Mary Lass, will be united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents at Roselle.

Mrs. Frank Putnam and child, who have been spending a week with Mrs. Putnam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Frentz, have returned to their home in Plainfield.

The Board of Registry for Fanwood Township met in the town rooms yesterday. One new name was added to the registry, making a total registry of 316.

John Benner, of Fanwood, has treated "The Cottage" to a new coat of paint. William McNair has the contract.

Mrs. Goodbrough, of New York, who has been visiting her son, George Goodbrough, has returned to her home.

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a New England supper in Excelsior Hall Friday evening.

Louis Frentz and family have moved into Mrs. Adair's cottage on Grand street.

Henry Frentz, of West Point, N. Y., spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Goodwill Lodge, K. of P., meet in their rooms tomorrow evening.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, N. J., Nov.—Mrs. W. H. Trenchard and her daughter, Miss Maud Trenchard, are both confined to their home on Broad street by scarletina. The house has been quarinteened.

A young couple called at the parsonage of the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, saying that they were from New York, asked the Rev. O. M. Anderson to marry them, but as they could not produce a license he would not do it. It is supposed that the couple were from nearer home but wished to keep their marriage a secret and for that reason gave their address as from New York.

Rev. W. W. Moffett, brother of James Moffett, has been spending a few days in town and Sunday preached in the Methodist church.

—At White's they are doing some great dress goods selling, they have too many of certain lots and have cut prices way below their real value.

—The new Miller oil heater sold by Gavett cannot smoke and has a patent extinguisher that prevents odor when put out. If you want a good heater you should see the Miller.

Bon Ami

The Modern Metal Polish

DOES PERFECT WORK. WILL NOT SMIRCH THE HANDS WHEN USING, AND IS EASILY APPLIED.

By Request the date of closing the VELOX Competition has been deferred to Saturday, Nov. 5th

THE BARD COMPANY, 133 NORTH AVE.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Senator Reed was in Trenton yesterday on business.

Miss Rosa Merritt, of Perth Amboy, is visiting friends in town.

David Bowne, of Princeton, was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Berthe Clum, of Netherwood, who has been quite ill, is recovering.

Ferdinand Dencklau, of East Second street, is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Hattie Bonnell, of Manning avenue, is visiting friends in New York.

Miss Emmaline Langworthy, of Mystic, Ct., is visiting relatives in town.

Prof. H. Theodore Chamberlain, of Jersey City, was in town on business last night.

J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, remains about the same, neither better or worse.

Pierre Malli and family, of East Front street, have gone to New York for the Winter.

The condition of Jacob Long, of the borough, who is very ill, is reported as being no better.

"Pop" Thorn, of the Eldridge Cycle Company, has about recovered from a severe illness.

Mrs. J. W Reinhart and family, of Belvidere avenue, have returned from Hot Springs, Va.

H. C. Wiltbank, of New Brunswick, is assisting as reporter on the News during the illness of Reporter Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. James McEvoy, of West Second street, are receiving the congratulations of their friends. It's a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Flannery, of New York, who have been visiting Plainfield relatives, have returned home.

Theodore Vroom and family, of Manning avenue, have removed to H. N. Spencer's house on Lincoln place.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simmonds, of New York, spent Monday with Mr. Simmonds parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Simmonds, of Watchung avenue.

Albert Johnson, one of the survivors of the Maine, who spent a few days in Plainfield this fall as a guest of friends, has been very ill in Brooklyn. He is improving now, and hopes are entertained for his complete recovery.

Mrs. Mulford, of Chicago, is in Plainfield visiting former acquaintances. She formerly resided with her son, Arthur Mulford and his wife on Sandford avenue. The three are now residents of Chicago, where Mr. Mulford has a lucrative position.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Consider a Moment!

Why Not Feel Well?

This is the time for renovating the system. *YOUR BLOOD* may need cleansing.

RANDOLPH'S SARSAPARILLA

is compounded of roots and herbs that free the circulation of its impurities. Everybody may have the benefits of this preparation.

THE PRICE ONLY 50 CENTS.

L. W. RANDOLPH,

Prescription Druggist. 143 West Front St.

Plainfield, N. J.

Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.

Park and North Aves.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Tomorrow afternoon the members of the W. C. T. U. will hold a business meeting.

—A fair will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms next week for the benefit of the Union.

—In placing your Friday's order, don't forget your lobsters and oysters for Saturday, Rogers.

—The second crop of ice is being harvested at the plant of the Plainfield Hygeia Ice Company. The quality of the ice is fine.

—A birthday sociable will be given tomorrow night at the Methodist church. Quite an elaborate programme is being prepared.

—Excellent progress is being made on the parsonage for the pastor of Grace M. E. church. When completed it will be a handsome residence.

—Louis Randolph, of Park avenue, shot a 'possum yesterday and today gave a little 'possum party to which he invited a number of his friends.

—Some excellent improvements are being made at St. Mary's church. One of the most important is the addition which will allow for a baptismal fount.

—At the meeting of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, D of A., held last evening, one member was initiated, two elected and one proposition received.

—A number of improvements are soon to be made on the Howlett house on Elmwood place. A slate roof will be put on and the dwelling will be painted.

—There is a great demand at Randolph's pharmacy for Lowney's celebrated chocolates and bon-bons, and already they have become very popular.

—The monthly business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist C. E. society will be held Thursday evening at the home of Miss Henrietta Cuming, of Putnam avenue.

—A ball will be given in Washington Hall tomorrow evening by the drivers of the Plainfield Fire department for the benefit of the Firemen's Mutual Benefit Association.

—Stout & Laing, the hustling newsdealers, have purchased I. L. Tingley's Sunday news route and business and they will continue to serve his customers in an efficient and proper manner.

—The local telephone company will make their headquarters on Park avenue in the F. L. C. Martin cycle store next spring. The employes of the company are gradually preparing for the move.

—A substantial stone walk has been laid on Somerset street opposite the North Plainfield Public High School. For years pedestrians were obliged to travel over a board walk that was a great nuisance.

—Efforts are being made to clean West Front street and put it in good shape for winter. The street railway company has been spreading fine crushed stone in places where the tracks have been repaired.

—Tomorrow all day the lady managers of the First Baptist church for the "Old Folks Home" of their denomination in New Jersey, will be in attendance at the Sunday school room to receive gifts of groceries, linen or money for this cause.

EXTRACTS.

After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

A. L. KAERTH & CO.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD (E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

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DIED.

HEGEMAN—In North Plainfield, Saturday, Oct 29th, Catharine E., wife of B. A. Hegeman and daughter of the late Judge Wm. J. Roome, of New York, aged 68 years. Funeral services at her late residence, 37 Sycamore avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, Nov. 2nd, at 3 p. m. Please omit flowers. 10 31 2

WANTS AND OFFERS

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HOMESICKNESS IN THE ARMY.

The Cause of a Number of Deaths In the Civil War.

Illustrative of how nostalgia becomes a serious matter the following instances are related:

One man from the colored troops on the fighting line who came with the first detachment was not wounded, but only stunned by the explosion of a shell which had fallen near him. There was nothing the matter with him but the shock to his nerves and homesickness. He spoke to no one. He would take no food, and he sat huddled together on his cot, looking out from the open flies of the hospital tent with a face full of unspeakable loneliness. Every morning when she came to the hospital Mrs. Marsh would bring him some little thing which she had prepared for him at home; little by little she wakened his interest and finally he was dismissed from the hospital happy and well. One of the doctors and the writer were speaking of this case—Ward his name was—when a physician offered an illustration of homesickness.

"When I was assistant surgeon in the army during the last war," he said, with an amused nod to the young assistant listening, "I had an idea that I knew more than the surgeon major. I suppose all assistants think so at one time or another, but I believe that in this case it was true. Our major was a hard man and there was one case in camp that he had no patience with. It was a poor chap who was simply dying of homesickness. I stopped by him one day where he was sitting with his face in his hands, and I put my hand on his shoulder and spoke a word or two, and he looked up, and I shall never forget his look as he said: 'You're the first one that has spoken a kind word to me since I came.' I told the surgeon about it afterwards and he said it was all nonsense, and that the man was simply too lazy to work. I said, 'He's not lazy; he's sick.' But the major had his mind made up, and he hunted the poor chap out and set him to loading stuff in the commissary department. That afternoon I came across him sitting on a sack of grain with his head down, and I noticed the way he'd slumped forward. I laid hold of him and found that he was dead. Plenty of them died that way—of homesickness."

There was an odd look on the faces of some of the men on the cots when the doctor had told his story, as if the brief service in Santiago had already taught them what that sickness meant. —Frank Leslie's Weekly.

Winnie Davis' Left Hand Work.

Apropos of the death of Winnie Davis, there is a story told of her by a resident of Philadelphia, which shows why she was held so dear by the veterans of the Confederate army. The man who tells it was a colonel under the stars and bars, and is now a rich man. "But five years ago I wasn't," he says. "I'd lost every penny I had before the war and I had not made many since. A big slump in the West had done for me, and I put up at a New York hotel with just enough to pay my bill and no more. My nerves gave way and I was taken ill. The doctor said I must have a long rest and a complete change of scene. I said I might rest in the grave and change this scene for that of the next world, but that I had no money or friends and would never leave the city any way but feet first. Well, Miss Davis was stopping at that hotel. She knew I wouldn't accept money from her, so she got the doctor to pretend he was lending me his own. I went abroad and came home cured and already on the way to health. It was only then that I found out whom I owed my life to. You know her book, 'The Veiled Doctor?' Well, for me there is an equivocal significance in that name."—Philadelphia Press.

Some Watch Hints.

"It is a bad practice to be continually setting a watch by the stem setter," observed a watch repairer, "for it has a tendency to wear out the band that attaches the hands to the pinion. The hands are tightened to the pinion as firmly as they can be, and every setting loosens them somewhat. There is a class of persons who set their watches every day rather than give a little attention to the matter of regulating them. They find that the watch gains or loses a minute or a few minutes in each twenty-four hours, and instead of curing this by the regulator, which is put in the watch for that express purpose, and no other, they force back or forward the hands by the stem setter or by a key.

"If the hand pinion wears out, which it frequently does, it is considerable of a job to put in a new one or place new hands on it, and the work necessarily costs something, for watch repairers have to charge for their work. If a person knows that a watch gains or loses a certain amount in each day, it is better to calculate back or forward than to be continually setting it. A little study of the regulator will do the work much better, without the rask of wearing out anything." —Washington Star.

Deserved a Credit.

"Tommy," said the teacher to a pupil in the juvenile class, "what is syntax?"

"I guess it must be a tax on whiskey," replied Tommy. And the teacher thought he was entitled to a credit of 100 per cent.—Utica Press.

It has been calculated that ordinary gunpowder, on exploding, expands about nine thousand times, or fills a space this much larger as a gas than when in solid form.

Would Not Marry the Family.

They were in all the blissful transports of a couple who had been engaged three hours and a half. It was verging on to midnight, but he manifested no sign of going, and she trembled lest he should do so. Suddenly he drew a pencil from his pocket, tore a blank leaf from his note-book, and said:—

"Now, my own little lovey dovey, let's make a diagram of the little home we will have."

"Oh, yes, let's do!" she said ecstatically.

"Our home! Don't it sound lovely? It will be genuine love in a cottage, won't it, sweetheart?"

"Oh, yes, indeed! We can get along with a dear little reception-room, double parlors, a library, dining and music rooms downstairs. Then we'll want a large, sunny, beautiful room upstairs for dear mamma."

"Yes, dearest, when she comes to visit us we'll make it as——"

"Visit us? Why, Albert, mamma intends living with us, of course."

"Oh, ah—I—I——"

"I knew I'd surprise you, darling! Won't it be lovely? Then Auntie Harriet will have a room next to mamma's and——"

"Auntie Harriet?"

"Why, yes, precious. She dotes on you, and I've always told her that if I ever had a home it should be hers, too, and you wouldn't want your little girly-girly to break her word?"

"No—ho—I——"

"And then we must calculate for a large, sunny room for my dear old grandmamma and grandpapa, who made your little wife to be so happy when she was a little girl."

"Yes, dear, but I—I——"

"No buts about it, darling. Then sister Nellie will want a pleasant room, and dear old Uncle Horace, and brother Tom won't want to be separated from dear mamma and me, and I've always said that dear old Auntie Miggs should be with me at least half of the time, and if we could spare a room for——"

Their engagement came to an end there on the spot, and dear Albert has a breach of promise suit on hand now.

Suggestion for an Umbrella Stand.

The accompanying sketch represents a variation of the old-fashioned "drain-pipe umbrella stand." Cover an earthen pipe with a thin equally spread layer of putty. Into this stick dried

peas, pressing them until they project only very slightly beyond the putty, being put on close together or in patches. When quite dry paint the whole a dull willow green and the interior of the pipe poppy red.

Now take some thin felt and stick it with some very strong glue upon brown paper, while still wet cutting it out into pieces the shape of a poppy's petals and the long branching leaves. Paint them the natural shades and when dry attach them to the pipe first sewing them in the shape of a plant, the centers of the flowers being formed of large black, fancy braid buttons.

About the Foot.

Women are more often too short than too tall, and consequently try to gain height by putting on high-heeled shoes. These will give dignity as long as the wearer stands still, but in motion they are graceless and deform the feet. The better shape a foot is the smaller it will look, but in the disproportionately small foot there is always involved an awkward gait. The foot of a large woman should be larger than the foot of a small woman, or a slenderly-built woman, and to her unnecessary sorrow, it usually is.

The foot should be the same length as that from the elbow to the bone which projects from the outer portion of the wrist. Most people are surprised that the foot should be as long as the forearm, and are inclined to dispute the fact unless proven by experience.

Large women will pinch their feet in tight shoes because they are ashamed to have them in proportion to their bodies, and in time the feet become deformed. The public eye, not being critical of proportion, without their going to the pain of pinching their feet, consider them small, therefore there is no excuse for exchanging this kind of torture and the dignified carriage, two essentials to the greatest beauty. In fact, anything else could be better sacrificed than ease of motion.

A French batter for frying vegetables, eggplant, cold boiled sweet potatoes, etc., is made by moistening a little flour with water, adding a good pinch of salt, two teaspoonfuls of olive oil, and the same of French brandy. When ready to use, beat in the stiffly beaten white of an egg. To fry bananas, apples, and similar fruits, sugar should be used instead of salt.

PORTO RICANS LIKE SAGASTA.

He is a Faithful Friend to the Queen and Boy King.

Porto Ricans have a liking for Sagasta, though they detest the government of which he is the head. All things considered they have got along better under him than under any other Spanish premier. He granted them a large measure of the reforms they asked for and they are grateful, though they admit the granting was by no means voluntary, but was done reluctantly and under protest. Still the aged statesman has met many of the islanders, and all of them agree that personally he is charming. He is jolly and interesting and speaks frankly.

In this he differs from all other Spaniards in Madrid. There is nothing of the rhetorician about him; no flourishes of speech; no elaborate and ornate periods about the honor and dignity of the nation. He knows all about these two Spanish attributes; and he would rejoice to find they existed elsewhere than in the imaginations of the orators in the Cortes. As he does not find anything tangible about this honor and dignity, he accepts the condition and does the best he can. He worships the god of things as they are, and does not attempt to instil practical, hopeful common sense into minds unfitted to receive it. He does not urge the rhetoricians to move forward toward high ideals, but he lets them talk and manage them. That is the Porto Rican view.

Sagasta has done well for himself, but he has done more for Spain than any other minister of recent times. He has lived among pilferers and possibly is a pilferer himself, but his simple life and the commonplace lodgings he occupies on the first floor of an ordinary apartment house on the Plaza Celenque do not indicate that he has amassed great wealth.

He is almost the only Spaniard in official life that uses the word "steal." The others say "interfiltration," or "percolation." He will have none of the elaborate euphonistic vocabulary of the official class. He is as frank as Dean Swift and as keen in wit, but he has a suavity the Dean sorely lacked. He believes in himself and is sure he can do as well by Spain as any other man, consequently, as he loves power, he accepts office. When he is out he does not worry. Indeed, he has stepped out voluntarily several times. He used to see-saw gracefully with Canovas, and apparently was on the best understanding with his political opponent. The "up and down" scheme was carried on with courteous consideration.

Although Sagasta is a Grand Master of the order of Masons, he is the intimate friend of the high functionaries of the Roman Catholic church in Spain. This speaks volumes for his urbanity and tact. He has been a sort of grandpa to the boy king, and has won the confidence of the queen regent so that she trusts him implicitly. He was minister of state under Alfonso XII, under Marshal Serrano during his regency (1868-'70), under Amadeus of Aosta, the second son of Victor Emanuel, who resigned in 1873, and under General Prim, who, in 1868, was president of the council, minister of war and commander-in-chief of the army, with the rank of marshal. Something in this reminds one of Talleyrand, who took care to stand well with whoever was in power, saying, in explanation that by so doing he could best serve France.

Best Time for a Bath.

The best time for taking a bath is just before going to bed. There is no practice, more objectionable than to go to bed closely wrapped up in the dust and dirt that accumulate on the surface of the body during the day; nor is there anything I know of so conducive to sound sleep as a tepid douche just before getting into bed. I have many times known bad sleepers become the best of sleepers from the adoption of this simple rule.

Bobby: "Pop, does 'missive' mean a letter?"
Fond Parent: "Yes, Bobby."
Bobby: "And does 'sub' mean under?"
Fond Parent: "Right, Bobby."
Bobby: "Then 'submissive' must mean a postcript, musn't it?"

THE AMERICAN CUP.

This is the trophy which Sir Thomas Lipton has challenged for and which American yatchsmen will defend in September, 1899.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Preußen.

Provinz Brandenburg.

Berlin. Es finden Vorbereitungen statt für eine Reichsvorlage zur Beseitigung der Privatposten gegen Ablösung. Die Beamten sollen entweder von der Postverwaltung übernommen oder entschädigt werden.— Dieser Tage verschied hier die Gattin des Gouverneurs von Deutsch-Ostafrika, Generals Liebert, die wegen Krankheit ihren Gemahl nicht nach Afrika hatte begleiten können.— Das Marktstandgeld für diejenigen Waaren, welche auf dem Bürgersteig aufgestellt werden, und welches circa 8000 Mark einbringt, soll vom nächsten Etatsjahr fortfallen. Die Einziehung, welche verpachtet ist, ist mit vielen Umständen und Aergerlichkeiten verbunden. Meist werden kleine Leute durch das Marktstandsgeld betroffen, auch ist es, seitdem die offenen Wochenmärkte beseitigt sind, mindestens fraglich, ob die Erhebung von Standgeld für Waaren auf dem Bürgersteig, ohne daß ein Marktverkehr daselbst stattfindet, noch berechtigt genannt werden kann.

Erkner. Mehrere Brandstiftungsversuche, die in letzter Zeit in Gosen noch rechtzeitig entdeckt wurden, haben jetzt durch die Behörde ihre Aufklärung gefunden. Als Brandstifter sind nämlich zwei schulpflichtige Knaben des Ortes ermittelt, welche sich durch die Brände ein Vergnügen machen wollten.

Spandau. Die hiesigen städtischen Behörden hatten beim Kriegsminister ein Gesuch um Aufhebung der Baubeschränkungen in den Festungsrayons eingereicht. Der darauf erfolgte Bescheid läßt erkennen, daß der Minister im Prinzip einer Milderung der jetzigen, die Entwickelung der Stadt hemmenden fortifikatorischen Bestimmungen nicht abgeneigt ist. Er erklärt, er würde in eine Beseitigung der Stadtumwallung willigen, wenn weiter hinaus dafür durch neue Festungsanlagen Ersatz geschaffen würde.

Provinz Hannover.

Osnabrück. Dieser Tage wurde einer der gefährlichsten Schmuggler, der Landwirth Johann Lampen von Neuheede, Kreis Aschendorf, wegen Einschwärzens von Rindvieh in das hiesige Landgerichtsgefängniß eingeliefert. Wegen der Billigkeit des Viehes in Holland wird zur Zeit der Schmuggel an der Grenze sehr flott betrieben.

Papenburg. In dem benachbarten Orte Bunde versuchte der ledige Klempner Schröder im Beisein des Kaufmanns Duit eine Radfahrer-Acetylenlaterne anzuzünden. Ob Unvorsichtigkeit oder mangelhafte Konstruktion der Laterne Schuld war— plötzlich explodirte mit großem Knall der für die Aufnahme des Carbids bestimmte Behälter. Durch die mit furchtbarer Wucht auseinander gerissenen Stücke wurde Schröder am Kopfe dermaßen verletzt, daß er alsbald seinen Geist aufgab, auch der Kaufmann Duit erlitt am Kopfe und am Arme erhebliche Verletzungen, die jedoch nicht tödtlich sind.

Provinz Hessen-Nassau.

Kassel. Nach der in einer der letzten Sitzungen der Stadtverordneten zum Vortrag gekommenen Bilanz des hiesigen städtischen Gaswerks pro 1897—98 berechnet sich der Rohgewinn auf 324,247 Mark, wovon 156,271 Mark als fünfprozentige Rente des Anlagekapitals an die Stadtkasse abzuführen sind, während der Rest mit 167,976 Mark als eigentlicher Reingewinn ebenfalls der Stadtkasse zufließt. Das Kapitalkonto der Gasanstalt beziffert sich nunmehr auf 3,099,020 Mark.

Frankfurt. Das Landgericht hob zum zweiten Male das Urtheil des Homburger Schöffengerichts auf, das den Inhaber der Kirdorfer chemischen Fabrik wegen Verbreitung übler Gerüche zu Geldstrafen verurtheilt hatte.

Provinz Pommern.

Stettin. Der hier ohne Erben verstorbene Rentner Knoblauch hat sein gesammtes Vermögen, bestehend aus einem großen Grundstück und 180,000 Mark, der Stadt Stettin zu wohlthätigen Zwecken vermacht.

Altdamm. Der hiesige Schneider Werschock hatte sich vor dem Schwurgericht wegen schwerer Körperverletzung seines eigenen Söhnchens zu verantworten. Der Rabenvater hatte das drei Monate alte Kind fortgesetzt derart mißhandelt, daß der Tod erfolgte. Es war fortgesetzt die Ursache von Streitigkeiten zwischen den Eltern, weil, wie Werschock bei seiner Vernehmung erklärte, mit der Aufwartung für dasselbe „zu viel Zeit vertrödelt" wurde. Der Angeklagte wurde zu zwei Jahren Gefängniß verurtheilt, da ihm mit Rücksicht auf seine Jugend (23 Jahre) und bisherige Unbescholtenheit mildernde Umstände bewilligt wurden.

Provinz Posen.

Posen. Der bekannte polnische Reichstagsabgeordnete Dr. jur. Sigmund von Dziembowski-Pomian, Rechtsanwalt und Stadtverordneter dahier, hat sein Reichstagsmandat niedergelegt.

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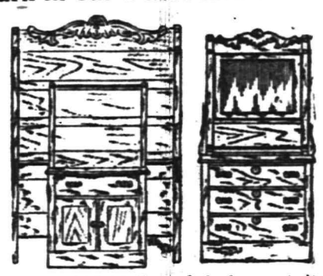

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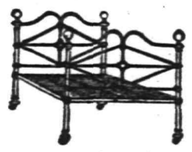

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 26, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 08, 7 19, 8 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 25, 11 28, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m.; 2 03, 3 59, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 3 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m.; 2 09, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 15, 5 16, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 20 p. m.

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5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

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6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 27, 8 13, 10:27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 34, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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Luccheni, though an Italian, owes his Anarchistic education to the German press and the Paris commune, which, though often suppressed, still breeds its vipers for all of the European capitals. The German anarchist is above all things a thinker. He it is who writes the burning literature which incites the hotheaded Italian and Frenchman to action. There are exceptions, of course, for it is currently understood that it was a German, Schnaubelt, who threw the Haymarket bomb, and for this crime Parsons, Fisher, Engle, Spies, Fielden, Lingg, Neebe and Schwab, all but two of them Germans, suffered death or imprisonment.

True it is that the anarchist prates of Proudhon as the father of the cause, yet in an argument they cast aside the milder logic of the Frenchman and gorge themselves on the economic theories of Carl Marx, who put the problem tersely for these anarchists when he defined the communists of his time, and they have developed into the anarchists of to-day, as "on the one hand, practically, the most advanced and resolute section of the working class parties of every country, that section which pushes forward all others; on the other hand, theoretically, they have over the great mass of the proletariat the advantage of clearly understanding the line of march, the conditions, and the ultimate general results of the proletarian movement. The immediate aim of the Communists is the same as that of all the other proletarian parties; formation of the proletariat into a class, overthrow of the bourgeois supremacy, conquest of political power by the proletariat."

And here again is a typical Marx sentiment: "The Communists disdain to conceal their views and aims. They openly declare that their ends can be attained only by the forcible overthrow of all existing social conditions. Let the ruling classes tremble at a Communistic revolution. The proletarians have nothing to lose but their chains. They have a world to win."

It was Orsini, in 1858, who began the war which militant anarchy has since waged on society. He it was who threw the bomb at Napoleon III, and, with his companion, Fieri, was guillotined. There was a queer blending of the anarchist and the liberator in Orsini, and he has been to thousands a martyr of a still bleeding cause.

Since the night of November 7, 1893, when bombs were thrown into the Liceo theatre at Barcelona, where hundreds were killed, European society, royal and bourgeois, has been in constant dread of attack, although the work of Ravachol in 1892 caused no little consternation in France. With six bombs he on different occasions blew up the house of the Princess de Sagan; the residence of Judge Benoit, who was unusually severe on anarchists; a store at the corner of Rue de Clichy and Rue de Berlin, wherein twenty persons were killed or wounded; the Cafe Very, where two young people dining were hurled to eternity, and finally a portion of the Palais de Justice.

All these exploits were performed in the first months of 1892. Two juries brought Ravachol in "not guilty," frankly admitting that they were afraid of their lives to condemn him, although they clearly recognized he had committed the crimes attributed to him. Mothers in France at this day frighten their restive or unruly children by threatening to hand them over to Ravachol.

The murderous act of the Parisian anarchist Vaillant, who threw a bomb among the French deputies, aroused the whole civilized world to the necessity of concerted measures to check the mad violence of such social outlawry. Vaillant's cowardly attempt to assassinate the legislative representatives of the French people probably marked the turning point in the history of anarchy. Hitherto the war on society had engaged only one army—the army of the aggressors. Now the army of the defence took a hand in the active hostilities.

Within forty-eight hours after the Vaillant incident the governments of the different states of Europe were conferring with one another, either by telegraph or through their accredited representatives, regarding the measures to be taken for their mutual protection against anarchistic foes.

It was settled in short order that no more toleration should be extended to the publication of incitements to the wholesale destruction of life and liberty. Entirely too much consideration had hitherto been shown to what seemed mere noise and bluster. The time had come when society must resist even an academical propagation of the tenets of Anarchy.

But the work of the stiletto went on. Still the deed of Vaillant differed much from that of Santo or of Luccheni.

The chief fact to be borne in mind in the consideration of the Vaillant incident is that the outlaw's murderous design was directed not against a monarch or anyone presuming to enjoy hereditary rights over the people, but rather against the people themselves as represented by their elected officials. The civilized world can readily understand an attack like Vaillant's when directed against a tyrant. When, however, anarchy presumes to attack a republic—the most perfect and equitable form of government as yet devised by the human mind—it is plain that the general system of anarchy means simply indiscriminate warfare on all law and order.

These men are pretty nearly all alike. Of Luccheni little is known beyond his more recent life, but like Vaillant, he was notorious for rank physical cowardice, and nothing could have evidenced this better than his selection of a woman as his victim.

It is pointed out that no anarchist has yet had the courage to attack even one man where the individual had an opportunity to defend himself. To say that popular feeling against the anarchists is extremely bitter is to put it very mildly, and the popular demand for suppressive measures is certain to force the governments to adopt far more stringent precautions than any that have yet marked the counter revolution against lawlessness.

For a long time the individual cowardice of anarchists had one marked and peculiar effect; it led society into the great blunder of vastly underestimating the danger of their presence in the community. A foreign commentator on the subject remarks that it had become the fashion in government regions to think that the danger from anarchists was a mere dream of the police authorities. A French minister of state is quoted as saying: "Of every ten anarchists, there are seven who are in the employ of the police, and three who are arrant cowards." It was this sentiment, however, that has prevented hitherto the adoption of well considered and effective measures of repression of anarchists. It is pointed out that even on the perpetration of the outrages by Ravachol, the people and government of France insisted that the episode really meant nothing; that it was the act of a mad man who had no accomplice, while about all the precaution that the prefecture of police took was to request the Scotland Yard officials to keep them posted as to the comings and goings of certain inhabitants of the French quarter of London.

Santo Caserio, in open day, on June 24, 1894, had no trouble in plunging his stiletto into the heart of President Carnot, although the latter was being feted by the whole city of Lyons, and his carriage was surrounded by officers of the Republican Guard.

It was by the veriest accident that King Humbert of Italy's life was not cut off by an anarchist in April of last year, as he drove to the Cappannelle races. Giovanni Acciarito's foot slipped as he stepped on the king's carriage, and all nerve was thus taken from the blow which he aimed at the monarch's heart.

Angiolillo, another Italian anarchist, was more successful in the attempt which he made on the virtual ruler of another nation. The steel which he held in readiness escaped the eyes of the police and of the special detectives, and on a quiet Sunday afternoon, some thirteen months ago, he let out the life blood of Spain's prime minister, Senor Canovas del Castillo.

The present year has been fertile enough in anarchistical exploits. On the evening of February 26 a murderous attack was made on the life of the King of Greece. Successively attempts were made on Nicholas II of Russia, and on Welhelmina I, the newly crowned queen of Holland. It would seem, however, as if the Luccheni episode had changed all this. The governments of Europe are in negotiation for the adoption of measures for concentrated action and for the unification of their respective laws bearing on the subject of social outlawry. This step is positively necessary in order to meet the anarchists on equal grounds, for it has been proved beyond doubt that there is close and constant connection between the anarchists of different countries. They have a magnificent organization for the prompt and secret interchange of news and for furnishing each other all forms of material assistance. To fight such an elaborately organized system of evil, governments throughout the world must adopt a scheme of mutual aid.

Among the essential details of such a scheme are the establishment of a permanent international police commission against the anarchists, as well as special national commissions. The persons whose names get on the list of suspects will be under police surveillance in all countries.

International legislation will also be adopted in regard to the sale and manufacture of explosives, and an attempt will be made to secure uniform legislation in all countries for the repression of anarchism. It will be difficult to obtain this, but it is hoped that the sense of self-preservation in the presence of the danger which menaces society will prove stronger than all other considerations, and will facilitate the tasks of the governments when they come to propose such legislation to their respective parliaments.

Germany will perhaps begin the great work by the enactment of the Umsturz bill, which caused no little consternation when first proposed several years ago in the ranks of the Socialists.

Husband: "It seems to me that you come to my office a good deal more than there is any necessity for." Wife: "I cannot help it, dear; your manners in the office are so much nicer than they are at home that I like to enjoy the contrast."

"I wish I was a girl," said Bobbie.

"Why do you wish that?" asked his father.

"Oh, then I wouldn't have to bother about thinking what I'll be when I'm a man."

Cora: "Pauline is smarter than you, my dear. She can accompany the new tenor on the piano."

Perdita: "Yes, but I can accompany him on my bicycle."

AT THE ARMY POSTS.

MIMIC WARFARE AT CAMP RILEY IS A GOOD SCHOOL FOR SOLDIERS.

The Blues and Browns Fight Lively Battles With Blank Cartridges. No More Formality Could Be Observed In Actual Warfare.

The army posts are filling up again and from one after another come reports that the old routine of soldier life has again begun. But there will be one omission this year which many volunteers will regret, for the manoeuvres at Camp Riley from October to December of each year had become almost an institution, and were annually visited by thousands.

This mimic warfare it was that made possible the brilliant record of the regulars at El Caney and San Juan, for it was real hard fighting and proved the best kind of a school for the soldier.

The surface of the reservation is particularly fitted for the work, having many ravines, timber patches, bluffs and gulches. These make admirable hiding and camping places, while out on the prairies and meadowlands are the hand-to-hand engagements with plenty of room to deploy, march and wheel without conflicting with any natural barriers.

The theory of the school is two-fold, embracing defense and attack. A brigade of troops is designated by the colonel commanding, with cavalry and artillery, known as the "Blues," wearing blue uniforms and forage caps, to remain at the fort and defend it. Another brigade, whose members wear brown canvas, with campaign hats, is known as the "Browns," and, being in camp far down the Kaw valley toward Manhattan, may appear at any time, seeking to reconnoitre the Blues' position and to give them battle.

All troops march fully armed and equipped and carry ten blank carbine cartridges. Topographical and road sketches are made by the engineers with as much care as if entering an enemy's country, and are on a scale of four inches to the mile. A topographical officer is detailed to accompany each command and submit a hasty sketch and report to the commander of the forces to which he is attached.

To guard against accidents all cartridges are inspected before the soldiers go out, and again before actions and by officers. Strict orders are issued that every man must act as much as possible as though actual conditions existed in such shape as it is pretended they do, and umpires, spectators and inspectors see that this rule is carried out. When a part of a force is exposed necessarily, double-quick time is made, and exhaustive reports, criticisms and comments are submitted to the commander of the post after each engagement. It will thus be seen that the work is meant to accomplish something, and it does.

If actual war were in progress more formality could scarcely be observed. Regular orders are issued to the troops with the utmost precision, not exceeded even in the prosecution of a campaign. For instance, here is a typical order issued to the Blues:

"Order No. 121, November 10.—The enemy has appeared in force north of the camp. The brigade will be held in readiness to march to-morrow morning.

"Two troops of the First and two of the Second cavalry, and one battery of artillery, under command of Major W. A. Rafferty, Second cavalry, are hereby detailed as advance guard, and will, at 8.45 a. m. to-morrow, proceed along the Milk Ranch road.

"In case any of the enemy are met, the advance guard will push them back as far as possible. A medical officer and detachments of the hospital and signal corps will accompany the command. By order of Colonel Arnold.

"W. S. SCOTT,
"Acting Adjutant General."

The advance was begun on Fort Riley with due formality. The brigade went into camp as regularly as though a thousand miles away from headquarters. Tents, accouterments, all the paraphernalia of camp life, were used, and videttes, outposts and scouts did their work carefully and well. Then, on November 14, came an order dated "In camp, near Riley Center, November 14," and saying:

"The Blue brigade will, at break of day to-morrow morning, continue the march on Fort Riley. Two troops of cavalry are detailed as rear guards. The rear guards slowly retiring on Fort Riley, will, by stubborn resistance, delay the advance of the enemy as much as possible. Commander of rear guard will, however, take care that troops are withdrawn before they become engaged in any serious conflict. Signal men will be furnished with mounts, and men will be detailed to act as wounded. A medical officer with hospital corps detachment will be detailed to follow the command."

The issuing of such orders means much to the boys on duty. They see in the art of war something more than the mere learning of drills and tactics, and are awakened to a hearty enthusiasm which makes the work a pleasure rather than a duty regretfully performed. Most of the men stationed at the fort as privates are young, and the constant changes to bring in new troops from the surrounding posts all over the West makes the work decidedly interesting, and the rivalry by no means slight. This spirit it was that made the work of the regulars so conspicuous in Cuba, the Philippines and Porto Rico.

The location of umpires on the field to pass upon the accuracy of all movements insures immunity from any horse play, and as the artillery and cavalry alone are engaged, there is a valuable drill in every day's proceedings. Many visitors go out from the surrounding counties of Central Kansas to see the fun, and really they see about as much of warfare as any layman can see, even if a campaign is going on in his own vicinity.

To follow the Blues or Browns for a day is a revelation to anyone. The ground is so rolling that the whole army might well be concealed in a ravine, and it requires shrewd generalship to keep full command of the brigade. As the enemy steadily advances on the fort, throwing out flanking lines and men who represented whole troops in themselves. These are the flag bearers, each flag standing for a troop of men. They are so recognized in the contest, and it is a rule that when two flags flank a single one, the latter is to consider himself captured and retreat or surrender.

The approach of the two lines means a battle, and soon the cavalry is seen coming out from behind a hill on the Milk Ranch road, ready to charge a battery of light artillery on the plain. Cantering forward, they are met by a destructive fire that threatens to wipe them from the earth. One after another of the invaders drops from his horse in mock injury.

Then the batteries rally and make a charge themselves. Up the hill they go, and hurry pell mell to the crest, where, in an instant, they whirl into place and the guns belch forth a warning and a menace. The invading Browns are, however, too numerous, and have other parties of cavalry and flagmen on the flanks, and the umpires declare that the Blues are whipped in the battle.

Sometimes the campaign lasts several days, and anxious councils of war are held by the young lieutenants to make the best possible showing for their sides. They know that it will all be reviewed afterward, and they do not want to be found wanting. The conduct of the campaigns, sham though they be, is a good index of the actual stuff that is in an officer, young or old.

The commanding officer, when a campaign is over, issues an exhaustive comment on the merits of the various troops' work, thus pointing out the strong and weak points in exercise. His criticism covers the entire progress of the troops and outlines the work at each successive step in the battles.

Sometimes there is a different enemy to fight than a human one. A year or two ago when the rare Blues and Browns got nicely ready to begin a lively battle on a pretty piece of prairie, they were attacked by a prairie fire, which came dancing through the long blue steen

A flag of truce was displayed and in a moment both the late combatants were fighting the fire, beating and stamping out the oncoming blaze. When it was all extinguished the warfare was resumed.

Then, again, there was a campaign against the town cow herd of Junction City, four miles away. The herd of town cows was becoming altogether too familiar for Uncle Sam's dignity, and it was ordered by the colonel commanding that they remain off the reservation. But the cows did not understand the order, and made their appearance, as usual, feeding in happiness on the rich grasses.

"The cows are in sight," reported an orderly.

"Clear off the reservation!" ordered the commander, and an officer, with a number of troopers, went forth to wage a new kind of carnage.

But the cows did not like this, and, frightened at the strangely appareled herders, went bellowing in every direction. It was a long chase, but they were finally driven back to town. Then the townspeople took a hand, and a dozen columns of newspaper letters and as many messages to and from the war department were necessary to restore quiet. The cows, however, did not come back.

About the only real amusement the soldiers get is when some guileless spectator forgets his relative position and stands in the line of advance. Then the cavalry or artillery come charging on, as if to crush him, and somebody thunders at the stranger:

"Git!"

With little ado and without stopping for greetings, he "gits."

Anecdote of Frederick VI.

Whoever reads the following must own to a feeling of respect for the honest King. King Frederick VI. of Denmark, while travelling through Jutland, one day entered a village school, and found the children lively and intelligent, and quite ready to answer his questions.

"Well, younsters," he said, "what are the names of the greatest Kings of Denmark?"

With one accord they cried out, "Canute the Great, Waldemar, and Christian IV."

Just then a little girl, to whom the schoolmaster had whispered something, stood up and raised her hand. "Do you know another?" asked the King.

"Yes, Frederick VI."

"What great act did he perform?"

The girl hung her head, and stammered out, "I don't know."

"Be comforted, my child," said the King; "I don't know either."

"So you overcame that old antipathy of yours," her husband remarked, "and called on Mrs. Bobbles?"

"Yes."

"Do you think she was glad to see you?"

"I am sure of it."

"Ahem!—you must have some reason for that belief outside her assurances."

"I have. I had on the old dress that was made over twice, and my hat was out of fashion; while she had on her new gown that couldn't have come from anywhere but Paris. Could she help being glad to see me?"

SPORTING.

ROD AND GUN.

J. A. Smith, of this city, and Dr. J. A. Cooley, of the borough, left yesterday for Virginia, where they will spend a time hunting game.

WHIST

This evening at the Park Club there will be a match game of whist between the Jersey City Whist Club team and a team from the Park Club. The home team will be Messrs. Arthur and "Ted" Freeman, Albert E. Woltman and P. B. Matthews.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Sewy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Last evening a large delegation of members from Rebekah Degree Lodge, I. O. O. F., went to Newark to visit a sister lodge.

—The meeting at the Salvation Army tomorrow evening will be in charge of Brothers Low and Unkles, of New York.

—Tonight, in Grace M. E. church, Miss Ida Lewis, a deaconess of Jersey City, will speak of the work among the poor of that city.

—A birthday party will be given in Vincent chapel tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church.

—Special Policeman Thomas Martin, the "Midget," is now doing night duty as watchman around the ruins of the Thompson building on North avenue.

—A. G. Barbour, of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., has been selected as a representative to attend the State convention to be held at Trenton.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet in the rooms of the W. C. T. U on East Front street for Gospel service and prayer at 9 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. tomorrow.

—It requires no government commission to decide that Peck has the largest line of dress trimmings, the best goods and at lower prices than elsewhere when you compare quality.

—The series of special sales inaugurated by Woodhull & Martin are attracting a great many "out of town" people. Their establishment has been a veritable bee hive for the past week.

—Young men who wish to enroll themselves in the Spanish class of the Y. M. C. A. are requested to meet the instructor at the Y. M. C. A. building this evening. The class will probably meet on Monday evenings.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Corra Ryno, of Coddington avenue, entertained a party of friends at dinner last night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chandler and children, of New York, are spending the week at F. W. Miles on Somerset street, the home of Mrs. Chandler's father.

Mrs. Rafferty and her daughter, Miss Rafferty, have gone to New York to spend the winter, having rented their house, corner of Sycamore and Willow avenues.

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Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"A Bachelor's Honeymoon," the latest farce success from Hoyt's Theatre, New York, will be the attraction at the Stillman Music Hall tonight. The play is from the pen of John Stapleton, an experienced author-actor, and is as thoroughly original and clever in theme and construction as its singular title would suggest. It was originally produced last season in New York city and was received with unanimous praise by the critics. This is sufficient endorsement, alone, to warrant a good entertainment, as the New York critics are more prone to condemn than praise. The play hinges on the results of a secret marriage and abounds in laughable complications which commence when the curtain rises and are never unraveled until its final fall. Messrs. Warde and Sackett, the managers, have engaged a cast of more than ordinary merit, headed by the funny comedian, Walter Walker.

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"Where is Benson?" a farce comedy by Mr. John Fowler, to be presented at Music Hall Saturday night, is as clever a conception as has ever been seen. A satire on theosophy, it absorbs the attention of the audience from first to last and is one ripple of merriment all through. The company is made up of New York people and every member is an artist of the highest capability. Everybody pronounces the comedy far ahead of "What Happened to Jones" and "My Friend From India," the two popular farces of the day and the organization is highly praised. Look for Benson by all means and don't lose him. Find him, for he is one laughter from start to finish.

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One of the few genuine successes of the past two dramatic seasons was Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer's "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," which first saw the light of day in May, '96, at New York. The new play is not only a treat, but something which produces on the stage scenes and incidents common in every day life of the world. It is excellently staged, its scenery realistic to a great degree, and the vivid portrayals of character and effecting scenes blending together make the play one that every one will want to see. It will be given here during the current season.

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Miss Viola Allen as Glory Quayle in Hall Caine's great play "The Christian" continues to pack the Knickerbocker Theatre in New York at every performance. Thus far the new star and her play have broken all records at regular prices at this theatre, which has the best records of any play house in New York. Miss Allen's receipts last week were $12,580, making her gross receipts for the two weeks at the Knickerbocker $35,630. She opened in Albany September 23 for three performances, the receipts being $2,542.75. At Washington she played to $10,521, and in Providence to $7,873. The sums with what she played to in New York make her gross receipts up to last Saturday evening, $46,766.75. This is the strongest endorsement that this attraction could possible receive.

Miss Luella Mills, of East Fifth street, has returned from New York.

SINGULAR NAVAL ACCIDENTS.

One Ship Taken Over a Town and Back Again by a Tidal Wave.

Curious accidents to our warships characterized the early history of our navy. When the government built ten new gunboats to prosecute the war against Tripoli, in 1805, they were sent out as soon as they were finished and before they were named. Each one was given a number and dispatched to the scene of the war. No. 7 sailed from New York June 20, 1805, under command of Lieutenant Ogelvie, and after she cleared Sandy Hook light she was never heard from again. She went down with all on board before she had ever been named.

A most extraordinary accident happened to the corvette Monongahela at Santa Cruz in 1867. While at anchor in the harbor a tremendous tidal wave lifted her upon its crest and carried her clean over the town of Frederichstadt and back again without injuring the town or the boat to any great extent. The receding wave landed her on the beach instead of in the deep waters of the harbor, and it cost our government $100,000 to float her again.

Fully as strange was the fate of the sloop of war Wateree. She was anchored in the harbor of Arica, Peru, in 1868, when a huge tidal wave swept inland and flooded the whole city. The wave carried the sloop several miles inland, and finally landed her in the midst of a tropical forest. It was impossible to release her from such a peculiar position, and the government sold her for a nominal sum. The purchasers turned the vessel into a hotel, and the remains of the once formidable war vessel loom up in the tropical forest to-day as a monument to the power of tidal waves.—Leslie's Weekly.

AT THE ELYSEE.

Its Tragedies and Its Romances of the Past Recalled.

During the last twenty-five years six presidents of the French republic have made the Elysee Palace their temporary home, and of these M. Felix Faure, the son of humble working upholsterers, and in every sense of the word a self-made man, has proved himself to be not only the most suitable for the post, but also the most popular personality of them all.

In theory, if not in fact, M. and Madame Faure are entirely "kept" by the state—that is to say, they are lodged rent free and may consider as their own the produce of the splendid kitchen gardens and conservatories kept up at Versailles and Fontainebleau. The president has the right of shooting and hunting in the state forests and woods, and from them the Elysee is also supplied with wood and charcoal. The lighting of the palace, whether by oil, gas, or electricity, is also provided, and a laundry is kept up and managed quite independently of the president's official income for the use of the Elysee.

But the kitchens, which are in some ways the most important department of the palace, are entirely maintained by Monsieur or rather Madame Faure. There is a chef and under him four head cooks, and when a ball or banquet is about to be given from thirty to forty extra scullions make their appearance. Madame Faure only patronizes the best Paris or rather French firms. Fortunately for the president, however, the Paris season for receptions and general entertaining only lasts some five or six months of each year.

The president finds it impossible to restrict himself to fewer than twelve horses, although the keep of only three is allowed by the state. The Parisian public are very good judges of outward show and state, and on certain occasions, notably the day of the Grand Prix, M. Faure's equipage and horses have to run the gauntlet of thousands of critical sightseers.

There is room and to spare at the Elysee, and each president has, to a certain extent, altered the arrangements made by his predecessor. M. Faure, being a practical man of business, has made his study on the ground floor, close to the splendid reception rooms where Madame la Presidente receives on official occasions. The president's study is a large, pleasant room, furnished with a view to work rather than play, but it has the beautiful ceiling and stately furniture to be found in most old French chateaux. When conferring with his ministers, and those other persons whose business procures them an audience with the president in his study, M. Faure sits at the big writing table at which he does all his official writing.

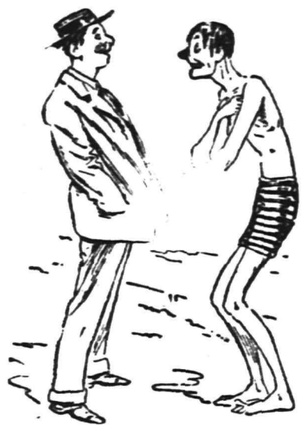
The official residence of the French president is situated in one of the pleasantest quarters of Paris, and the beautiful old house, for it can only be called a palace by courtesy, fills up a considerable space between the Faubourg St. Honore and the Champs Elysees. History has been made and unmade in the Elysee. It was there that Napoleon I signed his abdication in favor of the King of Rome after Waterloo, and a few weeks later the emperor's study became the business room of the Duke of Wellington.

When the allies left Paris the Elysee Bourbon, as it was then called, was restored to the crown and was occupied by the heir of Louis XVIII. It was occupied first by one and then by another royal personage till the year 1848, when the new government assigned it as the official residence of the then president of the French republic, General Cavaignac, and by a strange irony of fate, in the very room where Napoleon I signed his abdication, Louis Napoleon, then prince president, waited with his feet on the fender to hear the result of the coup d'etat which made him emperor.

During the third empire, the Elysee Napoleon, as it had then become, was lent to the many sovereigns who visited Napoleon III, and the Empress Eugenie. Although filled with works of art and furnished with some of the finest eighteenth century furniture in existence, the Elysee happily escaped the notice of the Communards, and so was neither sacked nor burnt.

When there was a question as to where M. and Madame Thiers should take up their official residence, the Elysee was found to be the only habitable state property in Paris.

GREAT HABIT, THIS!



"Hulloa, old man. Been shrimping?"

"No—no! Been for my ma-ma-tutinal dip. Wouldn't be dip-pip-prived of it for worlds. It's awfully invig-gig-orating. Gi-gives one the con-oush-tit-tution of a li-lion. It would imp-pip-prove you won-on-derfully."

EXPLOITS OF CAMERA FIENDS.

A Charge at a Wedding and a Temptation at a Funeral.

Even weddings and funerals are not safe from the kodak fiend. A wedding which made a stir in Boston took place at the bride's summer home on the coast. It was a charming affair, picturesque in the highest degree, and delightfully informal. The informality had disastrous results, for each of the guests, knowing that the wedding was to be an out-of-door affair, was inspired with the idea of smuggling in his camera and getting some snapshots of the happy couple and the bridesmaids.

When the bride and bridegroom, already in the last stage of nervous embarrassment, received the rector's benediction and turned to face their friends, there was a unanimous and sudden movement in the crowd, and the unfortunate couple were confronted by rows upon rows of cameras, of all shapes and sizes. Each aggressor having flattered himself that his idea was unique, was surprised at the unanimity of intent; but no one relented. The crowd closed in upon the victims. The bride looked hysterical and the bridegroom looked savage. They had thought that the worst was over, but this was adding insult to injury. All avenues of escape were closed to them. They must grin and bear it—and they did.

One of the wedding guests, who was in the front ranks during the onslaught, has a wide reputation along the south shore, and, though he is mild-faced and elderly, his advent will scatter a crowd more effectually than a small pox flag. Every one knows him and realizes that the only safety from being photographed when he appears lies in instant and hasty flight. He can't help taking pictures. He has a most virulent and long standing case of the mania.

Not long ago his wife's mother died and the old gentleman was summoned to the funeral. He was sincerely grieved; even for his mother-in-law his kindly soul had felt no dislike. He hurried to the city, where the funeral was to take place, and conducted himself with becoming and sorrowful dignity. But at the close of the services, when the mourners filed out of the house, he was missed. He had disappeared suddenly, completely, and search for him was unavailing; so the carriages were filled without him and the carriages were moving away, when an unseemly grin irradiated the minister's face, but was quickly suppressed. Concealed behind a convenient hedge, with his camera pointed at the imposing procession, was the missing mourner. The temptation had been too strong for him. Processions were his specialty. He was tempted, and he fell; but, as he afterwards explained, he thought it would be a comfort to have the picture in the family. It was a fine funeral.—New York Sun.

A BURMESE DIVORCE.

People of Civilized Countries Might Learn a Lesson from the Heathen.

It is worth a moment's notice that, while we, of this highly civilized land, are perplexing ourselves in our efforts to find a simple method of obtaining divorce, on grounds of "incompatability of temperament," and are wasting much time and large money in litigation and lawyers' fees, the simple people of Burmah manage to settle this question without the least difficulty and without waste of substance. Recognizing the fact that marriage is often a lottery, and that, in cases of suddenly discovered incompatability, it always is, the Burmese man and wife agree that divorce shall be decreed by lottery also. If a Burmese couple find that they cannot live in peace, and decide that they would best separate, the wife goes out and buys two candles of equal length. These candles are made for this especial purpose, and are the only "legal expenses" that need be incurred in obtaining a Burmese divorce. The wife brings them home. She and her husband then sit upon the floor, and, at a signal, each lights a candle. One candle stands for him and the other for her. The one whose candle burns out first rises and goes out of the house forever, taking nothing. The one whose candle burns longest, even by the fraction of a second, remains and takes everything. Thus the divorce is settled without any fuss or scandal, the general public is not annoyed by the contentions of the separating couple, and each is free to remarry. There are, indeed, some lessons in plain common sense that may be learned even from the ways of the heathen who "in his blindness bows down to wood and stone."—Godey's Magazine.

Field Glass That Shows Distances.

The latest improvements in optical instruments is a gauge attached to a field glass and a prismatic lens in one of the barrels to determine the distance of an object. This is accomplished by producing two images of the object seen, one superimposed upon the other. The prism creates the angle which forms the basis for the mathematical calculation of the distance, and the scale contains the solution in advance of the geometrical problem. On the barrels of the glass are human figures—one of an infantryman and the other of a cavalryman—with a graduated scale. By observing the portion of the body against which the top of the second image is projected and consulting the scale the distance of the object is easily ascertained. Of course the accuracy of the test depends upon accurate focusing of the glasses and careful observation.—Jeweler's Weekly.

Dah's a heap o' callin' fings by dah wrong names in dis worl'," said Uncle Eben. "Lots o' folks call 'plain laziness' 'takin' care o' dah health.'"

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Services Held at Her Late Home on Sycamore Avenue Yesterday Afternoon—Strong and Beautiful Testimony to the High Worth and Esteem in Which the Departed Was Held—The Interment.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Catherine E. Hegeman, wife of Benjamin Arrowsmith Hegeman, Sr., were held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home 37 Sycamore avenue, Washington Park. The large attendance of friends and neighbors, and many people who were personally acquainted with the deceased, gave strong and beautiful testimony to the high worth and esteem in which the departed is held. The services were very simple and impressive, and in complete harmony with the quiet and unostentatious life lived by Mrs. Hegeman. Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, of which she was a member, and Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor of Trinity Reformed church, at which church the departed was a faithful and regular attendant, had charge of the services, and both divines paid tributes of love and admiration to the life of Mrs. Hegeman, and spoke words of comfort to the bereaved ones.

Dr. Richards was the first speaker, and after he read the Scripture lesson containing comforting words that point the sorrowful to the Heavenly Master, he made a few remarks, which, in part, are as follows, basing his words partially on the text "In My Father's House are Many Mansions,"

"I suppose that to this day all are well acquainted with these words of the Gospel contained in our Lord's prayer, but it is still true that the name of our Lord is not spoken truly until the Spirit comes and touches our hearts so that we can cry "Abba Father." As Jesus Christ taught his disciples about God, he also taught them about Heaven. Heaven is home for the Christian; the real home. That word 'home' is a dear word even for what it means on earth. Those ties that bind us together with husband and wife, children and sisters. Life is almost not worth the living without it, and there is scarcely any character without it.

"Today our memories call to remembrance the household which has been, and of which our friend as a member, was so closely united. The Church of Christ is little more than home. We remember the large place that she filled in the company's to which she belonged. We learn true values when we lose them. So it is in the home when separation comes. The less painful separation, when members of a family are absent for a time, cannot be considered with those irrevocable sunderings, when death takes some precious member of a family. After one has learned of Christ how to love one another, I do not see how one can be saved from despair when a precious one is removed.

"Home here is only a preparation for the Father's House. Many are here today who share the grief of those left in this sorrowing circle, but we cannot forget those gone before, who are in that Home permanently established. Sometimes it seems as though the curtains were drawn aside, and that the real treasures can be seen. Our own dear home is not here, but there. I cannot but think of the beautiful words of our dear friend uttered in the morning of her last day among us, when she was feeling so strongly the pains of her illness. She said: 'I must go home today.' She did go home, where she now rests from all pain and illness."

Dr. Schenck spoke next and his words were very impressive, and in harmony with the words of the first speaker. A portion of his remarks follow:

"How true the words of our Lord correspond to the two-fold nature—the Divine and human nature. One is beyond the infinite mind, while the other is in touch with our own feelings. The two-fold nature is expressed in the Gospel of John, fourteenth chapter, 'I will not leave you comfortless, I will come to you again,' and 'Let not your hearts be troubled.' These words were spoken to Christ's disciples, and He did come again and bring comfort to them as He promised. He also brought peace to them. Today He speaks these same words

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TRAVELING IN EUROPE.

AARON M. POWELL TALKED TO YOUNG FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION.

The Lecture Illustrated by Stereopticon Views—Mr. and Mrs. Powell Had Tickets for the Ill-Fated Mohegan.

An instructive and interesting illustrated lecture was given last evening by Aaron M. Powell under the auspices of the Young Friends' Association at the meeting house on Watchung avenue. Mr. Powell's subject had to do with his recent travels in Europe during the past summer. All of the views displayed on the canvas were excellent, while the speaker's words were listened to with a great deal of pleasure by the audience. A great many points of interest in London were shown and explained by Mr. Powell, whose descriptive powers are of a superior character. Mr. Powell stated in the beginning that while he and Mrs. Powell were in London they carried with them for several weeks tickets for a return passage on the ill-fated steamship Mohegan, but at the last minute they changed their minds and decided to return on the Servia.

All of the principal buildings in London were exhibited on the canvas, and about each one Mr. Powell had something of interest to tell. He told entertainingly about his visits to the House of Lords and House of Commons, and told how difficult it is to obtain access to the former. The lecture lasted nearly two hours, and the audience did not seem to tire in the least. Charles E. Vail, of Orchard place, manipulated the slides in an efficient manner, thereby increasing the interest in the lecture.

BAZAAR AT MT. OLIVE.

FAIR BEING CONDUCTED UNDER AUSPICES OF THE WOMEN.

Opened Yesterday Afternoon and Will Continue for Three Days—A Mystery Table a Feature—Those in Charge.

A bazaar and fair opened at the Mt. Olive Baptist church yesterday afternoon, and will be continued every afternoon and evening for three days. The fair is being conducted under the auspices of the women of the church and the proceeds will be devoted to the church fund.

The bazaar opened at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a large display of all kinds of fancy goods, vegetables and groceries, fruit and flowers, ice cream, cake, and other good things to eat. The tables and booths were decorated with an eye to the beautiful, and the different articles for sale were displayed in an advantageous way. Money flowed freely last night, and before the fair closed for the night quite a difference was noticeable in the number of things displayed.

One table called the "mystery" table was a great attraction. Purchasers bought strange looking bundles, and when they opened them sometimes found articles inside which they were not expecting. But every one took the joke in good part, and lots of money was made at that table.

The ladies and gentlemen who had charge of the fair, served at the tables, took tickets and had general supervision of the fair formed the following committee: Mrs. Katie Mayhew, chairman, Mrs. Mary Doyle, Mrs. Joanna Fisher, Mrs. Margaret Atkinson, Mrs. Rebecca Wyckoff, Mrs. Lulu Dempsee, Miss Tillie Ivison, Mrs. Amelia Fields, Mrs. Jane Conway, Mrs. Maria Mann, Mrs. Anna Reed, Mrs. Mary Maynard, Mrs. Margaret Webley, Mrs. Lettie Jones, Mrs. Anna White, Mrs. Anna E. Jackson, Mrs. Georgie Wilson, Mrs. Anna Field, Reuben Jones, Smith Wyckoff, W. Mayhew, Mr. Dempsee, Henry Kingslow, Israel Jones, the Misses Doyle, Mrs. R. Kingslow, Mrs. J. Hill, Mrs. H. Murray, Miss Alice Harris, Mrs. R. Venable, Mrs. Anna Binn, Miss Bella Flanagan, Miss Sarah Taylor, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Laura Connett, Miss Nara Walker, Miss Stella Hill, Miss Mary Walley, Mrs. Susan Washington, Miss Mary Miles, Mrs. Martha Yetman, Miss Alice Maynard, Albert Atkins and Edward Maynard.

Fight Shy of Middlesex.

The regular meeting of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders will be held next week Wednesday at Somerville. On the following day the Board will meet the members of the Middlesex County Board at the Union avenue bridge in Bound Brook, when it is proposed to settle all matters in connection with the new bridge at that point. The members of the Somerset County Board say that they prefer to meet somewhere besides New Brunswick.

Organized Aid to Meet Tonight.

The annual meeting of the Organized Aid Association will be held this evening at the Crescent Avenue church. The address will be by Rev. Amory Bradford, of Montclair.

DEMOCRATS READY FOR ACTIVE WORK.

Permanent Organization Was Effected Last Night.

J. H. HILLMAN PRESIDENT.

REGULATIONS OF OLD DEMOCRATIC ASSOCIATION ADOPTED.

Large Attendance of Representative Democrats From All Over the City—A Temporary Finance Committee Appointed to Solicit Funds—Resolutions Adopted Endorsing the Candidates.

The Democratic Association of Plainfield is now a genuine factor in the political world, the permanent organization having been formed at the meeting held in Councilman Moffett's office on North avenue, last night. The meeting was attended by a large number of representative party men from all sections of the city.

As chairman of the temporary organization effected by the committees at the previous meeting, John M. Hillman, of the Second ward, called the meeting to order. After the minutes of the previous meeting had been read and approved, Mr. Hillman, as one of the committee appointed to draft a suitable constitution and set of by-laws, presented the result of the work. It was the old constitution and by-laws of the Democratic Association of several years ago with a few alterations. The matter of membership fees was stricken out, and instead of three vice-presidents there will be nine—one for each election district. The committees were also enlarged to conform with the present condition of affairs. After the constitution had been read by the secretary, it was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Then came the question of officers. M. R. Flynn moved that the temporary officers as far as they went be made permanent. This motion was adopted. The rest of the officers were elected by acclamation, and the complete list is as follows: President, John H. Hillman; vice-presidents, to be named for the election districts by the committees participating in the informal conference; treasurer, Elmore D. Moffett; financial and corresponding secretary, W. W. St. John; recording secretary, Michael J. DeCourcy.

President Hillman announced that the committees, which include executive, finance, public meetings, printing, canvassing and naturalization, would be announced at the next meeting of the association as it would be necessary to have considerable consultation about such a matter. As the association would require considerable money to start with, W. W. St. John moved that temporary finance committee of one from each election district be appointed to collect whatever funds they could before the next meeting. The motion was adopted and the following were appointed: Joseph Blimm, William Gloak, Leonard Spangenberg, William K. McClure, Frank Bacon, Patrick Trayer, James Davis, V. L. Frazee and Michael Higgins.

The question of securing a complete list of Democrats in the city was then brought up and Councilman Hetfield suggested that the Democratic members of the election boards in the city be appointed the canvassing committee. This was done.

It was decided that when the meeting adjourn it do so to meet November 16th.

After an informal discussion and an impromptu speech by an enthusiastic Democrat about the record of Foster Voorhees, the following resolution was presented by the corresponding secretary:

"Resolved, That the Democratic Association of Plainfield affirms its loyalty and devotion to the principles of the Democratic party at all times, and that we pledge our constant and honest efforts for the election of all regularly nominated candidates of the Democratic party. We especially endorse the candidacy of Elvin W. Crane, the Democratic nominee for Governor, as well as the admirable nominations made by the Democratic Congressional and county conventions. We urge upon all Democrats the necessity of supporting such candidates with their earnest personal efforts as we, the Democrats of Plainfield, will do for the interests of the people and the proper and deserved rebuke of the Republicans who have prostituted for political and personal purposes the National, State, county and city affairs."

The resolution was adopted.

After a large number of those present had signed the enrollment book the meeting adjourned.

The enrollment book will be kept open for charter members till the next meeting of the Association. The book will be open for signatures at the office of Councilman Moffett at any time.

START OUT AS WINNERS.

PARK CLUB WHIST TEAM DEFEAT JERSEY CITY CLUB.

Second Game in New Jersey Whist Association Tournament—Parks Scored 12 to Visitors' 9—Names of Players.

The second game in the New Jersey Whist Association tournament was played last evening at the Park Club house between the Jersey City team and the second four of the Park Club, and the latter was victorious for the second time, winning 12 tricks to 9. The Park team won its first game at Elizabeth two weeks ago, when they had the Elizabeth Chess Club for their opponent. Last evening on the first round the Parks scored 5 to their opponents 2, and in the second round the home team scored 6 and the visitors 1. The visitors scored 6 on the last round, while the home team only secured 1. The playing throughout was excellent.

The Jersey City team was composed of D. Bowley, C. Bowley, L. Watson, A. Mecabe. The Park Club was represented by P. B. Matthews, Albert Waltman, Arthur A. Freeman and Fred H. Freeman.

After the game a short time was spent in a social way and light refreshments were served before the visitors departed for their homes.

HOSPITAL DONATIONS.

Those Who Have Helped to Make Life Brighter for Others

The following are the donations for the month of October at the hospital: Union County Club, literature; Mrs. J. Clifton, flowers; Mrs. H. M. Stockton, 16 qts milk, 1 doz glasses jelly; Mrs. H. R. Depew, literature; Girls' Club, literature; Mrs. Lemuel Serrell, literature; Mrs. George Staats, under clothing; Mrs. A. Kleinecke, 2 baskets grapes, jar jam, magazines; A Friend, box petroleum soap; Mrs. G. P. Mellick, carriage for drive; Mrs. Charles Reed, magazines, jar beef extract, 2 bottles Scott's emulsion, old linen; Mrs. J. F. Hamilton, literature; Mrs. B. C. Pfeifer, 14 glasses jelly; Mrs. D. N. Groendyke, 7 old nightshirts, literature; Miss Mabel Mitchell, flowers; Mrs. B. Freeze, flowers; Mrs. J. S. Schoonmaker, 1 doz glasses jelly; Mrs. E. Bush, flowers; Mrs. E. J. Dunn, literature; Mrs. Goff, magazines; Mrs. J. H. Manning, flannel coat; Miss E. Arrowsmith, literature; Jr League Grace M. E. church, flowers, fruit, books, 2 glasses jelly; Miss L. Walduck, basket apples, underclothing, basket tomatoes; W. W. Moore, literature; C. M. Gardner, 2 cakes; Mrs. Lowande, vegetables; Mrs. E. N Erickson, box safety pins; Mrs. Edward VanBuren, lb. absorbent cotton; Mrs. Daniel VanBuren, jar jelly, lb. boracic acid; Mrs. Brooks, milk; Mrs. Eden Boice, flowers; Mrs. Dryden, literature; Mrs. Wm. A. Pinto, 2 doz sheets, rug, doz pillow cases; Mrs. A. C. Vail, underclothing; Mrs. Van-Middlesworth, old linen; Mrs. H. B. Green, bath robe; Miss R. Verdon, 8 jars fruit; Mrs. Wallace Vail, 12 glasses jelly; 2 copies Courier-News; 2 copies Daily Press.

PARK GOLF CLUB OPENING.

Freedom of Links to be Given to Members on Election Day.

Invitations have been issued for the formal opening of the Park Golf Club on Tuesday next, November 8th, on which date the clubhouse and links will be open for the inspection and play of the members and guests. The freedom of the links will be extended to members of other clubs during the entire day. A prize, open to all comers, is offered for the best score; also a prize for the best ladies' score. Tea will be served from 3 until 5 o'clock in the afternoon in the clubhouse. Members of the club are at liberty to invite their friends. Entrance to the grounds is on Somerset street through Hudson avenue.

Want to Recover Clothing.

Summons has been issued in Justice Newcorn's court against J. E. Brown, in tort, for the recovery of some clothing which L. Sternberg & Co. claim belong to them. Brown is said to have purchased some clothing from the company which he has not paid for and it is to secure the return of them that the suit is brought.

Executed Mr. Puppy.

Henry Frisbie, the dog catcher, put a canine to death in his usual painless manner yesterday. The dog was sick and couldn't be driven away from in front of the postoffice, so Hank procured some of his "knockout drops" and gave it a dose which soon sent the animal to the land where all good dogs go.

In Honor of Guests.

The Misses VanBoskerck, of West Seventh street, gave the first large luncheon of the season yesterday in honor of their guests, the Misses Watson, of New York.

—4 lbs cod steak 25c. See ad page 8.

REPUBLICANS TO STIR UP THINGS TONIGHT

Voorhees' Visit Will Cause a Demonstration.

WILL ARRIVE RATHER LATE.

FILLS AN ENGAGEMENT ALSO IN ELIZABETH TONIGHT.

Congressman Fowler and Candidate Cross Will Arrive Here Early This Afternoon—Will Dine With Leaders—They Will Speak Early—Arrangements for the Meeting in Music Hall.

A meeting of the Republican city executive committee was held last night at which final preparations for the reception of the speakers who are to address the Republican mass meeting in Music Hall tonight, were made.

An enthusiastic reception is to be accorded the nominees, nearly all of whom are to be present. Judge Cross and Congressman Charles N. Fowler, the former a nominee for State Senator, will arrive here this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from Elizabeth. They will be met at the depot by a delegation from the city executive committee, composed of Chairman William R. Codington, J. B. Coward, W. W. Drayton, William T. Kirk and William Newcorn, and driven in carriages to a hotel where they will sit down to a dinner with the escorting committee.

Where the nominees will be entertained is not to be made public for fear the enthusiastic voters will invade the quiet of the place and insist upon greeting Judge Cross and Mr. Fowler. In the evening the two will be escorted to Music Hall, accompanied by a band of music, where both will address the meeting.

As both gentlemen have engagements to speak in Elizabeth tonight, their addresses will naturally be short. After speaking they will be driven to the station in time to catch the 8:45 train for Elizabeth.

Five minutes before Cross and Fowler leave town Foster M. Voorhees and the three candidates for the Assembly, George A. Squires, Robert G. Houston and Roger Murray, and John M. Randolph, nominee for coroner, will leave Elizabeth for Plainfield. Arriving here soon after 9 o'clock they will all attend the mass meeting and make short addresses.

The meeting tonight is not intended for men only. Ladies are welcome and even urged to attend. A committee composed of W. H. Drayton, Harry H. Coward and William T. Kirk will keep the seats reserved for ladies free and clear. During the interval while the audience is awaiting the arrival of the Elizabeth delegation Hon. Frank Scott, of Paterson, will talk. Martin Roll is also expected to be present and say something.

HAD BLOOD ON HIS COLLAR.

Edward Stevenson Couldn't Tell How it Got There.

Edward Stevenson was arraigned before the City Judge this morning on the charge of being drunk and disorderly, preferred by Patrolman Watson who made the arrest on Park avenue last evening. Stephenson had some blood on his collar which he was unable to explain. He said he didn't know how it got there. Hadn't been fighting that he remembered. The Judge decided to remand the prisoner until 5 o'clock this afternoon for sentence. Stephenson was not particularly pleased with his acquaintanceship with the lock-up and said that he was lonely.

The Wargraph a Success.

The wargraph stereopticon and illustrated song entertainment at the First Church of Christ last night was a great success. There was present a large and appreciative audience. A unanimous call was made to repeat the show tonight. It was granted and the entertainment will be given tonight at the First Church of Christ, with this additional feature. Prof. G. S. Dufford will appear as a negro impersonator in comic and plantation melodies, with banjo accompaniment. Prof. Dufford is one of the best artists in his line. The admission tonight will be 10 cents. Tickets on sale at the church, Grove street, near Front street.

Heard Great Council Report.

Iona Council met last night and received three propositions for membership. An interesting report, recounting the business transacted at the great council at Trenton, was read by Mrs. Amelia Westphal. Talks were also given by Past Sachems Westphal and Newcorn, and Past Chiefs Dunlap, Holstein, Stephany, Bowman and Allen. Afterwards the good and welfare committee served all with ice cream and cake.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

THE WINNERS OF PRIZES.

A PLEASANT EVENT AT CATHOLIC CLUBHOUSE LAST NIGHT.

After the Presentation of Prizes Had Been Made, Refreshments Were Served and Then Dancing was Enjoyed by All.

The fair and bazaar held at the Catholic Club three weeks ago is now a thing of the past, but there was one interesting thing remaining to be done, and that was the distribution of the prizes won in the contests. This took place last night at an informal reception held at the clubhouse. After the presentation of the prizes, refreshments were served and a dance enjoyed, music for which was furnished by Prof O'Reilly.

The lucky winners of the prizes were: Miss B. M. Regan who won the first prize, a brooch set with five diamonds, Morris Owens came second and got a gold hunting-case watch; William Townley secured an open-faced gold watch; Miss Gannon, a silver watch inlaid with gold; Miss Minnie Callahan, a silver watch; Miss Mary Doll, a silver watch, and Miss Mary Hammond, a bicycle complete with cyclometer and lantern.

Rev. Father Symth presented the prizes with a few appropriate remarks in each case, which were very much appreciated. Rev. Father Westman thanked those who had assisted so nobly in the work, then all formality was thrown to the wind and a good social time enjoyed. Those who attended the reception were those who were on the committees in charge of the fair, the prize winners and the workers.

VICIOUS DOG'S ATTACKS.

KNOCKED DOWN LITTLE GIRLS AND BIT THEM.

Both of the Victims Taken to Physicians and the Wounds Cauterized—Chief Wilson Will Kill the Animal.

A large dog owned by Mr. Jackson, of Grandview avenue, caused considerable trouble yesterday afternoon by attacking two girls residing in the borough. The first girl attacked was Adele Taylor, colored, aged 10 years, living on Westervelt avenue. The dog knocked her down, tore her clothes quite badly and nipped her with his teeth. The girl was greatly frightened and was taken to Dr. Jenkins, who cauterized the wounds and gave proper treatment.

A half hour later Carrie VanArsdale, aged nine years, living on Summit avenue, passed Mr. Jackson's house and the dog attacked her. The girl received three bites between the thigh and knee, after the animal had knocked her down. She also suffered greatly from fright. She was taken to Dr. Probasco and proper treatment was given her.

Both cases were reported to Chief Wilson, of the borough, and he called on Mr. Jackson and informed him that he would have to shoot his dog, but up to the present time he still lives. So far as can be learned neither of the children were tantalizing the dog, and, aside from the animal's own desire to do mischief, there does not appear to be any reason for the dog's actions.

G. O. P. Will Pay the Freight.

Arrangements are being made by the Republican city executive committee to place the names of voters who failed to register Tuesday upon the registry lists Saturday. They will pay the expenses of Republicans to go to Elizabeth Saturday to see that their names are placed upon the list. A thorough canvass was made of the city, and very few eligible voters' names were left off. It is thought, though, that three or four more votes can be secured in this way.

No Report Likely.

It is not likely that the finance committee of the Borough Council will be to present a report on some important matters at the regular meeting Friday evening, as the committee has been delayed by an unforseen accident in preparing the same.

Mr. Yates' Condition.

The condition of J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, is today unchanged, and the family are led to feel encouraged that as he is no worse he may retain a sufficient amount of vitality to recover.

—The members of the Loyal Temperance Legion are asked to be present at the fair which opens in W. C. T. U. rooms Monday evening, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, of next week, as they will have special entertainment.

William E. Lowe and family, of Park avenue, have gone to New York to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Cox, of West Seventh street, are registered at the Holland House, New York.

OLD MAN RUN OVER BY A HEAVY STONE WAGON.

Probably Fatal Runaway Accident In The "Notch."

VICTIM IN THE HOSPITAL.

EDWARD MUNDY TRIED TO STOP A FRIGHTENED TEAM.

Trampled Upon by the Horses and Then Run Over by a Wagon Loaded With Stone—Several Ribs Broken and Serious Internal Injuries—Picked Up in Unconscious Condition—Recovery Doubtful.

A very serious and what is likely to prove a fatal accident occurred this forenoon in the "Notch," on Somerset street, when Edward Mundy, aged 67 years, received injuries from which recovery is doubtful. Mundy is a farmer and lives at Metuchen. He was hauling crushed stone and at the time of the accident his horses became frightened in some way. Mundy endeavored to stop the team, but was thrown down and both horses, as well as the heavy wagon, passed over his body.

Several ribs were broken, his body was terribly bruised and he received serious injuries about the head. Mundy was for a time in an almost unconscious condition, and was brought to Plainfield by friends. Dr. D. C. Adams treated him at first, but he decided that it would be better to have the man taken to the hospital, where he could receive constant care and treatment.

Mundy was taken to the hospital about noon, and is now conscious. He is suffering severely from his injuries and also from the shock of the accident. Owing to the advanced age of Mundy and the extent of his injuries those in charge have grave doubts as to his recovery.

The team of runaway horses was caught some distance away from where the accident occurred and taken in charge. Neither the horses or wagon was damaged to any extent.

HIS TERM IN PRISON A SHORT ONE.

James Hopkins Died There This Afternoon at 1:30 o'Clock.

James Hopkins, of New York, who was arrested and brought to this State on requisition papers issued by Gov. Black to answer to a charge of grand larceny, died in State's prison this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The circumstances of the case are in many respects sad. Hopkins was indicted by the Union County Grand Jury, and pleaded guilty to the charge preferred.

Lawyer Craig A. Marsh, of this city, was retained to secure a mitigation of the punishment to be imposed. Yesterday, when Hopkins was sentenced, Mr. Marsh appeared before the Court and made a plea for him. He stated that Hopkins was in a dying condition suffering with asthma, dropsy, etc, and had asked that he might be sent to State Prison, where he could receive proper hospital treatment. The sentence of the Court was that he be confined for one year, which was a very light sentence in view of the seriousness of his crime.

To Brunswick by Trolley.

Superintendent Radel, of the Brunswick Traction Company, announced today that the car leaving this city for Bound Brook once an hour on the half hours, connects at Bound Brook, at the hotel with the trolley for Somerset and Raritan, going south, and for Lincoln, Dunellen and Plainfield going north. The fare to Dunellen from this city is 15 cents, and to Plainfield five cents more. As soon as the viaduct at Bound Brook is built, more cars will be put on the Bound Brook line and connections with Plainfield and Somerville will be more frequent. —New Brunswick Home News.

Colored Republicans Alive.

Since the colored Republicans heard that the Democrats have arranged to hold a mass meeting in Reform Hall tomorrow night, they have hurriedly made arrangements to hold a Republican mass meeting Saturday night in Boehm's Hall, on West Front street. Rev. E. E. Jackson will preside, and the speaker of the evening will be J. H. Hilton, of Newark, a colored lawyer of prominence.

Little for the Creditors.

The assignee, W. R. Codington, has settled the estate of Edwin F. Titus, formerly of the borough, and after allowing the assignee $26 commission and paying the expenses of settlement of said estate there is left in the assignee's hands to be divided among all creditors less than $2.

The Devil in the Box.

Tonight another debate will be opened at Reform Hall. The subject will be "The Devil in the Box."

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Children should alway increase in weight. Not t grow, not to increase in flesh belongs to old age.

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THE TROLLEY IN JAPAN

American Syndicate with Capital of $10,000,000 to Operate.

C. T. YERKES AT THE HEAD

Electric Field in the Land of the Mikado is Boundless. A Proposition to an American Firm to Operate All Electric Lighting and Power Plants in the Empire.

New York, Nov. 3.—Charles T. Yerkes of this city is at the head of a Chicago syndicate which is considering a plan to cover Japan with a trolley car system.

The Japanese government has made a proposition to the Siemens & Halske Electric Company of America to take steps to install and operate all electric lines and incandescent lighting, and electric power plants in the Japanese empire.

The plan as it is now being considered is to capitalize the syndicate at about $10,000,000 and although it is probable the Elkins-Widener corporation of Philadelphia, may be interested in the syndicate, when formed, it will be essentially a Chicago organization, and the company will be incorporated under the laws of Illinois.

An agent of the Emperor of Japan who is now in the East, made the offer to W. T. Block, of the Siemens & Halske Company, who says that although he has not yet accepted the offer, he sees the possibility of immensen profits for the syndicate that will take the matter up.

Japan is at present entirely destitute of street railways, and the proposed corporation would therefore have an absolute monopoly.

The first business of the company, it is said, will be the construction of street railways in Tokio, a city of 1,500,000 inhabitants.

In Tokio there is but one street car line, and that is operated by horses. Japanese companies have been organized for the purpose of carrying on the street car business in Tokio, but franchises have been refused because none of them has given the necessary guarantee of capital and enterprise sufficient to carry the work to a successful issue.

The Chicago street magnate and his system have most favorably struck the subjects of the Mikado, and it is not improbable that Mr. Yerkes will be doing business with Tokio in the near future.

Ilo Mishelna, son of a Japanese judge at Tokio, it is said, is the Japanese representative who is in this country arranging the deal for the Japanese officials. It is said he was in Chicago last Saturday, but is now in Philadelphia.

Politics and the Peanuts.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 3.—The political disturbance in North Carolina is affecting the picking and shipping of peanuts to this market.

At this season the shipments from North Carolina are the heaviest, but the dealers say that the receipts are only nominal now.

It is learned that the negroes who pick the nuts have left the fields, and are engaged in the bitter political fight now being waged between the whites and blacks.

As a result, the country's peanut supply this winter will very likely be short.

The Iron-Mining Industry.

Milwaukee, Nov. 3.—The iron ore shipments from the Gogebic, Vermilion and Mesaba and other northern ranges will practically close by November 15 for the season. The output and shipments for the season just closed will be considerably greater than those of last year.

Prices were not sufficiently advanced, the mining men claim, to correspond with the increased demand for ore, but the indications are good for a still larger demand next year, and with continued good trade improvement in prices is expected.

Big Storm in the Channel.

London, Nov. 3.—A severe southwesterly gale is raging along the coast and trans-channel traffic has been interrupted.

Owing to the violence of the storm the steamship Teutonicv, from New York, October 26, did not touch at Queenstown yesterday, but proceeded to Liverpool.

A severe rain and wind storm has swept over the south of Scotland, causing serious floods.

Sickness at Manila.

San Francisco, Nov. 3.—When the transport Peru, which has just arrived here, left Manila, there were 1,500 sick among the men, and the physicians were dismayed at the progress the smallpox was making.

According to a member of the Tenth Pennsylvania, in one day there were ten deaths from smallpox.

Captain Finn said that he knew of but five deaths from that disease in a single day.

TRANSPORT PANAMA GOES DOW

Wreckage of the Vessel Seen Near Cuban Coast.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Cable advices received last night from a representative of eneral Wood at Santiago announce the probable loss of the Panama, once a United States transport, off Cape Maysi. The Panama sailed from Santiago on Tuesday, having on board some 320 odd passengers, the greater number of whom were soldiers. There were a few civilians aboard, including Congressman Dalzell.

The vessel should have been off Cape Maysi yesterday, and it was expected that she would reach New York city on Saturday.

The news of the probable loss of the vessel, according to the information received here, was brought to Santiago by a fishing schooner. The schooner left Santiago a week ago, and while cruising along the coast early yesterday morning, the captain sighted wreckage. There were chairs and trunks.

At first it was impossible to make out from what craft the debris had come. After a close inspection several pieces of joiner work and some life preservers were seen, each one bearing the name of the transport Panama.

Believing that possibly all those on the vessel might have been lost, the captain put on all sail and headed back to port. The information which he brought caused a great deal of sorrow in the American camp last evening.

One of the passengers on the Panama was Congressman Dalzell of Pennsylvania. He went to Cuba in the interest of the Pennsylvania Railway Company and had completed his labors and was returning home, in company with George M. Huff, former congressman-at-large from Pennsylvania.

Dalzell and Huff expected to return north on a transport sailing a week ago, but they were unavoidably detained and had to take passage on the Panama.

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Precautions to Prevent Its Being Brought Here by Immigrants.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The Marine Hospital service has received through the state department a dispatch from United States Consul General Hurst at Vienna telling of the three deaths that have occurred there from bubonic plague, and that there are now only six cases in the entire city, and these are all hospital attendants.

Mr. Hurst adds that the infection of immigrants is improbable.

Dr. Wyman, surgeon general of the Marine Hospital Service, says that no unusual delays to the landing at New York of immigrants from Austria-Hungary are contemplated.

The consuls at the ports of departure will examine each immigrant before he is allowed to go aboard ship, and if he comes from the infected districts his baggage will be disinfected, and every other precaution taken to prevent the spread of disease.

In no case will an emigrant be allowed to proceed if there is any reason to believe that he has been in contact with the infection.

Dr. Wyman is of the opinion that there is little or no danger of the plague being brought to this country through immigrants or otherwise.

Dead Cashier a Defaulter.

Hanover, Pa., Nov. 3.—A long hidden deficiency, reaching about $57,000, has been discovered in the accounts of the late JohnH. Alleman, cashier of the First National Bank of this place, who died about three weeks ago.

The books have been in the hands of an expert accountant since Alleman's death, and the shortage was thus revealed.

Mr. Alleman had been cashier of the bank for twenty-eight years, and at no time was he ever suspected of wrong doing.

His defalcations were cleverly covered up by means of "kiting," or the use of drafts on different out of town banks and thus deceived even the bank examiners.

Mr. Alleman was under bonds of $30,000, and the bank will therefore suffer little and it still has a surplus of $44,000 over all liabilities.

Will Occupy Crete on Nov. 4.

Canea, Nov. 3.—The foreign admirals have informed the Turkish governor of Crete that they will proceed with the military occupation of the various administrative offices of the island on November 4, and the Turkish authorities will not thereafter be permitted to re-enter them.

The Turkish troops then in the island will cease to be regarded as garrisoning Crete, and the Turkish military posts and the military services will be abolished.

The admirals also ask the governor to embark all the Turkish troops that the transports now in Suda bay will hold and to request his government to send enough transports speedily to embark the rest.

Gen. Lee's Mother Injured.

Fredericksburg, Va., Nov. 3.—Mrs. Anne Maria Lee, widow of the late Captain Sidney Smith Lee, and mother of eneral Fitzhugh Lee, had a severe fall on Monday at the home of her son, Captain Dan M. Lee, in Stafford county, near this city, which resulted in the breaking of her left hip.

Mrs. Lee is nearly ninety years old, totally blind and is in a precarious condition.

A Murderer Sentenced.

Buffalo, Nov. 3.—Antonio Giuseppe Barone, the murderer of Felippe Forestino, whose mutilated and dismembered body was found floating in a trunk in the canal here, has been refused a new trial, and has been sentenced to be killed by electricity at Auburn state prison during the week of December 19.

The Chicago Beached Port.

Queenstown, Nov. 3.—The British steamer Chicago, Captain Marshall, from Newcastle, for New York, previously reported spoken, with machinery broken down, has arrived here unassisted.

ENGLAND'S WAR MOVE

The Whole Fleet at Wei-Hai-Wei Clears for Action.

DOES SHE FEAR RUSSIA?

London Thinks the St. Petersburg Government Plans to Take Advantage of the Anglo-French Strained Relations. England Fears She Means to Seize the Port of New Chwang.

Wei-Hai-Wei, Nov. 3.—All the British warships here, the first class cruiser Narcissus, the second class cruiser Hermione, the torpedo boat destroyer Whiting, the torpedo boat destroyer Fame, the torpedo boat destroyer Handy, and the first class gunboat Peacock, have cleared for action, and are ready for sea at a moment's notice.

The first class battleship Victorious and the first class cruiser Undaunted at Che Foo, not far from here, are coaling to their full capacity.

The greatest secrecy is maintained as to the meaning of these warlike preparations, but there is no doubt that important instructions are expected at any moment.

A large Russian fleet is assembled at Port Arthur.

Think Russia Plans a Move.

London, Nov. 3.—The dispatch from Wei-Hai-Wei, announcing the war preparations of the British naval authorities there is regarded here as being of grave importance, coupled with the Anglo-French war preparations.

It is surmised that Russia, profiting by the present strained relations between Great Britain and France, has decided to push forward her aims in the far East by forcibly seizing the valuable treaty port of New-Chwang, which Great Britain cannot permit, it is said.

A dispatch from Shanghai, received in this city October 20, said:

"A Russian regiment occupied the town of New-Chwang and the forts at the mouth of the river Liaou on October 5. The native troops fled without making any opposition, under orders from the empress dowager and Li Hung Chang.

"A British gunboat was in the river at the time. Its non-resistance is regarded as the virtual British abandonment of the whole of Manchuria to the Russians, and gives Russia an invaluable strategic position.

"Great Britain is certain to lose the New-Chwang trade, of which she has had eighty per cent."

Excitement at Esquimault.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 3.—Admiral Pallison's secretary, who had left here for an up country point, has been urgently telegraphed to return to Esquimault at once.

All is excitement in naval circles. The Scotsmen of Vancouver, recognizing the gravity of the situation, offer to raise a regiment and place the same at the disposal of the government for service either at home or abroad.

Fashoda Not Settled.

London, Nov. 3.—A semi-official note issued last evening, relative to the reports of a settlement of the Fashoda question, says:

"The matter is substantially in the same position as when the Blue Book and Yellow Book were published.

It is not anticipated that France will take further action until Major Marchand's arrival at Cairo on Thursday, when explanations will be forthcoming as to his reason for leaving Fashoda."

Frenchman Arrested at Dover.

London, Nov. 3.—A Frenchman has been arrested at Dover for attempting to enter the big gun turret on the admiralty pier there.

The November Elections.

New York, Nov. 3.—Elections for representatives in congress will be held next Tuesday, November, in all of the states, with the exception of Maine, Oregon and Vermont, in which three states representatives to the Fifty-sixth Congress have already been chosen.

In thirty-two of the states more or less important state officials will be chosen—twenty-one of the thirty-two electing governors, and in thirty-one states legislatures will be elected, twenty-three of the legislatures then chosen to have the choice of United States senators.

Important constitutional amendments will also be voted upon in several of the states.

Big French Prize to America.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Charles A. Schott of the Coast and Geodetic survey, has been awarded by the French Academy the Wilde prize of forty thousand francs.

This is the first time the prize has been awarded and the committee had the entire scientific world to choose from.

The prize was given to Mr. Schott for his work in territorial magnetism and chiefly for the theoretical investigations for determining the variations of magnetic elements.

Bay Train Robbers Sentenced.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 3.—James Hathaway and Alonzo Maybury, both 18 years old, who belonged to a band of messenger boys who held up and attempted to rob a Burlington express train near here, in August, were sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

The others of the band received ten year sentences several days ago.

The oldest of the convicts is but 22 years of age.

Soldiers' Votes Arrive.

Albany, Nov. 3.—Secretary of State Palmer has received the first ballots from this state's volunteer soldiers in the United States service. They were in an express package from New York, and although there is nothing on the package to indicate from which regiment they came, it is believed they are from the Twenty-second, doing garrison duty at Fort Slocum, and the first regiment to vote.

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Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

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Twentieth Day of December

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in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

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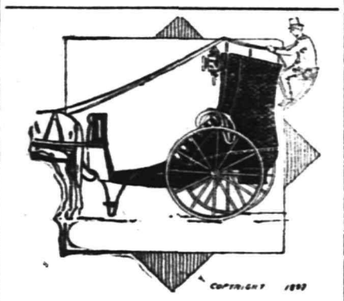

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MILES DEFENDS THE CUBANS.

His Belief that They Have Been Misrepresented by the Newspapers.

Washington, Nov. 3.—"The Cubans, like our own western Indians, will find a defender in General Miles, if he puts the whole story of the Santiago campaign into his official report," remarked an army officer of high rank yesterday.

"The general considers that the Cuban army, a part of it at least, has been rather unfairly used by newspaper writers as a rule. The records will show that General Miles's experience with General Garcia was very satisfactory. Before the Santiago campaign began, he opened communications with Garcia, who followed instructions to the letter, and with a promptness that ought to take him out of the proverbial 'manana' class.

"The general first sent a quantity of arms, ammunition and supplies into the island to enable the Cuban troops to carry out his orders. On June 2 he sent a message to Garcia, telling him to intercept further reinforcements destined for Santiago; to drive in the Spaniards from the outposts, and harrass the Santiago garrison in every way so as to keep it busy; to capture a commanding position overlooking the city, where we could plant our artillery with advantage when we reached the stage of besieging the city; and to open communication at once with the commanders of our military and naval forces on their arrival.

"This message was received by Garcia on the 6th, and the answer was back in the general's hands on the 10th. Garcia carried out these instructions intelligently and well. He planted his troops in small bodies where they could be used most effectively; and, though he had but ten thousand men, and was facing a force of thirty-one thousand, he handled the work so skillfully that the Spaniards got the impression that an army of one hundred thousand American soldiers was on its way across the island to attack Santiago. General Miles feels that Garcia has never had half the credit he deserved for what he really accomplished, and it would not be surprising if he said so in plain English in his report."

If General Miles does make such a presentation of the case, it will undoubtedly stir up some more controversy, both on the part of officers who have not hesitated to criticise the Cubans with much severity, but on the part of those who have insisted that General Miles did not actually inaugurate and direct the Santiago campaign. The dates of General Miles's correspondence with Garcia, which were stated with absolute assurance by the informant, show how far back he was arranging the plans which General Shafter was afterward deputized to carry out.

Bringing Soldiers' Bodies Home.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The following cable dispatch has been received at the war department:

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 1.

Adjutant General, Washington:

Transport Pana sailed yesterday with remains of following named:

Captain W. M. Dickinson, Lieutenant Dennis M. Michie, Seventeenth infantry; Lieutenant Thomas A. Wansboro, Seventh infantry; Sergeant M. D. Russell, First volunteer cavalry; Privates Fred B. Taft, Silas Undergraves, Jr., F. Hakenson, Harvey Randall, W. C. Green, J. C. King, Second Massachusetts volunteer infantry; C. Culman, Thirty-fourth Michigan volunteer infantry; Privates A. Geisman, Sidney A. Schoffield, Seventy-first New York volunteer infantry; Private John Nikoden, First Illinois volunteer infantry; James W. Wheeler, Second Massachusetts volunteer infantry.

WOOD, Commanding.

Called on the President.

Washington, Nov. 3.—President McKinley had a number of distinguished visitors yesterday.

The Chilian minister, Carlos Meria Vicuna, requested the president to give consent to the appointment of Mr. Buchanan, minister of the United States to the Argentine Republic, as an arbitrator between that country and Chili, should his services be needed.

The president expressed pleasure at the high honor conferred upon the representative of this country, and will give his formal consent in the event Mr. Buchanan's services are needed.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, and Lord Hershel, formerly lord high chancellor of England, now at the head of the Canadian commission which is to meet here on the tenth instant, also called to pay respects.

Calls Us Hypocrites.

Paris, Nov. 3.—The Soleil yesterday commenting editorially upon the position assumed by the American peace commissioners, said:

"No monarchical government would have dared to conduct itself after the fashion of the Americans, who are forever talking so much of right and liberty. The plan of the Americans is now evident. It is to take all of Spain's colonies and leave Spain the debts of all those colonies.

"This is the result of the holy war undertaken to insure the independence of the Cubans. What base hypocrisy do these liberals, these Democrats, these Republicans show!"

May Review the Troops.

Washington, Nov. 3.—President McKinley may go to Lexington, Ky., and review the twelve regiments now at Camp Hamilton on his way to Canton to vote.

A delegation of prominent citizens of Lexington waited on the president yesterday and extended the invitation.

They were Mayor Simrall, ex-Lieutenant Governor Alford, Leonard G. Cox and W. J. Longbridge.

The president stated that he would be very glad to accept the invitation if possible, and would give the delegation an answer later.

To Muster Out the 22d.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The war department has ordered the muster out of the Twenty-second New York regiment, Colonel Franklin Bartlett, member of Congress, commanding. The regiment is now at Fort Slocum.

BEFORE THE WAR BOARD

Testimony Taken at Washington and Lexington.

SOME SHARP CRITICISMS

Major Henry Romeyn's Observations. The Embarkation at Tampa. Observation on the Transport Concha. Gen. Sanger on the Chickamagua Camp.

Washington, Nov. 3.—The members of the war inquiry commission who are in this city held a session here yesterday for the purpose of hearing the testimony of Major Henry Romeyn, a retired army officer.

His testimony covered the embarkation of the troops at Port Tampa and the campaign in Cuba. He said that when he went to Port Tampa the bank of the canal there was covered with troops.

He had wanted to go over with the Tenth infantry, which was his old regiment, but no one could tell him where the regiment was to be found. He asked a staff officer and several others for this information, but none knew, nor did anyone appear to know on what vessel any of the particular troops were to embark.

There was great confusion, as a consequence of which a part of a command would go on one vessel and a part on another, and the commands were in some cases separated from their stores. He had [illegible] for the systematic embarkation of troops, and he had heard that they were told to go aboard [illegible] quicker.

When asked for an opinion as to the propriety of the embarkation, the witness hesitated, saying that to do so would involve criticism of his superiors.

The commissioners insisted upon a reply, and Major Romeyn replied that hye did not think the preparation was such as it should have been.

"There was," he said, "a lack of surf boats, and also of order and of preparation for landing. When the landing was undertaken the troops left the ships indiscriminately."

He told of the efforts to tow two lighters over to Cuba, but said that one was lost and that it was the general impression that it was lost on purpose, because it retarded the progress of the fleet.

In response to a question from General McCook, Major Romeyn said that while it was difficult to land anything, ambulances and wagons could have been landed as easily as artillery. He had seen only one ambulance at the front at the battle of El Caney and it was not used for conveying the wounded to the rear.

Speaking of other incidents of this battle, he said there was general surprise that an inflated balloon had been carried at the head of the attacking column, thus indicating to the Spaniards the exact location of the troops, but he did not know at whose orders this had been done.

He said that the town of Siboney was without exception the dirtiest place he had ever seen in his life, and that no effort was made to clean it up before the fever broke out.

There was a deficiency of proper food at the fever hospitals, and the cooking was generally poor. Anyone in this hospital was liable to contract yellow fever.

He had been a patient in the hospital and said there had been no neglect of patients by the medical attendants at this hospital or at the hospitals for the wounded. He had known surgeons in the latter hospitals to work sixty hours without cessation.

"Why did they not rave more surgeons?" asked Colonel Denby.

The witness said that he could not answer.

Major Romeyn said that he had come north as a convalescent, with many other convalescents, on the transport Concha, and he criticised the provisioning of the vessel in severe terms. Many of the men were compelled to sleep on board without blankets or pillows, and with no covering at night except the cotton uniform they wore during the day.

"The water was offensive to both sight and smell," he said, "and the food was poor and scant, none being provided especially for convalescents. The meat was canned and inferior, and much of the hard tack moulded."

He said that there was only one physician aboard the vessel, and that he was a convalescent.

General Wilson, ex-Governor Beaver and Captain Howell will go to Camp Meade to-day for the purpose of inspecting that camp.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 3.—The first witness before the war inquiry commission yesterday was General Joseph P. Sanger, who has had command of the Third division here.

He said the Second division camp at Chickamauga was badly located, being on rocky ground, where sinks could not be deeply dug.

When asked why the quartermaster's department could not furnish supplies necessary for supplying the army, he said:

"The complex system of furnishing supplies to our army is at fault. If there was one department to supply all wants of the army there would be no clash and these complications could not arise. At Chickamauga the control of my division hospital was taken from me, and taken by the chief surgeon of the corps."

The general then went on to tell about the complex system of our war regulations, the taking away of regimental surgeons, and the mismanagement which led up to the overcrowding of the division hospital, and the great spread of typhoid.

He said he considered the weak point in Camp Thomas was its bad sanitary condition.

General Sanger was followed by Colonel E. A. Godwin of the Seventh Immunes, who declared he had no trouble in securing what was needed.

Only one other witness will be examined here, Major Cruze, quartermaster at Camp Hamilton.

The commission left for Cincinnati at 2.50 p. m.

THE HOOLEY SCANDALS AGAIN.

The Ex-Promoter Creates More Sensation by Stories of Payments.

London, Nov. 3. The examination of Mr. Ernest Terah Hooley in bankruptcy proceedings was resumed yesterday.

Mr. Hooley created a sensation by asserting that he paid Sir William Marriott one thousand pounds for introducing him to the Carlton Club, and asserting later that he paid ten thousand pounds to the Marquis of Abergavenny, a prominent conservative, for party funds.

The witness did not know whether the money reached the party fund or not.

Subsequently Mr. Hooley explained that he paid the Marquis of Abergavenny five thousand pounds first, and then paid him a second five thousand because he was told that he had promised ten thousand.

"But," the witness interjected, "that was a lie!"

Continuing, Mr. Hooley testified that he paid one thousand pounds to Mr. Frank Harris, editor of the Saturday Review, "to square a man named Blake, who threatened to publish something antagonistic to the companies."

The witness said that Mr. Harry Marks, editor of the Financial News, and a member of Parliament, induced him to invest 22,000 pounds in purchasing the London Sun.

Mr. Hooley asserted that he never received a penny from this investment.

Mr. Hooley also testified that he paid 200 pounds to C. D. Rose of the Daily Mail.

The witness explained that he could not allot Rose the shares that he wanted, and so he gave him the money instead.

London, Nov. 3.—Martin Rucker, a former promoter of bicycle companies, who was charged with contempt of court in endeavoring to induce Mr. Ernest Torah Hooley, the bankrupt company promoter, to alter evidence that reflected upon the Humber Company directors, has been fined two hundred pounds and costs and ordered to pay the money or go to prison.

Mr. Hooley declared that Rucker, in behalf of four directors of the Humber Company, offered him five thousand pounds to change some of the evidence presented in the bankruptcy proceedings.

The Woman's Missionary Board.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 3.—The regular session of the woman's board of foreign missions opened in the First Congregational church yesterday with devotional exercises, conducted by Miss Emily S. Gilman of Norwich, Conn.

Mrs. Judson Smith of Boston, president of the board, presided.

Nearly two hundred and fifty delegates were present, representing a district extending as far west as Ohio, and as far south as Washington, D. C.

It is expected that there will be three thousand visitors here to-day, when the sessions of the board are to be opened to the public.

The delegates were welcomed by Mrs. P. H. Derby of Springfield.

Mrs. Judson Smith responded, thanking the local branch for its courtesy and hospitality.

Lost in Quicksands.

Victoria B. C., Nov. 3.—Frank J. Walker of Atlin City, who came down by the Farrallon en route to Chicago, brings news of the loss of seven Californians, headed by A. F. Englehardt of Passadena, from which place all hailed.

The casualty occurred in a swamp, between the new gold fields and the terminus of steam navigation from Bennett lake.

The party lost the trail and, wandering into quicksand, forming the bed of a dry river, were engulfed.

A searching party was sent from Atlin City, but nothing had been heard from them when Walker left.

Will Protect Subjects.

Jerusalem, Nov. 3.—Emperor William of Germany, in thanking the colony of Templars for their hearty reception, said:

"I hope that in the future, as in the past, my friendly relations with Turkey, and especially the friendship existing between the Sultan and myself, will facilitate your work. Wherever one of you needs my protection I am here. Let him come to me no matter what his creed may be. Happily the German empire is in a position to afford its subjects abroad effective protection."

Gen. Chaffee's New Command.

Huntsville, Ala., Nov. 3.—Major Gen. Chaffee has assumed command of the First division, Fourth Corps, with headquarters east of Huntsville.

A squadron of the Fifth cavalry will go to Savannah to-day and embark for Porto Rico.

Lieutenant Colonel Whitside of the Fifth cavalry has been promoted to a colonelcy and is now in command of the Tenth cavalry.

Last of the Cable Cars.

New York, Nov. 3.—The Third Avenue Railroad Company has begun the work of substituting electricity for cables as motive power on its lines running from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to the postoffice.

When the work is completed there will not be a cable line in the city.

President Elias of the Third Avenue road hopes to have the new system in full operation in six months.

English Companies in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3.—The Novoe Vremya expresses jealousy of the facilities granted to English companies now working in the oil fields of the Caucasus.

It suggests that the American Standard Oil Company may be buping up Russian competitors at Baku behind an English mask.

43 Deaths at Camp Hamilton.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 3.—A hospital train left Camp Hamilton yesterday for Fort Thomas, Ky., with 117 convalescent patients.

There are 279 patients still in the hospital here. There have been forty-three deaths out of two hundred and sixty patients.

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NOMINATIONS.

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.
For Governor, Elvin W. Crane, of Essex county.	For Governor, Foster M. Voorhees, of Union county.
For Congress, Eighth District, Edward H. Snyder, of Essex county.	For Congress, Eighth District, Charles N. Fowler, of Union county.
Third District, Patrick J. Convery, of Middlesex county.	Third District, Benj. F. Howell, of Middlesex county.
Union county. For Senator, George A. Ford, of Elizabeth.	Union county. For Senator, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth.
For Assembly, D. C. Collins, of Elizabeth.	For Assembly, George A. Squire, of Elizabeth.
Mulford Scudder, of Westfield.	Robert G. Houston, of Elizabeth.
F. T. Higgins, of Elizabeth.	Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield.
Somerset county, For Assemblyman, Samuel S. Childs, of Bernards.	Somerset county. For Assemblyman, E. E. Cooper, of Warren.
For Sheriff, Selah Schoonmaker, of Hillsborough.	For Sheriff, P. V. VanDoren, of Hillsboro.

COMING EVENTS.

November 3—Firemen's ball at Washington Hall.
November 3—Sociable at Warren chapel.
November 3—W. C. T. U. Business meeting at 3:30 p. m.
November 3—Republican mass meeting at Music Hall.
November 4—Democratic mass meeting, for colored voters, at Reform Hall.
November 3—Serviss illustrated lectures at Casino.
November 3—Board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. meet.
November 6—Rev. G. W. Gards will addess the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. Capt. Thompson, of the Salvation Army Headquarters, New York city, is expected to sing.
November 6—Harry Gee will speak to boys at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m.

Trolley Financering.

Mr. Riker, of the Plainfield Street Railway Company, when he appeared before the Common Council hearing ten days ago, stated that every bit of stock and bonds of that corporation represented hard money. Perhaps the Plainfield Street Railway Company may be an exception to the general run of corporate greed in this particular.

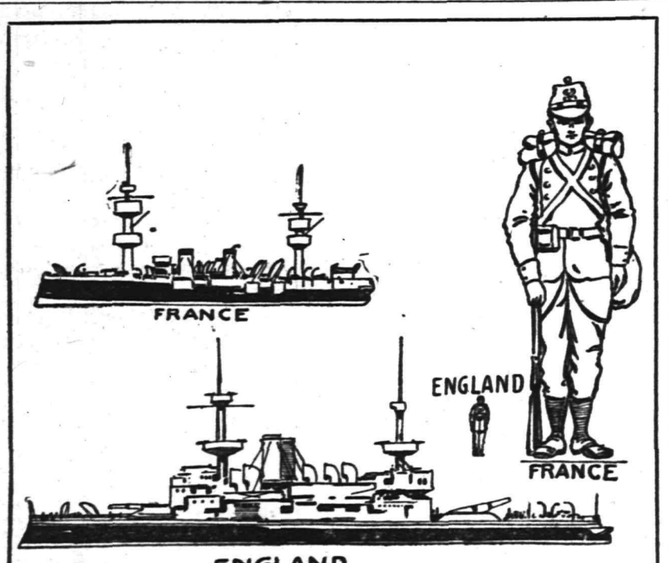
It is a common practice of promoters to capitalize and bond an enterprise for an amount about double of what the contractors get for building it ready for operation. Then with this inflated capital to pay dividends on the enterprise is expected to earn double what it should. If it does not do this the promoters go before the public crying out about the "white elephant" they have undertaken to maintain, when in reality they are getting a fair return for the actual amount they have invested.

There is a certain electric street railway not far from Plainfield that is capitalized and bonded to the amount of $600,000. The city that granted its franchise is expected to furnish business enough to pay at least five per cent. on that amount of money, and if the business does not do this it is claimed by the capitalists that the road is a losing venture. As a matter of fact, and we have had the pleasure of seeing the contract under which the road was constructed, the enterprise cost exacting $230,000, or $370,000 less than what the owners claim it did and are able to apparently prove by showing their deceptive books.

This road has double the number of miles of tracks, operates double the number of cars and in all its details is double the size of the Plainfield Street Railway Company. And besides this it has its own power house and electrical machinery, something that the Plainfield company has not. Every bit of this equipment cost $230 000, not a cent more.

Now Mr. Riker comes to us and says that the Plainfield Street Railway's road, which is only half as large in every detail as this one we have referred to, and which does not have its own power house and machinery, cost $180,000 in hard money, or only $50,000 less than this road that entailed double the amount of work to build it.

Either Mr. Riker and his partners were very reckless in their expenditures or else there "is a nigger in the woodpile" somewhere.



FIGHTING FORCES OF ENGLAND AND FRANCE.

England surpasses France in naval strength, but is greatly her inferior in available land forces. The comparative strength of the two is shown in the illustration. Should war result from present complications much will depend upon whether the principal fighting is upon land or sea.

The Murray Tally Sheets.

Any method, that covers all the legal requirements and expediates the counting of the ballots after an election, deserves the prompt endorsement of the election officers all over the State as well as in Plainfield. The system of tallying the votes, as proposed by Assemblyman Roger F. Murray, accomplishes all this and does so in a manner as simple or more so than the old method.

The election officers are paid $5 for the day's work whether they complete their work at 11 o'clock by using the new method or drag the count on to 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning by sticking to the old way. They certainly should give their hearty support to the new scheme. Once let it be practically shown how the system works and the whole county, perhaps the State, will look with favor on it and finally adopt it for general use.

In the event of the result of election hinging on a few votes either one way or the other it is barely possible that the actual result will not be known before December 20th. Under the law providing for the voting of soldiers and sailors who are away from their home districts, they have until that date in which to deposit their ballots with the Secretary of the State.

The county board of election will be in session at the court house in Elizabeth today from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m., for the purpose of adding to the registry lists and erasing names incorrectly registered. Any voter who has failed to register can go before the board on this occasion, or on Saturday, and get a certificate to have his name placed on the registry.

Considering the disrupted condition of the Democratic party in Plainfield for the last few years, the interest manifested in the reorganization plans has been quite remarkable.

These are the days when the Republicans are sure and the Democrats are certain. A week hence one or the other will have suffered a rude shock to their confidence.

When thieves succeed in carrying away a school house in a night, as they did in New Brunswick the other night, its time the town was chained to the clouds.

It has been truly said that when money talks a man seldom takes the trouble to investigate the truth of its remarks.

It is hinted that some of the Republicans are playing "button, button, who'se got the buttons?"

Tonight the local Republicans will pay tribute to their favorite son, Foster Voorhees.

Unless all indications fail the next municipal campaign will be a fierce one.

—Oysters 20 & 25c qt. See ad page 8

—The holiday styles in hats are at Sebring's. New styles.

—The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will be held this evening.

—Have you noticed the elegant display of new up-to-date neckwear displayed in the window at J. R. Blair's store on Park avenue. The goods are all right and so are the prices.

—Now in the time to get your feet properly fitted for the winter, and if your looking for a shoe store where is carried a line of reliable and up-to-date goods for everybody, try VanArsdale.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

In writing "Where is Benson?" which will be the attraction at Music Hall Saturday night, John Fowler, the author, was more than inspired with a sense of the perfect composition of human nature as illustrated in the proneness to laugh, and in striking a happy medium between the sublime and the ridiculous, he succeeded in evolving the farce comedy which appeals strongly to the favor of all amusement seekers. The company almost without exception is good, and the situations are particularly pleasing. In the cast are Frank Blair, George W. Larsen, D. J. White, H. G Carleton, F. Gemp, Gus Franckel, Helen Huyck, Idaline Cotton, Helen Young and Monte Donico As much of the success of the rendition depends upon the good work of the ladies, it is with satisfaction that it is said that nothing is lacking in this direction. It is a strong combination in all of its bearings.

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An interesting event of the present local season will be the first presentation of Denman Thompson and Geo. W. Ryer's latest success, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley" at Music Hall next Monday night. A play of its sentiment and character should be seen by all lovers of good theatricals, and all reports indicate that its naturalistic authors have another winner and worthy successor to their "Old Homestead." In this presentation all the original scenery and mechanical and electrical effects will be utilized, while the company will in every way be in keeping, consisting of twenty selected players, the Boston Verdi Ladies' Quartette and the Acme Male Quartette.

WILL THIS BE IT?

Prediction for the Regular Republican City Ticket.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—

Last night we had the pleasure of reading a Democratic-Citizen's party slate in The News. I take the liberty of submitting this one:

REGULAR REPUBLICAN TICKET.
For Mayor,
J. T. MacMURRAY.
Councilman—1st Ward,
J. P. NEWMAN.
2d Ward,
JOHN KEELEY.
3d Ward,
GEO. J. TOBIN.
4th Ward,
JAMES STEWART.
City Judge,
GEO. W. DeMEZA.
Collector,
ANDREW McCARDLE.

Provided the above ticket is elected Harry Runyon will be appointed Corporation Counsel. Probably some of the above mentioned men will not accept. If Mr. MacMurray is not elected it is generally understood he will run for County Clerk next year.

Josh.

Word has been received in this city telling of the safe arrival in Pasedena, Cal., of Charles and Elmer Manning, of South Plainfield. They arrived at their destination last Sunday. They have gone to California for the benefit of Elmer Manning's health.

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Usually the Dullest Day in the Week. We propose to make it one of the busiest.

Prices for Friday ONLY.

Best soft finished Cambrics - - 2½c yd
All our 9c Flannelettes 6½c
All our 14c Crash - 10c
Heavy cotton twilled Crash bleached - 3c
39c Hemmed Sheets, laundered - 31c ea
12½c Nightgown Cotton, white - 9c yd
13 p'k's Toilet Paper, extra large p'k'ge - $1

Down Stairs.

$5 oak Chiffonieres, 54 in high, 32 in. wide, 5 drawers $3.98
$5 solid oak Writing Desks - $3.49
Dietz Tubular Lanterns - 29c
Queen Royal Sterling Polish - - 3c
A whole lot of French and German China Plates, all white 5c ea
Pot Covers, all sizes 2c

How do We do it?

That is our concern entirely. Your part is simply to take advantage of our liberality. New goods arriving constantly. We have the largest stock of merchandise between Easton and New York. All new, fresh and the latest.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,
234-236-238 W. Front St.

If you ask your hands what kind of a
Kid Glove
they want, will say
"Buy at Peck's."
Why crowd your hands into ill-fitting Gloves when you can buy the best
At Peck's?

TAKE THE TROLLEY TO
LINCOLN
Your eyes won't deceive you at the sights you will see, your judgment will tell you what to do.
SILAS DEWEY DRAKE, President and Manager.

SPECIAL.
A splendid line of Scotch Suits to order - $15.00
Reduced from $20.00
Trousers to order - - - 5.00
SEBRING'S,
202 West Front St.

Extraordinary Bargains!
Friday and Saturday.

5¾c. yd	Fruit of the Loom Muslin, 36 inches wide.
5¾c. yd.	Dwight Anchor " " " "
4½c. yd.	Extra heavy unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide.
10c. yd	10-4 unbleached Sheeting.
4c. yd.	Outing Flannels, regular price 7c.
3½c. yd.	Shaker Flannels, " " 5c.
3c. yd	Best quality soft finished Cambric.
2½c. yd	Dark colored Prints, regular price 5c.
4c. yd	Indigo blue, Simpson's black and silver grey Calicoes, regular price 6c.
49c. a pr.	Lace Curtains, 3 yards long.
15c.	Ladies' heavy ribbed Underwear.
10c.	Ladies' fleece lined black Hose.
39c.	Men's 50 per cent natural wool Underwear.
25c.	Men's heavy grey Underwear.
18c.	Men's all-wool 1-2 Hose.
6c.	Children's natural wool Underwear, size 16; rise 2c. a size.
25c.	Boys' heavy fleece-lined Underwear.

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The New Miller Oil Heater
Cannot Smoke.
No Odor When Put Out.
New Lines Gas and Electric Fixtures.
Welsbach Reading Lamps.
JOS. W. GAVETT.
West Front Street.

"NO WAR TAX ON THESE."

Men's Top Sole Bal	$1.50.
" Cork Filled Bal	2.00.
" Winter Russett Bal	3.00.
Ladies' Regent Toe Button	1.50.
" Calf Lace Shoe	2.00.
" Manish Shape Shoe	3.00.

A. WILLETT & SON, No. 107 Park Ave.

PRICES TO WIN TRADE.
NEVER BEFORE HAVE WE SOLD SUCH GOOD SHOES FOR SO LITTLE MONEY.
Women's real Dongola Kid.....98c
A better one for.....$1 25.
And better still for.....$1.50 Up.
"OUR" $2 and $3 SHOES, Extra Fine,
are the best sold for the money.
Men's good working shoes only.....$1.25.
Men's stylish dress shoes only.....$1 50.
And up to the famous J. & M.....$5 and $6.
WE SUIT ALL POCKET BOOKS. GOOD TRUNKS CHEAP.
DOANE & EDSALL.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

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Absolutely Pure

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 3.—A Hallow'een party whs given at the home of Elias Giles, on Prospect avenue, Monday night.

Saturday afternoon a match game will be rolled on Scheptlin's green between the Middlesex County Bowling Green Club and the Communipaw Bowling Club. Prior to the game the members of the Middlesex Club will finish the contest for the Booth prize.

The funeral services over the remains of William Madden were held yesterday afternoon at the house, Rev. E. S. Jamison, of the Methodist church, officiating. Interment was in the Plainfield cemetery.

Still there is no trace of Allan Wilson, who disappeared from the borough a few weeks ago. No word has been received from him, and it is not known whether he has left the country or not.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church have been collecting some clothing and doing sewing for some worthy poor living in this vicinity.

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold an oyster supper in Apgar's Hall about the middle of this month.

Passengers who take the trolley to Bound Brook complain not a little because the one car on the line runs only once every hour.

Miss Mabel Jamison will sing at an entertainment to be given in a church in Rahway Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Wilson Frederick have returned from Philadelphia where they took in the Peace Jubilee.

Lincoln avenue has been treated to a coat of cinders, which is a great improvement.

Principal VanSyckel has resumed his duties in the public schools after a long illness.

Postmaster Charles Corie ll was out of town on business yesterday afternoon.

C. E. Kelly's new store house is finished and he is all ready for business.

Mr. Remsen and mother, of New York, were visitors in town yesterday.

William Maddis, of Newark, visited friends here Tuesday and yesterday.

Mrs. C. D. Taylor is spending a few days with her mother in Paterson.

Mrs. Carpenter is spending a few weeks in Williamsport, Pa.

Miss Henrietta Cole, of Somerville, spent yesterday in town.

John Runyon visited in Plainfield yesterday.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 3—One of the largest and most successful church sociables ever held here was the auction sociable which was held Tuesday night at the residence of Arthur Tappan, at Randolphville. The sociable was given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Baptist church and was attended by fully 150 people, young and old, for the invitations included those of all ages. The articles which were auctioned off were human beings—young girls and women, the married ones being "mortgaged," as the auctioneer said. They were auctioned off by number, but it was noticed that those with the mortgage on them were soon claimed by the mortgagee. After the fun refreshments were served and a pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Miss Laura Hart, of Cranford, formerly of this place, was married yesterday to Alfred Anthony, of Brooklyn. The wedding took place in the Presbyterian church at Cranford.

Miss Emma Nelson has returned from a visit with her cousins in Brooklyn.

The library has lately been enlarged by the gift of some new books.

The old Alberti property is going under repairs.

You are making a great mistake in not sending for a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. It is a specific for catarrh and cold in the head. We mail it, or the 50 cent size. Druggists all keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 3.—Wm. Foster, a former old resident of this town, but now an inmate of the Madison poor house, wandered into town during the month of August and took up his abode in the old slaughter house. William did the same last year and when the cold weather began the township was obliged to send him back to Madison or let him freeze to death. They concluded to pay for his carriage hire, so he was deported back. But the township official were not to be caught at the same game again, so William was notified several days ago to walk back while walking was good, or to be committed as a vagrant. It had the desired effect, for William was missing the next morning.

The Board of Education will hold a special meeting in the school parlor this evening to take action upon the Hallow'een pranks of the boys who broke into the school building Monday evening. Warrants will probably be sworn out for the arrest of the ringleaders tomorrow. While everyone in town sympathizes with the parents of the boys who are implicated, still the general opinion is that it is time to call a halt to such fun and make an example of the guilty ones.

The contract case of Clark against Efros, for damages sustained by dogs, has been taken out of Judge Clark's court. The Judge finding, as the father of the plaintiff, he had no right to try the case. The matter will probably be settled.

The Ladies Circle of the Baptist church met at "The Mause" Wednesday afternoon. Miss Miller who is interested in the Baptist Training school of Philadelphia gave an illustrated talk upon the working of that institution.

The work of macadamizing Park avenue is being rapidly pushed forward and will soon be finished. Then Park avenue will once more be in good condition.

The local football eleven go against the Dunellen team on the latter's grounds on Saturday afternoon. A good game is looked for.

A number of local Republicans will attend the mass meeting in Music Hall tonight to hear Foster M. Voorhees speech.

Miss Susie L. Parse was the guest of Mrs. James Ritchie, of Plainfield, yesterday.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, November 3.—A number of ladies from St. Paul's church are at Summit, having gone there yesterday to attend the meeting of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Episcopal church.

The new street signs have been received and are now being placed at the different corners under the direction of Chairman Embree, of the Township Committee.

Mulford M. Scudder, the nominee on the Democratic ticket for the Assembly, is making a thorough canvass and expects to be elected next Tuesday.

The High School football team are playing the team from the Elizabeth High School on the Broad street grounds this afternoon.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Spencer, of New York, is visiting relatives on Manning avenue, in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Whitenack, of Duer street, have returned from Philadelphia where they have been attending the Peace Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloom Schomp have returned from their honeymoon and are residing at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westphal, 1001 South Second street.

Mrs. Julia Warde Howe, after a lecture tour and a visit to her daughter, Mrs. David P. Hall, of Madison avenue, has returned to her home in Boston. She was one of the speakers on Monday at the celebration of "Equal Suffrage Day" at the Mechanics Fair in Boston.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE NEWCORN.

Summons issued—In the cases of Reed et al against Newman; Reed et al against Jones; Reed et al against VanNest, on contract. L. Sternberg & Company against Brown. Levy against McDonald and Liechentritt against McDonald.

By Request

the date of closing the

VELOX

Competition

has been deferred to

Saturday, Nov. 5th

THE BARD COMPANY,

133 NORTH AVE.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Chief Marshal Wilson, who has been ill, is again on duty.

Mrs. Cox, of Western, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. Charles VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, is visiting Plainfield relatives.

Samuel Huntington, of Franklin place, has returned from Westchester, N. Y.

Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, is in Cumberland, Md., on business.

Miss Littell, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of Orchard place.

Reporter Thomas, of The News, has recovered from his illness and is again at work.

Wesley Randolph, of Newark, who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, has returned home.

Miss Kittie Ransom has resigned her position in Putnam & DeGraw's on account of illness.

H. G. Runkle and family, of West Eighth street, have returned home from Saranac Inn, N. Y.

Mrs. Stillman, M. D., of Alfred, N. Y., has moved to Plainfield, and will take up the practice of medicine.

Wm. Jones, of Randolph's pharmacy, and Mrs. Jones, are today celebrating the ninth anniversary of their marriage.

Rev. G. W. Gardner, of the Grace M. E church, will conduct the men's meeting at the Y. M C. A. Sunday afternoon.

Raymond Carroll, of Westervelt avenue, will entertain the Plainfield Banjo and Mandolin Club at his home this evening.

Miss Mattie Force, of New street, has accepted a position with Putnam & DeGraw, the West Front street dry goods merchants.

Harry McGee, president of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church, will lead the boys' meeting Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Everitt Jones, of Grove street, has moved to Philadelphia, and her son, Burton Jones and wife, have taken up their residence on East Fifth street.

Jeremiah F. Garretson and family, of West Front street, moved yesterday to one of the flats in Miss Lincoln's new building on West Fourth street.

Mrs. Vandervoort and friend, of Newark, rode their wheels to Plainfield yesterday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Miller, of Orchard place.

Last Tuesday Fred Dunavan, of East Second street, celebrated the sixteenth anniversary of his birthday, and in the evening he entertained a party of friends.

Miss Jennie Quick, of East Fifth street, will be bridemaid at the wedding of her cousin, Miss Addie Layton, of Liberty Corner, which takes place next week Thursday evening.

Dr. Frank Hallock, of Park avenue, who has been absent from Plainfield for three months on account of his health, has returned very much improved. He has not, however, resumed his practice, and will probably not for a few days.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Codfish 5c lb. See ad page 8.

—Press want ads bring results.

—You will find at Sebring's men's business suits at special low prices.

—Your attention is called to S. Scheuer & Co.'s advertisement in this issue.

—Justice Newcorn was in Somerville yesterday taking evidence in a divorce suit.

—Unity Lodge, K. of P., held a regular meeting last night, but only transacted routine business.

—Members of Senate Lodge, No. 3542, K. of H., will hold an important meeting in their rooms tonight.

—The Misses Netherwood will give a dance in Smith's store on South avenue tomorrow night. About eighty invitations have been issued.

—The monthly conference of the Northern New Jersey secretaries and physical directors of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Monday in Newark.

—Last evening Cypress Commandery, K. T., of this city, went to Trenton and attended a reception and entertainment given by a K. T. Commandery of that place.

—To use a small boys expression Woodhull & Martin are "whooping it up." Special sales every day are drawing crowds of people who are taking advantage of the cut prices.

—The monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held tonight at the home of Miss Henrietta Cuming, of Watchung avenue.

—The committee in charge of the fair which is to be given by the Sons of Veterans this winter, from December 5th to 10th in Washington Hall, met Monday night and made a few more arrangements in regard to it.

—The United States Express Company's office on North avenue is receiving a coat of paint which was made necessary by the scorching the office received on the morning of the big fire in the Bard Company's store.

—Friday and Saturday at White's—An uncommon chance this to stock up on your winter needfuls. A backward season has made many price breaks in dress goods, silks, underwear and hosiery and where values remains the prices are all your way. Not one in twenty of the good things that they have, get a line in print but 'twill be to your interest to visit the store.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

EXTRACTS.

After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

A. L. KAERTH & CO.

Consider a Moment!

Why Not Feel Well?

This is the time for renovating the system. YOUR BLOOD may need cleansing.

RANDOLPH'S SARSAPARILLA

is compounded of roots and herbs that free the circulation of its impurities. Everybody may have the benefits of this preparation.

THE PRICE ONLY 50 CENTS.

L. W. RANDOLPH,

Prescription Druggist. 143 West Front St

Plainfield, N. J.

Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.

Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD
(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non-Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. Plain sewing and embroidery done and taught at the home. 11 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

HOUSE for sale or rent, 69 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

WANTED—Girl or woman for cook and general housework. Apply at Somerset Hotel, North Plainfield. 10 29 tf

WANTED—By girl, place as cook; good references. 420 East Third street. 11 2 2

TO LET—7-room house, 215 Richmond street. Call 705 Berckman street. 11 2 2

WANTED—Young girl for general housework; three in family; no washing. Appply immediately, at 815 Second place. 11 2 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework; must be good cook and laundress. Mrs Naething, Westfield, N J. 11 2 2

2 UPRIGHT pianos for sale or rent; cheap. 301 East Front street. 11 2 2

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

LOST—Kodak covers, this morning, East Front street through Richmond street to Second street, down Second street to depot. Finder please return to Press office.

WANTED — Respectable colored girl as chambermaid and waitress; references required. 819 Park avenue. 11 3 3

COLORED man wants position in private family; first-class references. Address M. G., care Press.

GIRL wanted for general house work, at 28 Craig place.

The Wargraph Repeated

TO-NIGHT, AT THE

First Church of Christ.

G. S. Dufford will appear as a Negro Impersonator with Plantation Songs and Banjo Accompanist.

TICKETS 10 CENTS.

AUCTION OF HORSES

At Hand's Mountain avenue brickyard, North Plainfield,

Friday, November 4th,

1 o'clock. 11 1 3

MAKING IT PLAIN.

Values crowd each other as the season advances; they clamor for a place in print; perhaps one in twenty gets it. Last month we broke a record, and the next 'twill be the same. We own the goods to do it with; we have the nerve to cut prices right through every department, not on half-a-dozen articles for baits, but every dollar's worth of goods in the store. It means much to you from a money-saving standpoint.

PRICE BREAKS

In Silks among the manufacturers means Price Breaks here; you get the full benefit of it, and it means much. Over one thousand yards of Handsome Silks that were $1 to $1.75 the yard will go for 79c yd.

DRESS GOODS

We have too many of certain lots, a backward season is to blame for it, and when the values remain the same the prices are badly twisted. About 100 pieces of Skirt and Waist Lengths, were 40, 50 and 75c yd, now 25c yd. Fifty pieces of Fancies, were 50 and 75c yd, now 29c yd Twenty-five pieces of Imported Novelties, were 75c yd, now 49c.

WHITE QUILTS.

About one hundred of them manufacturers samples, full size, handsome quilts, staple as wheat, but they go to you at half value—were $1.25 to $3, now 69c to $1.75.

BLANKETS

and Comfortables—many who read this will feel bound to buy blankets and comfortables. We sell for $2.49 a ten-quarter all-wool blanket; no one can match it under $3.50. 98c buys a full-size white cotton filled Comfortable.

These lots of fresh, seasonable specials are here for quick selling; you will know they are cheap the minute you see them:

Children's natural wool shirts and pants 19c each.
Children's fleece-lined shirts and pants—
Size—18 20 22 24 26 28
8c 10c 13c 16c 19c 21c each.
Extra large bath towels 13c ea.
2,000 yards of Real Torchon Lace 6 and 7c yd.
1,000 yards of Fine Imported Dimins 15c yd.
1,000 yards of Domestic Figured Dimins 9c yd.
All-linen Fringed Doylies 7c ea.
All-linen Dinner Napkins 9c ea.
Ten-quarter Figured Table Covers $1.19 ea.
Eight-quarter Colored Table Covers 49c ea.
Extra-heavy all-linen Twilled Crash 8c yd.
Fine Dotted and Striped Swiss for Curtains 9c yd.
Ladies' Fine Hose 15c pr.
Children's School Hose 10c pr.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, fleeced, 21c ea.

Ladies' Natural Wool Fleeced Vests 39c ea.
Ladies' Fine Fleeced Hose 19c pr.
Men's Fine Suspenders, 25c kind, 13c pr.
Men's Fine Wool Half-Hose 17c pr.
Fine all-linen Hemstitched H'dk fs 13c ea.
Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, 75c kind, 49c ea.
Infants' Wool Ribbed Vests 17c ea.
Side Combs 5c pr.
Plate Glass Hand Mirrors 15c ea.
Silk Curtain Cord and Tassels 12c pr.
Laundry Bags 10c ea.
Mantle Lambrequins 29c ea.
Linen Tray Cloths 27c ea.
Fine Embroideries 10c yd.
Chatelaine Bags 10c ea.
Buttermilk Soap 7c cake.
Ladies' Side Supporters, with belt, 10c pr.
Turkish Wash Cloths 2c ea.
Fine Writing Paper—60 Sheets, 60 Envelopes 17c box.

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' Plaid Waists 65c.
" Flannel " $1.25.
" Satine Skirts $100.
" Flannelette Wrappers, well made 98c.
" Silk Waists, black and colored, $4.98 ea.
" Velveteen Waists, all colors, $3.98 ea.

Fur Collarettes $1.69.
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front, 25c ea.
Boys' all-wool Shirt Waists 69c. Value $1.00 ea.
Boys' Knee Pants, made of all-wool cheviot, 29c pr.

THIRD FLOOR.

Smith's Finest Quality Velvet and Axminster Carpets, 95c yd., including making, laying and lining.

Lace Curtains, extra size, 98c, $1.10, $1.19, $1.29, $1.39 and $1.49 pr.
Tapestry Table Covers 39c ea.
Chenille Table Covers 49c ea.
Wilton Velvet Mats, 18x36, 98c ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 27x63, $1.98 ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 36x72, $2.98 ea.
Tapestry Carpets, 10 wire, 49c yd.

Extra super all-wool Ingrain Carpets 52c yd.
Extra quality all-wool Art Squares $4.88 ea.
Tapestry Portierres 98c ea.
Feather Pillows 39c ea.
Comfortables filled with white cotton 98c ea.
All-wool Blankets, full size, $2.49 pr.
Heavy Grey Blankets $1.50 ea.
Cotton Blankets 39c ea.

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

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MODEL 49 (improved) $40.
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OTHER MODELS AT $25 and $35.

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Schmidt Emma Miss
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ROSES, carnations, violets and a large assortment of choice cut flowers, decorative and flowers, an immense stock of specimen plants for decorations, the largest stock of plants and cut flowers in this vicinity. Baskets, bouquets and floral designs made up at short notice. Store, 142 North avenue, Plainfield; greenhouses, South avenue, Netherwood, near depot.

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Ten Things a Baby Can Do.

It can beat any alarm clock ever invented for waking a family up in the morning. Give it fair show, and it can smash more dishes than the most industrious servant girl in the country. It can fall down oftener and with less provocation than the most expert tumbler in the circus ring. It can make more genuine fuss over a simple brass pin than its mother would over a broken back. It can choke itself black in the face with greater ease than the most accomplished wretch that was ever executed. It can keep a family in constant turmoil from morning till night, and night till morning, without once varying its tunes.

It can be relied upon to sleep peacefully all day when its father is down town, and cry all night when he is particularly sleepy. It may be the naughtiest, dirtiest, ugliest, most fretful baby in all the world, but you can never make its mother believe it, and you had better not try it. It can be a charming and model infant when no one is around; but when visitors are present it can exhibit more bad temper than both of its parents together. It can brighten up a house better than all the furniture ever made, make sweeter music than the finest orchestra organized, fill a larger space in its parents' breasts than they knew they had, and when it goes away it can cause a greater vacancy and leave a greater blank than all the rest of the world put together.

The Cheerful Woman.

There are emergencies in every household which call for the display of a stateman's skill. The cheerful woman is pre-eminent on such occasions. She conquers the grim uncle or the dyspeptic cousin with her infective cheerfulness, and her servants recognize her as their friend and ally in all matters that are essential to their welfare. The length of time she keeps her servants is a source of wonderment to her less fortunate friends, but the secret of it is in her own winsome disposition. She soothes the tired worker with a word of kind commendation, where another might make a querulous complaint. When direction is needed she delivers it in such a gentle, albeit firm manner that it has no sting of reproof. This gentle, tactful woman is not afflicted with work that is from "sun to sun" or that is "never done." She does not moralize much, perhaps, but by some means she manages to accomplish a great deal of work and have plenty of time at her command. It is by means of that same cheerfulness of disposition. There is less delay in executing her commands, and she possesses the gift of "timing her turns" so that sometimes it seems as if the "fairies did help her." And the fairies of gentle breeding and of kind heart do help her. Heaven bless the cheerful woman!

A Well Dressed Woman.

There is an exquisite charm about a neatly-dressed woman. She does not wear her hair twisted up carelessly, as if just about to fall over her shoulders. Her gloves are not ripped at the seams, nor any buttons missing from her boots. Her veil does not reveal a hole over her chin, nor does the binding of her skirt show ragged in places. Not many women show their tidiness in all these little details, but it is a pleasure to meet the girl or woman who is, to use a slang term, "well groomed." The cloth gown of such a woman fits her without a crease, and there is neither speck nor spot on it. Her linen collar and cuffs are snowy white, and remain properly fixed in their places. Her gloves do not wrinkle, but button smoothly over her wrists. Her shoes are kept clean and polished. Her bonnet or hat is pinned on straight, and her hair is neatness itself. She is the picture of delicate finish and wholesome order. Would that we could come across her somewhat oftener.

Care of Canaries.

This is the time of year when canaries often suffer a good deal from neglect.

Breeders and others who took a keen interest in their caged pets in the spring and summer, hoping for a profitable increase, now pay them but scanty attention; and others, anxious to treat them kindly, often err through ignorance.

During the moulting season both old and young birds amply repay careful attention.

Avoid hanging them in a draught; see that the seed-vessel, drinking-water, and bath are replenished each morning.

Put plenty of sand on the floor of the cage (this will last a long time if shaken through a gravy strainer) once a week. Wash the perches with a cloth dipped in hot water; clean perches prevent sore feet, a trial many poor little birds suffer continually from.

It is sometimes necessary to cut the claws of old birds, but this requires care and sharp scissors. On no account cut them too short, or they will bleed and cause lameness.

A few inches of string tied inside the cage gives birds great amusement to pull at, and prevents them eating off paint from the wires of ornamental cages.

Good sound canary-seed is the best staple diet, with hemp and rape thrown in occasionally—if put together in the same vessel the birds scatter and waste the seed. Some packets of mixed bird-seeds are well adapted for daily use, but others contain many seeds a canary cannot thrive on, and cause sickness and weakness.

Green food of some kind should be supplied all the year round. Choice can be made from many varieties, such as lettuce, watercress, mignonette, groundsel, shepherd's-purse, dandelion, plantain.

The latter weed is found in great abundance at this season, and if gathered when ripe can be stored for winter use in paper bags.

Bits of cuttle-fish, lump sugar, biscuit or a bit of bread are gratefully attacked. Hard-boiled egg never comes amiss at any season, and birds freely supplied with it quickly accomplish the needful change of feathers, or rear broods of sturdy young ones as the case may be.

Those who are anxious to improve the color of their birds by artificial means can easily do so by supplying them with reliable "color-food" during the moulting season. Carefully given according to directions it does the birds no harm; and many an insignificant bird can be transformed into a brilliant yellow or deep orange; but, of course, it is far more satisfactory to secure birds whose plumage owes nothing to "color-feeding."

Shabby Clothes.

A woman of wonderful resource has discovered a new and very sure way of renovating and restoring to their former appearance spotted, soiled, or faded cloth or serge gowns. Pick about twenty ivy leaves—young green ones for choice, wash them carefully and place them in a jug or basin; add about one pint of boiling water, cover up the basin or jug, and leave to soak for two or three hours, when it will be ready for use. Meanwhile the garment must be thoroughly brushed inside and out, and all untidy braiding or lining removed from the bottom. When ready, spread it on the table and carefully sponge with the ivy water. It must then be hung out to dry, when it will be found to have recovered its former color and to look quite like new. Black silk may be cleaned in the same manner, but it needs more care. If the silk is in breadths it must be lightly sponged and then lightly rolled over a cloth wound round a roller and left to dry. Black lace may also be renovated when soiled or brown with age by sponging with ivy water and then rolling over a cloth wound round a roller. It should not be ironed.

A PARISIAN SUGGESTION.

Handsome Traveling Gown.

At the openings in all the large stores handsome traveling and walking gowns are shown in great variety.

One of the nattiest suits seen is of checked cheviot of a mixed green shade. It is made with the popular flaring skirt, and the corsage is perfectly tight fitting, trimmed with braid and a light shade of plain cloth. Corded satin forms the vest and collar, the latter being made very high and outlined with a narrow band of velvet.

The hat accompanying this suit is a stylish affair in black velvet adorned with numerous loops of ribbon velvet.

The latest definition of a jury is "a body of men organized for the purpose of deciding which side has the smartest lawyer."

QUEEN WILHELMINA'S FATHER.

The Eccentricities of the Old King Rendered Him Unbearable.

It is to be hoped that the young Queen of Holland has inherited the character of her sensible mother rather than that of her erratic old father. His impatience and discontent in the latter part of his life made the existence of those about him something of a burden.

One summer at Carlsbad, when the king was taking the cure, he became angry at one of the gentlemen in attendance and ordered the unfortunate young man to leave the town in six hours. As to whether there was a convenient train within the prescribed time it mattered not, the disgraced individual was forced to depart. Another time one of the King's valets was a moment late in responding to his call, and for his punishment His Majesty kept the man standing an hour before giving him the order, adding if the offence was repeated he would throw the man over the banisters.

At that time Mme F.— of the hotel where the king stayed, owned a landau and two horses, which he rented for the month. She had also a pair of ponies and a light victoria that an American woman had engaged. One day the king noticed the ponies and admired them. Madame was summoned.

"His Majesty wishes to have the ponies this afternoon."

Madame was independent, and had likewise found that American citizens paid quite as well as Dutch royalties and were not so troublesome; so she informed the Comte de M— that the ponies were engaged and that His Majesty could not have them. There followed a small tempest, but Madame remained firm and trotted off in triumph to inform the American woman of the incident. As the latter was not intending to use the ponies that afternoon, she told Mme. F— the king might have them. Somewhat reluctantly the plump little landlady returned to the count.

At 3 o'clock the American family hung out of the windows to watch the king start on his drive. Up came the victoria, the fat ponies and the wenzel, gay in his livery of blue and gold. His Majesty, looking like a thundercloud, came out on the steps, and was assisted into the carriage by the sad-eyed Comte de M—. A quaking lackey started to put a heavy rug across the king's knees. Here was an outlet for the royal wrath. Seizing the wrap, the king hurled it at the servant's head with such force that the man staggered back and sat down suddenly upon the stone steps, and His Majesty drove away with a pleasanter expression.

While the king was at Carlsbad, his only son, the Prince of Orange, died, but the strange old man would not allow this bereavement to interrupt his "cure" and ordered the funeral to be postponed for ten days. Though it was reported that one of the scores of boxes brought by the king contained two hundred hats, he never would wear any but an ancient, soft, snuff-colored one. At first this bore no sign of mourning until the Americans and English at Carlsbad sent him resolutions of sympathy. The following day he appeared with a narrow black ribbon tied carelessly around the same old brown hat. A week later he departed at 4 o'clock in the morning, an hour he always chose to begin his journeys.—New York Tribune.

The Spanish Duchess.

If a duchess enters a shop do you imagine she will be more courteously received than a little milliner? Not at all. For both are instantly made at home, and treated to the hidalgo's finest manner. * * * But she will never be the less a duchess because she and the shopkeeper are on the best of terms. Her unconsciousness of her rank in everyday relations, which would stupefy an English duchess, comes from the fact that she belongs to a prouder race. Had she a mind to sport her coronet in a shop the owner and his attendants would speedily make short work of her decorative dignity. To them it would simply mean an underbred and foolish exhibition, for impertinence and vulgar haughtiness are not defects the Spaniards will tolerate. This explains their inherent and incorrigible dislike of the Anglo-Saxon.—Blackwood's Magazine.

The Culture of the Zebra.

On several South African farms experiments have been tried with Burchell's zebra. The zebras become as tame as ponies, and are readily broken in for draft work. The object of their tamers has been to breed a mule which, like the zebra, is proof against the tsetse fly. The zebras themselves run well enough in a mule team, though they cannot stand overdriving.

"I must confess," exclaimed a young woman, "that I grow weary of hearing those people talk about their family tree." "I have observed," replied Miss Cayenne, "that family trees are very much like ordinary trees. The old, substantial stock is not shaken by any breezes. The more recent and unimportant twigs are what do all the rustling."—Washington Star.

"A woman," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "gets mad at a man if he be awkward in making love and gets madder if he makes love as if he had had lots of experience."—Indianapolis Journal.

Little Andrew—Pa, what's a genius? Pa—He is generally a fellow that the neighbors had a very poor opinion of when he was a boy.—Chicago News.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Provinz Ostpreußen.

Burg. In einer Sandgrube im Dorfe Lemlendorf wurden von herabstürzenden Sandmassen vier Kinder, welche dort spielten, verschüttet. Nur zwei von ihnen konnten mit Aufgebot ihrer letzten Kräfte sich wieder aus dem Sande herauswühlen, während zwei Knaben im Alter von sieben und zwölf Jahren, Söhne des Landmanns Karl Wilken, bei dieser Spielerei den Erstickungstod fanden.

Saalfeld. Das Amtsgerichtsgebäude mit sämmtlichen Akten, Dokumenten u. s. w. ist neulich Morgens niedergebrannt.

Provinz Westpreußen.

Danzig. In den Kreisen der Danziger Schankwirthe wird eine Petition um Aufhebung oder Milderung der Verfügung des Polizeipräsidenten, welche den Schluß aller Schankstellen um acht Uhr Abends festsetzt, vorbereitet.

Klobschin. Auf dem Grundstücke des Gastwirths Schafferus brach Feuer aus, welches in kurzer Zeit nicht nur sämmtliche Gebäude, Wohnhaus mit Gasthaus und den Gaststall, sondern auch das angrenzende Schulhaus in Asche legte.

Rheinprovinz.

Köln. Der Domkapitular Dr. Dumont, der älteste Domherr, ist dieser Tage im Alter von 71 Jahren in Folge eines Schlaganfalles gestorben.

Elberfeld. Der Inspektor des Polizeigefängnisses, Witzki, der kürzlich von Wartenburg (Ostpreußen) hierher versetzt wurde, ist auf Anordnung der Staatsanwaltschaft Wartenburg wegen Verbrechen im Amt verhaftet worden.

Königswinter. Die Weingärten der Gemarkung Königswinter sind in diesem Jahre nicht durch polizeiliche Verordnung geschlossen worden. Seit Menschengedenken ist dies noch nicht dagewesen, weil auch in schlechten Weinjahren einzelne bevorzugte Distrikte einen Ertrag aufzuweisen hatten. Dies ist in diesem Jahre nicht der Fall. Der Schimmelpilz und der Sauerwurm haben die diesjährige Ernte ganz vernichtet, und zwar sowohl die rothen, wie auch die weißen Trauben.

Provinz Sachsen.

Delitzsch. Eine seltsame Gefangene hat die hiesige Strafanstalt für weibliche Personen erhalten. Es ist die vom Schwurgericht zu Stendal zum Tode verurtheilte Raubmörderin Matthes, die zu lebenslänglichem Zuchthaus begnadigt wurde. Die Verurtheilte aber will von keiner Begnadigung etwas wissen, sondern verlangt, hingerichtet zu werden.

Mühlhausen. Am Morgen des 1. Mai wehte auf dem Thurme der Untermarktkirche eine mächtige rothe Fahne. Vier Sozialdemokraten standen im Verdacht, diese halsbrecherische That ausgeführt zu haben, und standen deshalb wegen Hausfriedensbruches und groben Unfugs vor dem Schöffengericht. Drei Angeklagte wurden wegen mangelnden Beweises freigesprochen, der Vierte wurde für überführt erachtet und zu zehn Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt.

Provinz Schlesien.

Glogau. Bei einem kürzlich in Glogischdorf ausgebrochenen Brande kam eine 83jährige Frau in den Flammen um.

Grünberg. Eine Volksbibliothek mit Lesehalle wurde in unserer Stadt eröffnet. Die Stadtverwaltung leistet zur Unterhaltung derselben einen jährlichen Zuschuß von 1000 Mark.

Neugersdorf. Die Gemeinderäthe von Altgersdorf und Neugersdorf beschlossen die Vereinigung unter dem Namen Alt- und Neugersdorf; damit ist das größte Dorf der Oberlausitz geschaffen worden.

Provinz Schleswig-Holstein.

Altona. Allgemeines Aufsehen hat hier der Zusammenbruch des Weinhauses C. H. Heuer, das länger als 50 Jahre bestand, hervorgerufen. Die Passiva sollen nahezu 500,000 Mark, der Werth des Weinlagers noch etwa 200,000 Mark betragen.

Kiel. Das Segelschiff „Adeline" aus Neuhaus ist Nachts von dem Torpedoboot „S. 37" bei Stollergrund treibend aufgefunden und hier eingebracht worden. Der Steuermann der „Adeline," welcher behauptete, der Schiffer Dogege sei beim Segelsetzen ertrunken, ist plötzlich flüchtig geworden. Er wird von der Staatsanwaltschaft verfolgt wegen Verdachts, den Schiffer überwältigt und über Bord geworfen zu haben.

Provinz Westfalen.

Münster. Die Meldung, daß der Kanal Dortmund-Emshäfen am 1. April 1899 eröffnet werden solle, kann nur dahin ausgelegt werden, daß an diesem Tage die Eröffnungsfeier stattfindet, wahrscheinlich in Gegenwart des Kaisers. Auf ausgedehnten Theilstrecken wird der Kanal schon heute befahren. Leider hapert es noch immer mit der wichtigen Theilstrecke Henrichenburg-Dortmund, da die Dichtung der durchlässig gewordenen 14 Meter hohen Dämme am Schiffshebewerk bei Henrichenburg nicht gelingen will. Neuerdings ist dort die Einbauung von zwei eisernen Sicherheitsthoren angeordnet worden.

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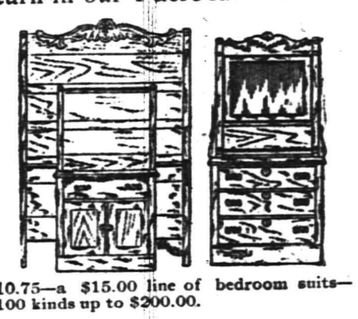

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 03, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 05, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 35 p. m., 12 15 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 08, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 08, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 22, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 30, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 26, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 8 06 a. m; 2 05 6 35 p. m.

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6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

6 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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A NEW MONASTERY.

FRANCISCANS' FINE HOME NOW BEING BUILT AT WASHINGTON.

Here Will Be Established the Order's Headquarters In America. The Monastery Built Like Those In Italy—Features of the Church.

The powerful order of Franciscan monks will soon establish its headquarters for the United States near Washington. The monastery, which has been in course of erection for eight months near the Catholic university of America, is rapidly nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy in January. The Commissariat of the Holy Land, now located in New York, will have quarters in the monastery, and the affairs of the order will be directed from there. It will be the only Franciscan monastery in the United States, and is a new departure in Catholic educational institutions in the United States. Friar Godfrey Schilling, a native of Prussia, will be the prior. The superior will be the custodian of the Holy Sepulcher at Jerusalem. Novices will be drawn from Belgium, Austria, Italy and Spain. They will be educated as missionaries for South America, Africa and the Holy Land. In connection with the monastery there is the Church of the Holy Land, in which are reproduced the Holy Sepulcher, the birthplace of Christ, Mount Calvary, the catacombs and the home of the holy family at Nazareth.

The immense buildings occupy a commanding eminence one mile north of University station, on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, and about three miles from Washington. From the height there is a magnificent view of hills, valleys and hamlets far beneath. Ample grounds surround the monastery, and the site is an ideal one for such an institution. The church faces the long winding road which straggles up the hill from the little railway station in the valley below.

The architecture of the entire structure is of a style hitherto unseen in the United States and is oriental in character. The facade, while plain, cannot be said to be severe. Little attempt is made at ornamentation beyond the terra cotta trimmings. On either side of the main entrance there are niches for statues of the patron saints of the order, and just over the door is the coat of arms of the Holy Land, surmounted by a cross. The church is built in the shape of this coat of arms, which is a cross surrounded by four smaller crosses. The main body of the church forms the large cross and four chapels represent the smaller ones. A corridor leads from the entrance past two chapels to the body of the church, which has a vaulted roof arching 75 feet above the floor. The floors are of Italian mossic, equal to the best work of the kind in the Congressional Library building. Directly opposite the corridor and across the church is the Holy Sepulcher, every detail of the original in Jerusalem being accurately reproduced. Above this is Mount Calvary, with its trees and every feature faithfully portrayed. Rising still higher and slightly to the rear is the choir loft overlooking the mount and body of the church. To the right of the church entrance a carved stairway, ample in proportions, leads to the grotto of Nazareth, 20 feet below the floor. Here is reproduced the rocky cave where the holy family lived after leaving Bethlehem with the infant Christ. This grotto extends below the walls of the church 20 or 30 feet. Following a subterranean passage of arched brickwork, the chapel of the dead is reached. This is below and just in front of the Holy Sepulcher and is designed for holding the funeral ceremonies of those who may die in the monastery. Adjoining it is a miniature reproduction of the catacombs of Rome, with niches in the walls for the reception of bodies. These niches will not be used and were built solely to carry out the general plan of the reproduction.

From the catacombs a dark winding passage extends beneath the church floor to the grotto of Bethlehem or holy cave. Like the grotto of Nazareth, it is 20 feet beneath the floor and is a representation of the birthplace of Christ, over which the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem is built. It was in that grotto that St. Jerome spent the last 31 years of his life, 14 of which were devoted to the translation of the Old Testament into Latin. A small stairway leads from the grotto to the church above. Altars are placed over both grottoes at either side of the church. Light is admitted to the church from many rose and oriel windows, and their interior will be richly ornamented.

The monastery is just in the rear of and adjoining the church. The two buildings are connected by the sacristy, which is immediately back of the Holy Sepulcher and Mount Calvary. Built in the form of a hollow square of 200 feet, the monastery is as nearly like similar institutions in Italy as it is possible to make it. The cloister surrounds a courtyard 100 feet square, with trees scattered here and there and a well in the center, after the manner of the monasteries of the old world. The west side is devoted to quarters for the students and novices. The lower floor will be occupied by newcomers and the upper by those who will soon be admitted to the order or have nearly completed their course of study. There are also rooms for those who are not under the monastic rule, but may be domiciled in the building, attached for the time being to the institution.

The entire lower floor of the eastern wing is given over to the commissariat of the Holy Land. Here will be the executive offices of the order for the jurisdiction of the United States. Above are the quarters for the monks, small rooms with cement floors and a single window. These rooms do not differ materially from the cells of the monks in European monasteries. In the north corridor the library occupies most of the space on the upper floor. There are also rooms for the sick, larger and more comfortable than the little cells, and apartments for the superior and his executive staff. The basement is set apart for shops, where all sorts of trades will be taught to students and novices. The south corridor adjoins the sacristy and forms part of it. Extending along the roof of the north corridor there is a platform or terrace where the monks may stroll and meditate. The building is of fireproof construction.

The interior will be entirely devoid of decoration of any kind, and will be severely plain. The architect, Aristides Leonori of Rome, came to the United States expressly to supervise the construction. He has recently returned from Palestine, where he visited all the places reproduced in the church. He took accurate measurements and photographs to aid him in his work in Washington. Both church and monastery are constructed of buff brick and terra cotta of the same color with tiled roofs. There are now a number of individual members of the Order of St. Francis located in many of the cities of the United States, but there has never been a house of the order in this country before the one now nearing completion in Washington.—New York Sun.

NEW APOSTOLIC DELEGATE.

Archbishop Chapelle's Eminent Fitness For That Post In Cuba.

The archbishops of the Roman Catholic church of America convened in annual session the other day at the Catholic university in Washington. Archbishops Chapelle of New Orleans, Gross of Oregon, Riordan of California and Ireland of St. Paul were absent. Archbishop Kain of St. Louis served as secretary and announced at the end of the session that the prelates had spent the day in considering the international affairs of the church and had no information to give to the press.

A cablegram was received from Archbishop Chapelle in Paris saying that he had been appointed apostolic delegate to Cuba. Mgr. Conaty commented on the appointment in the following terms: "No one could be more eminently fitted for the post at Cuba than Archbishop Chapelle. He is a thorough American and perfectly familiar with all the details of the American government. His headquarters will, I suspect, be at Santiago, where the archbishop now incumbent is stationed. But his district will not extend to Porto Rico, being confined to the island of Cuba itself."

Archbishop Chapelle was at one time rector of St. Matthew's parish of Washington, being appointed to the bishopric of New Mexico from Washington. On the death of Archbishop Janssens of New Orleans Bishop Chapelle was named to succeed him, notwithstanding the determined opposition of the bishops and clergy of the diocese. That opposition has since altogether disappeared.—New York Sun.

THE POPE'S CRITICAL DATE.

He Has Escaped One Determined by a Cabalistic Calculation.

The pope appears to have recovered from the serious indisposition which gave rise to the recent alarming reports. His holiness has never had a strong constitution.

About his twentieth year he believed that he was wasting with phthisis and wrote an eloquent piece of Latin verse on his approaching end, "Why Flatter Thyself?" Ten years later, when he was apostolic delegate at Benevento, he came near dying of a pernicious fever. It was thought that he was lost. He was saved by the act, then thought foolhardy, of Dr. Volpis, physician to the king of Naples, in plunging him into a bath of cold water at the moment of the most violent attack of the fever.

Leo XIII has not gone out of the vast inclosure which surrounds the Vatican in 20 years, and yet has surpassed the years of life of Pius IX, who alone of all the popes had exceeded the years of Peter. In the eyes of superstitious Romans Leo XIII has performed another miracle of longevity. He has escaped a critical date, one determined by a cabalistic calculation, which set the end of his life for the year 1892.

It is said all his predecessors in this century, Pius IX, Gregory XVI, Pius VIII, Leo XVI and Pius VII, have obeyed the law of figures. Leo XIII alone has escaped it, and the same calculation, if it were exact in his case, would assign him ten years more of existence, which would make the pontiff surpass even the age of Doge Dandolo.—London Mail.

MIXED MARRIAGES.

Without the Necessary Promises They Are Condemned by the Pope.

The Osservatore Romano, the official Vatican organ, states that the pope was exceedingly displeased at the parish priest of St. Stephen's in Vienna, who officiated at the wedding of Princess Dorothea of Coburg, a Catholic, and Duke Ernest of Sleswick-Holstein, a Protestant, for the reason that he did not require the usual promises before the wedding ceremony. The priest will be subject to punishment.

The Catholic church requires on the occasion of a mixed marriage that the two parties sign an agreement that no obstacle will be placed in the way of the Catholic party's practicing his or her religion and that all the children will be raised Catholics, whether the Catholic party be living or not.

New Catholic Hospital.

Archbishop Feehan dedicated the new St. Anthony's hospital, Chicago, Sept. 18. There was an attendance of 20,000 present. The archbishop was assisted by a large number of the clergy. Representatives of the supreme pontiff, of the national and state governments, were there, and the city of Chicago sent its acting mayor to give official approval to the new charity of the Franciscan Sisters of the Sacred Heart. The hospital is one of the finest in the world.

A NEW BATTLESHIP.

THE GREATEST TRIUMPH IN NAVAL CONSTRUCTION.

The Illinois, Which In the Opinion of Experts Will Be the Most Powerful Fighting-Machine Ever Constructed by a Nation.

The navy department, in designing the plans for the Illinois, showed as great an advance over former designs as previous plans had shown over the types of fighting ships which were supposed to be satisfactory in 1890. The Illinois belongs to the class of designs known as those of 1896, while the Kentucky and Kearsarge belong to the class of 1895. As if the designers had foreseen the conclusion of naval experts after the close of our war with Spain upon the efficacy of guns, in the Illinois the 8-inch gun is eliminated and the weight and power of the secondary battery tremendously increased. To add to the value of the seagoing qualities of the battleship, a spar deck has been added to the first three-quarters of the ship's length, and the freeboard increased from thirteen feet in the Kentucky to twenty feet in the Illinois.

The four terrible 13-inch guns will fire an 1,100-pound shell, with a muzzle energy of 33,627 foot tons, equal to the perforation of thirty-four and a half inches of wrought iron. The two 13-inch guns forward are twenty-six and a half feet above the water line, which enables them to be used in battle even when a heavy sea is on and the battle ship is headed at it. The after turret stands above the main deck and is eight feet lower than the forward turret. The turrets are of the elliptical type. They are lighter than on the other battle ships and provide more room for the handling of the guns and their loading.

The fourteen 6-inch guns of the secondary battery will fire a 100-pound shell. Each of these guns is to have a muzzle energy of 3,204 tons, with a power of penetrating 15.6 inches of iron. The guns are widely separated, and greater protection is afforded the gunners than on any other of the battle ships. Eight of the guns will be in the central battery on the main deck, protected by a wall of five and one-half inches of steel. Two 6-inch guns on the same deck, but forward, will be protected the same way. Four 6-inch guns on the spar deck will have a protection of six inches of steel, and can be fired dead ahead and dead astern, as well as on the broadside. The two smokestacks have been placed abreast of each other.

In calling attention to the superb quality of the Illinois, Alabama and Wisconsin type of battle ships, the Scientific American makes a comparison with the Majestic of the British navy, which officials of the navy stationed here regard as eminently fair. The Majestic has a displacement loaded of about 15,000 tons to 11,525 tons for the Illinois.

Nevertheless, against this seeming disparity the Illinois carries four 13-inch guns, as against four 12-inch for the Majestic; she has fourteen 6-inch rapid-fire, as against twelve; she is protected with sixteen inches of side armor, as against fifteen inches; she has seventeen-inch turret armor, as against six inches, and her speed is only one and one-half knots less. Further, being a smaller ship she presents less target to the enemy, and drawing four feet less water she can navigate harbors and rivers and channels into which the Majestic dare not enter.

The technical description of the Illinois is: A double-turret battle ship, length 368 feet, and over all 373 feet and 9 inches. Extreme breadth, 27 feet 2½ inches. Mean draught, with 800 tons of coal on, two-thirds of stores and two-thirds of ammunition, is 23 feet and 6 inches. There is twenty feet of freeboard at the bow and thirteen feet three inches at the stern.

The armor belt is Harveyized. The central portion of the ship is completely inclosed by armor, extending from four feet below the load water line to the level of the upper deck, or a height of twenty-three feet. The principle on which the ship was designed is to obtain greater rigidity and strength over other battle ships with use of less material.

She carries a pair of propelling engines with an estimated collective horse power of 10,000 indicated and a corresponding legend speed of sixteen knots. The area of the mid-ship section is 1,613 square feet and of the load water plate 19,900 feet. The propelling machinery weighs 1,128 tons, and the armor and bolts in her 2,719 tons.

What will the Illinois be able to do when in action?

Naval authorities say that she can stand fourteen miles out from any coast city in the world and hurl destructive shells into the center of it. In a fair, open sea fight, with her steering apparatus uninjured and American gunners on board her, she is considered to be more than a match for any battle ship afloat to-day. If pitted against an armored cruiser of the type of the New York, one of her broadsides, it is said, would entirely destroy all of the upper works of that magnificent vessel and render her gun shelters untenable by any human being. Matched against vessels of the type of the Oquendo or the Vizcaya at a range of 2,000 yards, she would hurl against either one of them 1,150 pounds more of chilled steel projectiles than their combined broadsides could discharge against her. If fighting alone all the vessels of Admiral Cervera's fleet, as it was when afloat at Santiago, the Illinois would discharge in a double broadside more steel projectiles, in weight, than fired by the combined Spanish fleet. If in contest with such vessels as Dewey fought at Manila, the secondary battery of the Illinois would discharge more missiles in weight in one broadside than the entire fleet of Montejo would fire.

The total muzzle energy of all her guns is greater than the total muzzle energy of Dewey's and Montejo's squadrons combined. Another way of putting it is that if a quantity of dynamite 600 feet in length, two feet in breadth and two feet in height were discharged in the heart of Chicago it would represent the muzzle energy of all the guns of the Illinois when in action.

Greater battle ships will undoubtedly be constructed as naval skill progresses in the future, but for years to come the Illinois will be a type of battle ship to be respected and feared by all foreign nations and to be honored by the people whom she defends.

In one respect the Illinois will materially differ from that "terror of the seas," the Oregon. The battle lines of the Oregon are vicious, mean and ugly. She stands for the word "fight" in every outline that she presents to the eye. The outlines of the Illinois are far more graceful, and while in many ways she is a more terrible vessel than the Oregon she does not show it. Her appearance is fierce, but softened by lines that will give her a beautiful appearance when afloat and not stripped for action.

FOOTBALL PADS.

What the Players Have To Wear To Protect Themselves.

To the spectator who watches the hard-fought battles on the football field nowadays, it appears as though the players are so well protected from injuries that there are not nearly so many risks to be run as there were twelve years ago. In the old days the members of the big 'varsity teams wore very little so-called armor. A man who wore canvas trousers and jacket, with a jersey underneath, and always put a rubber protector over his mouth before diving into a pile of struggling combatants was considered proof against bruises or broken bones. But with the growth of the game came changes, until at present a football player without all the modern devices to protect him from harm is regarded as foolhardy.

Who would have worn boots of a double thickness and padded with thin felt twelve years ago? And yet many of the best players to-day wear them to protect the small bones in their feet and to avoid sprained ankles. If the old-timers had been asked to wear shin guards they would undoubtedly have spurned them, but nobody is without them now. From the light canvas or cloth trousers of former years we have heavily padded moleskins, with bulging knees a foot thick, solid paniers over the hips and leather protectors for the stomach and kidneys. Canvas jackets are not very popular now, but heavily padded jerseys are considered the right idea instead. Chadwick, of last year's Yale team, had perhaps the most novel looking jersey. Around the wrists were leather bands, and on each elbow was a leather pad the size of a loaf of bread. On each shoulder was a leather protector which was half the size of an ordinary saddle and must have weighed three or four pounds. The inside of the jersey was lined with some strong texture.

Modern football players believe in protecting their heads. Twelve years ago there were very few "long-haired" experts, but the craze for letting one's locks grow has become universal, so that a football man with short hair is looked down upon. The rubber nose mask, which covers the mouth as well, and the leather helmet are devices that seem almost indispensable. The helmet that is in use now not only covers the top of the head with a cap of hard leather, but protects the ears with two big muffs made of thick felt, through which are small holes, so that the wearer can hear the instructions of his captain. It is estimated that with all of his football togs on a player can tip the scales at thirty pounds above his actual weight. Somebody has suggested steel masks and coats of mail, but unfortunately the rules prohibit any such warlike accessories.

It is rather expensive to own a complete outfit, the big 'varsity teams having to pay about $40 per man for the various articles needed in a gridiron battle. But as college elevens have plenty of money at their command, nothing is thought of such an outlay.

To Cure Low Spirits.

Take one ounce of the seeds of resolution, properly mixed with the oil of good conscience; infuse into it a large spoonful of the balsam of patience. Distil carefully a composing plant called other's woes, which you will find in every part of the garden of life. Gather a handful of the blossoms of hope, sweeten them properly with a syrup made of the balm of Providence; and, if you can get any seeds of true friendship, you will then have the most valuable medicine that can be administered. But you must be careful to get the seeds of true friendship, as there is a weed that much resembles it called self-interest, which will spoil the whole composition. These ingredients, well mixed and faithfully taken, soon complete the cure.

Kicking Lore.

Kicking in football may be divided into three branches or departments—that of punting, drop-kicking, and place-kicking. Of the three the third is by far the easiest to acquire. To one who has mastered in a way the first two, punting offers more opportunities for a display of science than drop-kicking, and is harder to master. The novice, on the other hand, would class drop-kicking as far the more difficult of the two.

But, easy as place-kicking is, the fact remains that there are more players who can punt better than they can kick goals than the reverse, by a large majority.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, is detained at home by illness.

Carl L. Walz, of LaGrande avenue, is quite ill at his home with typhoid fever

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, has returned from a business trip to Easton.

The Misses Watson, of New York, are the guests of the Misses VanBoskerck, of West Seventh street.

C. M. Rogers, of Central avenue, who has been in the employ of F. J. Hubbard, has accepted a position at Mt. Jewett, Pa.

Dr. Samuel Woodhouse, Jr., of Philadelphia, has been the guest of Mr and Mrs. George Wharton Edwards, of Franklin place.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Demarest, of Craig place, went to Orange yesterday to attend the golden wedding anniversaay of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess, of Rosemont, Hunterdon county, are visiting Mr. Burgess' nephew, Samuel Allen, of the Public Library.

Ralph K. Miner, of East Sixth street, is on a business trip to St. Paul, Minn., for the American Engine Company.

Samuel H. Edwards, of LaGrande avenue, is expected home this week from a hunting trip in the Adirondacks.

Mrs. L. D. Loomis, of Manlius, N. Y., and Miss Harriet Loomis, of New York city, have returned home after a visit at the home of Joseph E. Morse, of Franklin place.

TENDER THOUGHTS, ETC.

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to us.

"Six years ago next month we gathered in an adjoining home at the bier of one whose life was dear. Death so unexpectedly and sudden has now come to this home. To husband, sister, kindred and friend these words 'I will not leave you,' come with special significance. Has not our Lord robbed the grave of its terror, and He comes to us with gracious help; He comes to comfort us.

"This life just gone out filled with generosity, love and sympaty, and the much that she has done shall be a memorial to her. The donations to the Children's Home and kindred societies, the relief to the poor and her efforts to spread the Gospel, shall all be remembered. 'Blessed are those who die in the Lord;' they shall rest from their labors, and their works shall follow them."

In conclusion Dr. Schenck offered a fervert and impressive prayer, in which he frequently mentioned the prescious life of the departed. An opportunity was then given all present to view the remains that rested in a handsome casket in the rear parlor. Surrounding it there was a beautiful display of floral tributes consisting of a large cross, pillow and wreaths, all from the immediate members of the bereaved family.

The interment was in the family plot at Hillside, this morning, only the immediate family being present. Before leaving the house prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Richards.

The bearers of honor, selected by the family, three from the Crescent Avenue church and three from Trinity Reformed church, were as follows: Hon. Charles Place, Henry C. Squires, Joseph W. Sandford, G. L VanEmburgh, Robert Clark, Jr., and A. L. Force.

At the grave a short burial service was recited by Dr. Schenck, followed with the benediction by Dr. Richards. The remains were then lowered into mother earth, through a grave heavily-lined with evergreen branches, thus taking away much of the dread of the interment.

—The parsonage of the Congregational church at the corner of West Seventh street and Madison avenue is being repainted. The house will be a grey, with white trimmings and dark green blinds.

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SPORTING.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

Carey, the new candidate for the Plainfield team, showed up Tuesday evening and did some excellent work. He made a favorable impression with all, and is considered a strong man for a back or end. With plenty of good local candidates in the field, however, it may be hard to find him a place.

The members of the Plainfield team will meet at the Westervelt avenue grounds this evening to practice for the election day game. The team will also meet for practice tomorrow evening, Saturday afternoon and Monday night. Most of the time this evening will be devoted to the line-up, passing and running with a chance for the ends to break up interference. Saturday afternoon, some of the candates will do some active work at Martine field. Monday evening will be devoted to a final drill of the team in the new signals.

GOLF.

The members of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club have decided to abolish the monthly handicap for the balance of the season, also the girl's handicap for next Saturday. The events for the remainder of the season are as follows: November 1, Chapman cup, preliminary round; November 8th, Chapman cup, first round, 10 a. m., semi-finals, 3 p. m.; November 12th, Chapman cup, finals 3 p. m.; November 24th, Mixed foursomes, 10 a. m., Gilbert cup; November 26th, Fisk cup, 10 a. m., men's foursomes, 2:30 p. m.

BASKET BALL.

The basket ball team of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. will go to Newark Friday evening to meet the team from the Newark Institute at the gymnasium of the latter. Walter L. Long, who was injured in the first game of the season played at New York, will probably not be able to go as one of the team.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

Laurens VanBuren rolled a score of 224 Tuesday night on the Park Club alleys, the highest score thus far this month. Wm. Boome was high man for October, with a score of 237, and Clarence L. Murphy was second, 225.

SPAIN REFUSES TO YIELD.

Commissioners Instructed to Resist Our Demands.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Madrid, November 3.—The Government has telegraphed to Senor Montero Rios, President of the Spanish Peace Commission at Paris, instructing the Commission to maintain the rights of Spain against the pretension of the Americans of their right to keep the Phillippines. This claim the Government regards as a breach of the terms of the protocol, wherein the Americans agreed merely to occupy Manila until the treaty of peace was concluded.

Free Public Library.

Following is a list of books added to the Free Public Library during October, 1898:

Amer. Economic Association — Economic studies.
Olmstead, D. H.—Protestant faith.
Salem, Mass., Public Library—List of books.
Smith, W. and Wace, H. eds.—Dictionary of Christian biography, v. 4.
Trollope, A.—Family parsonage.

BABCOCK SCIENTIFIC LIBRARY.

Abercromby, R.—Instructions for observing clouds.
Ainsworth, W. F.—Euphrates expedition.
Barker, D. W.—Clouds and weather.
Bonney, T. G.—Charles Lyell.
" " —Story of our planet.
Browne, A. J. J.—Building of the British Isles.
Browne, A. J. J.—Geology.
" " —Historical geology.
" " —Physical geology.
Brusbe, G. J.—Determinative mineralogy.
Buckland, A. W.—Anthropological studies.
Buffum, A.—Tears of Heleades, Amber.
Cole, G. A. J.—Open air studies.
Dana, E. S.—Text book of mineralogy.
Geikie, Sir A—Outlines of field geology.
Gosse, P. H.—Life.
Judd, J. W. ed—Student's Lyell.
King, C. W.—Engraved gems.
LeBlanc, M.—Electro-chemistry.
Lewis, H. C.—The diamond.
Lewis, H. C.—Glacial geology of Great Britain and Ireland.
Middleton, J. H.—Engraved gems.
Miller, S. A.—North American geology and paleontology.
Ontario. Royal commission—Mineral resources, etc.
Packard, A. S. Jr.—Insects injurious to forest and shade trees.
Phillips, J.. Vesuvius.
Powell, J. W., Canyons of the Colorado.
Pratt, A. E., Snows of Tibet.
Prestwick, Sir J., Controverted questions of geology.
Prestwick, Sir J., Phenomena belonging to close of last geological period.
Russell, R., On hail.
Schoolcraft, H. R., Sources of the Mississippi.
Smith, E. F., Electro chemical analysis.
Sprague, I.. Beautiful wild flowers of North America.
Streeter, E. W., Precious stones and gems.
Thomson, Sir C. W., Voyage of the Challenger, 2 v.
Tyndall, J., Glaciers of the Alps.

HOW CHINESE BUTLERS BORROW.

A Guest at a Dinner Party May Recognise His Own Property on the Table.

Chinese butlers have a way, when their own supplies fall short, of borrowing from the neighbors. At least this was a very common custom twenty-five years ago, and goods changed hands over the garden wall with astonishing celerity, the butlers, meantime, keeping a strict account. An American lady residing in China writes thus in the Atlantic:

At the first large dinner party to which I was invited—I went as a bride—I found myself eating with my own brand new knives, forks and spoons. I stared at them very hard; there could be no mistake, for I could see the fresh monograms.

I was dreadfully distressed, but did not dare to say anything. When I reached home I told my husband, rather trembingly, for I was quite sure that they had been stolen. To my amazement he only laughed and said:

"Oh, you will get used to that soon, and when you have too many guests you will find that, instead of asking you to get more supplies, the butler will just borrow your neighbor's and always make up the deficiency."

And so it proved. I can well remember once, when my husband had asked eight guests in to dinner only half an hour before the usual time (one for each of the delicious first spring snipe he had shot), that there appeared later a splendid roast leg of mutton as one of our courses.

Now I knew we had no mutton for earlier in the day the cook had been bewailing the non-arrival of the Shanghai steamer, by which it always came. Turning to the gentleman on my left I asked, "Did your steamer come from Shanghai to-day?"

"Yes; why?"

I looked down to the other end of the table, where my husband was carving the unexpected treasure trove with very evident enjoyment.

"Well, ours did not," said I, "and yet—"

He caught sight of the mutton. "Oh!" he laughed. "I suppose that is mine. No doubt yours will come tomorrow and probably be much better; so I shall be the gainer this time, and enjoy it all the more."

Queen Victoria's Havana Cigars.

Queen Victoria has a great dislike of smoking and will not tolerate the use of tobacco in her immediate neighborhood. And yet the cigar bill for her guests is a very heavy one.

The principal item is the brand of the finest Havana cigars, which are specially made for her and sent to Windsor in glass tubes hermetically sealed. Queen Victoria's cigars could not be had even in Cuba at wholesale prices under a dollar apiece.

The men who make them receive thirty cents for each cigar, and none but the oldest and most skillful workmen are entrusted with their manufacture. At this rate they can earn quite a small fortune, for three hundred cigars a day can be turned out by the most expert.

How Pigeons Are Protected.

Carrier pigeons in China are protected from birds of prey by a little apparatus consisting of thin bamboo tubes fastened to the birds' bodies with thread passed beneath the wings. As the pigeon flies along the action of the air through the tubes produces a shrill whistling sound, which keeps birds of prey at a respectful distance.

If it were not for the salts in the ocean, the whole sea would soon become a mass of corruption, owing to the decay of the organic matter it contains.

WIT AND HUMOR.

"My son," said the London business man, "I must again caution you to live within your means."

"Has anybody been sending you my bills?"

"Not yet. But you have been seen saying 'howdydo' to two Dukes and an Earl."—Washington Star.

"Why, sir," said the geologist, "the ground you walk on was once under water."

"Well," replied the friend, who is nothing if not patriotic, "it simply goes to show you can't hold America down."—Washington Star.

"I am always grateful to my parents for the musical education they gave me," said Willie Wishington.

"But you never sing."

"No. Thanks to my thoughtful parents, I know enough about music not to try."—Washington Star.

"Ethel coaxed Harry to quit sending her flowers and candy and save money for a tandem."

"Well?"

"Just when he had enough saved he got engaged to another girl."—Chicago Record.

Jones (leaving for Europe)—When I'm in Rome I'll do as the Romans do.

Smith—Indeed you won't. You'll do as the Americans do—pay twice as much for everything as anyone else would.—Puck.

"We are in danger," said one Spanish statesman, "of sinking into oblivion; of being almost forgotten by the rest of the world."

"Never!" replied the other, proudly. "We still have our debts."—Washington Star.

Freddie—Mamma, don't you wish it would rain diamonds?

Mrs. Rich—No, dear. If it should, people with money couldn't afford to wear them.—Jeweler's Weekly.

THIMBLES FOR PLAYING THE PIANO.

And Also For Typists. Said to Save the Nerves of the Worker.

Thimbles for pianists and typists—that is something new for you. Either of these young ladies finds that incessant use of the fingers pounding on the ivories all day long, or for six, seven or eight hours in rapid and constant manner, is very nervous work. The tips of the fingers are nerve centers. In fact, the most sensitive part of the entire body is the end of the finger. If this nerve center comes in harsh contact with the solid ivory keys thousands of times during the day—in fact one might say millions of times—think what a strain on the nervous system.

It is no wonder that these ivory manipulators of either sort give out and become nervous wrecks in the course of time. Some physicians have even gone so far as to say that a typewriter cannot retain her vigor of nerve for longer than five years, and it is well known that a pianist often has nervous prostration.

These new thimbles are made of rubber and intended to lessen the shock fo the nerve centers. They are made to fit the ends of the fingers as the glove fingers fit. They are made in sets according to the size of the glove worn, and can be ordered in that way. Of course the typewriter does not need full sets, but the fingers which are used the most will be greatly relieved by their use.

A pneumatic ring cushion forms the end of the thimble. In making a number of carbon copies the amount of strength required is lessened by their use. It is said that the speed is also increased at least ten per cent. It is certain that they save the ends of the fingers from becoming callous or cracked, and save the nails from breaking and splitting.—New York Herald.

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Corporation Notice.

Commissioners of Assessments report for sewerage construction on consideration before the Common Council, Plainfield, N. J.

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Common Council of the City, of Plainfield, N.J., held on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of October, there were presented and laid before the Common Council (the same having first been filed in the office of the City Clerk September sixth, 1898.) the report and assessments of the Commissioners of Assessments of said City heretofore appointed under the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Assessments under Chapter CXLI P. L., 1895," approved April 25th, 1896, containing the assessments of damages and benefits or expenses, as the case may be, for the making and constructing of sewers and appurtenances (including house connections) under and by virtue of the Act of the Legislature, entitled, "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in Cities of this State", approved April 7th, 1880, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and ordinances and other proceedings of the Common Council had under said Acts of the Legislature, said report and A assessments covering the whole of said system of sewerage and appurtenances already completed, (not covered by assessments heretofore made) and particularly in and through the following described streets and parts of streets, to wit:

Stelle avenue, from Plainfield avenue easterly 1148 feet to a point near Central avenue.

Plainfield avenue, from West Eighth street to Stelle avenue.

Berkeley avenue, from Ravine Road southwesterly 379.7 feet to a point near Belvidere avenue.

Somerset street, from Front street northwesterly 265 feet to a point near Green brook.

Orange place, from Elm place northeasterly 291.5 feet to a point near Westervelt avenue.

Hillside avenue, from Putnam avenue southerly 379.6 feet to a point near Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue, from East Front street northwesterly 168.6 feet to a point near Greenbrook, including house connections and including appurtenances of said sewerage system in connection therewith; the said streets and parts of streets in which the same were so made and constructed and the location and dimensions of the several lots, tracts and parcels of land and real estate so assessed being delineated on a certain set of maps numbered "1 a" and "2 a", and each map marked "Sewerage Construction Assessment Map dated August 8th, 1898" and attested by the signatures of the said Commissioners and filed in the office of the Collector of Taxes September 6th, 1898.

And it was ordered that said Common Council will proceed to consider, review, alter, ratify and confirm said report and assessments at a meeting to be held in the Common Council Chamber, 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, N. J., on the twenty-first day of November, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which meeting all persons interested in or affected by said assessments, on account of which said assessments were made, will be given ample opportunity to be heard upon the subject of said assessments.

The Character of the work and improvement for which said assessments have been made is shown by the foregoing, and in general is the construction of said sewers and appurtences (including house connections), and said system of sewerage and appurtenances; and the streets and avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assessments are those hereinabove particularly set forth.

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cloth double breasted suits at $8 40, worth $16. Men's blue kersey overcoats $6 90, worth $15. Young men's dress suits $5 75, worth $14. Men's melton cassimere pants 90c., worth $2. Men's imported clay diagonal dress suits, silk lined, worth $21, at $8 50 And thousands of other extraordinary bargains not mentioned here to be sold in the next 8 days at less than 50 per cent of the cost of making.

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CONGRESSMAN FOWLER TALKED ABOUT SILVER QUESTION.

Candidate Cross Brought Up Crane's Record and Attacked—Fowler Stirred the Audience to Some Interest—Voorhees Greeted With Much Cheering—An Impromptu Reception Was Held.

Music Hall was filled last night with Republicans and others interested in seeing what arguments they had to present for the consideration of voters. The meeting was not wildly enthusiastic as some expected it would be, but nevertheless it accorded the speakers, and especially Mr. Voorhees, a cordial welcome.

W. R. Codington called the meeting to order, after the political leaders and candandates had taken their seats on the platform. He named Craig A. Marsh as chairman, and the latter took charge. Joseph A. Coward at this time read the list of vice-presidents and secretaries, which are as follows:

William Rockwell, J. F. Buckle, J. H. Tier, Sr., J. Fred MacDonald, J. B. Probasco, L. V. F. Randolph, J. K. Large, William Douglass, J. H. McVey, A. W. Anderson, J. C. Pope, William H. Sampson, S. A. Ginna, Robert Gutridge, C. B. Corwin, Marion S. Ackerman, J. B. Dumont, A. D. Cook, C. S. Foote, Lewis Croom Alex. Gilbert, O. T. Waring, Ernest R. Ackerman, F. H. Andrews, F. W. Runyon, J. W. Murray, Sr., E. T. Barrows, Mason W. Tyler, C. A. Marsh, J. F. Hubbard, Spencer Conway, William Mayhew, L. W. Serrell, W. W. Corlell, R. A. Meeker, George W. DeMeza, W. A. Westphal, F. C. Lounsbury, William Connett, William A. Kline, Elias H. Bird; secretaries, W. N. Runyon, J. C. Kirkner. William Newcorn.

Chairman Marsh made a few remarks in support of the principles of the Republican party, after which he introduced the first speaker, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth, the nominee for State Senator. Mr. Cross was well received and in opening his address he spoke briefly about the silver question. He believed that the silver question is still very much alive for the fact that all but five States have voted for it, and he urged that New Jersey stand by the principles as declared by the Republican party. Mr. Cross then went on to speak of Foster M. Voorhees the nominee for Governor. He said that Mr. Voorhees had been before the people of Union county for twenty years; that he has done for the State a great work; that his investigating committee have succeeded in disclosing the wrong-doings of the Democrats. In comparison, he mentioned the name of Mr. Crane, the Democratic nominee for Governer. About him he said that he is prosecutor of Essex county, and that as prosecutor he failed to present several indictments, but the Grand Jury gave instructions that he either present them or that he himself be presented to the Grand Jury. The indictments were then speedily presented.

The next speaker was Congressman Fowler, and when he arose to speak, he was received with loud applause. A portion of Mr. Fowler's address is as follows:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I take peculiar pleasure in coming here, for this is a Republican city in a Republican district. I suggest three cheers for our country, everybody rise and salute.

"I am a great believer in our country, and especially in New Jersey. During the past few years, when a question of honor or dishonor has arisen, you have always decided right. You did it when the race-track question was before us. You did it in 1894, when you voted 48,000 for America against the world. In the last Presidential election you gave a plurality of 87,000 for solid money and sent Garret A. Hobart and Wm. McKinley to Washington.

"Each man is a king, each woman a queen, and in that fact you have a priviledge, also a duty. The time has passed when a man says he votes a ticket because his father voted it.

"I am one of those who believe that there cannot be two systems of morals. Have the Democrats done the right thing? They met at Trenton and nominated one Crane. Will he be Governor, if elected? No, and James Smith, Jr., knows it. What reform do the Democrats hope to carry out? Isn't it simply a James Smith, Jr., issue. Between Hudson and Camden counties and James Smith, Jr., you have the three graces. They set about to denounce the best war Governor in any State. These people set about to do what no man has ever been capable of doing.

"There is only a national question involved in this election. It is your priviledge to know the character of those before you asking for your suffrage. I wonder if the Democrats know what Jeffersonism is that they are crying about. Ever since the days of Jefferson we have had a gold standard, and we are for that standard.

"Our free silver friends tell us we will have more money on a free coinage of silver basis. As a matter of fact it would make less money. In Mexico you can obtain $10 in silver for $5 in gold. Our Democratic friends have been making something out of nothing.

"Two years ago Mr. Bryan recognized the fact that a change in standards would cause a commotion, but he said we would feel better afterward. Now our friends tell us that there is not enough gold in the world. There is sixty millions of gold used every year, and there is practically a gold mine in everyone's mouth. Every effort is being put forth to make everything cheaper, but labor; honest labor, which ought to rise steadily upward.

"The flag of our Nation now floats over Porto Rico, never to come down. It shall float over such parts of the Phillipines as shall be ours to take for our best interests. No one is an Imperialist for Imperialism's sake only. I want to urge upon my Republican friends not to allow themselves to be deceived. You remember four years of long night when our industries stood still, while the Democrats held the reins. There was one bright star when Grover Cleveland announced that every dollar in the treasury should be spent before the American dollar should be dishonored.

"I urge that you Republicans and Democrats be true to your sacred trusts, your country and your God, and I have every confidence that you will vote to support the administration of William McKinley."

Mr. Fowler then left amid tumultous applause, and while the audience was waiting for Mr. Voorhees, the time was spent in listening to an address by Judge Francis Scott, of Paterson. Mr. Scott spoke in support of the entire Republican ticket and for the principles of the party, and it was very interesting throughout. Just before Mr. Scott concluded his remarks, Mr. Voorhees entered the hall, and the crowd quickly gave evidence of the fact. Cheer after cheer was given, and the band played. When order was resumed the chairman introduced Mr. Voorhees as a man that always performed his duty whether anyone liked it or not. Mr. Voorhees then talked in part as follows:

"Mr. Chairman, I am very glad to be with you tonight and speak a few words in behalf of the Republican party and its principles. At the last convention of the Democratic party at Trenton a platform was adopted declaring for "home rule" and "equal taxation," and many other things, all of which reflect on the intelligence of the people of New Jersey. In 1893 the people of this State became tired of such home rule and voted for a change. Home rule, I may say, was established by the Republican party, and cannot be made an issue of this campaign. Regarding equal taxation the Republican party brought that about, and have adopted measures whereby a man's neighbor is taxed in equal proportion. The Democrats say that they want expensive commissions abolished. There is not today in this State one commission receiving a salary except in the case of clerk hire and for stenographers services. Don't the Democrats know the facts? They say let us go back to the old days when the Democrats were in power. I say Heaven save us from that.

"'Bob' Davis, of Hudson county; and the 'Duke of Gloucester,' delivered the votes of the delegates of the respective counties. Mr. Crane spent one year in the Assembly and simply followed the routine order of business. I have nothing to say against him, for I think my cause sufficiently just without it. He claims he voted for the labor bill, but every Republican did the same thing.

"The Democrats claim that the Republicans have been extravagant. This statement I refute. The people of New Jersey want their money spent honestly, and this the Republicans have done. We have Democratic evidence that the expenses of the State cannot be reduced. We are not coming so near bankruptcy as some would believe. During the past year the State was run on an amount of about $160,000 less than that required by the Democrats in one year. Have

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LAND OF WILLIAM TELL

GARRET P. SERVISS DESCRIBES THE GREAT SWISS PATRIOT.

A Very Interesting Lectur, Finely Illustrated With Pictures of the Alps and Other Scenes in Switzerland.

Those who attended the illustrated lecture at the Casino last night spent a pleasant hour with Garret P. Serviss, of Brooklyn, and visited in imagination the land of the Alps and the birthplace of William Tell. The views thrown on the screens were among the best ever shown and depicted this land of the skies in all its entrancing beauty.

The lecture was the first of a series of three to be given at the Casino by Mr. Serviss during this month. Many of the views shown were taken by Mr. Serviss himself during tours through Switzerland. The snow-clad peak, Mt. Blanc, and the Matterhorn, fertile valleys perched near the top of high mountain ranges, the clear blue lakes of Luzerne and Geneva, little villages nestling close to the mountain's base, glaciers and even types of the natives were all shown as naturally as though the beholder stood upon some vantage ground and swept in the scene from nature itself.

"There is no spot in the world," said the lecturer, "like the country of the Alps, the land of William Tell. I believe in him as fully as I believe in the existence of the Rhine, and although scholars have tried to make us believe that Tell is a myth, and had no substantial part in the freeing of Switzerland, he represents too truly the aspirations of a people for freedom and its achievement to imagine him a creature of fable and story. We may as well set aside our Washington as the Swiss William Tell."

Tell was born about 600 years ago, when the power of Austria hung like a pall over the land, and the tyranical governors did their best to stir up the Swiss to revolt. Tell's stern upright character, his love of liberty and his refusal to acknowledge the Austrians' power were described.

SNEAK THIEVES AGAIN.

SECOND TIME THEY HAVE BROKEN INTO THE SAME HOUSE.

Hous; of B. R. Waldror, of Codington Avenue, Looted of a Quantity of Canned Fruit—Broke a Window

For the second time within a week thieves entered the home of B. R. Waldron, on Codington avenue. The second robbery occurred yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock while the family was out. On the first occasion the thieves entered through an unlocked cellar door, but yesterday they broke a window and effected an entrance. The affair happened while all of the neignbors were at home, but still no trace of the thieves can be found.

They carried away with them a large quantity of canned fruit which the family had stored away in the cellar. It looks very much as though the parties are well acquainted in the neighborhood and especially at Mr. Waldron's home. When the first robbery occurred fruit was taken in addition to $8 in money. Mr. Waldron has an idea that he knows who the guilty parties are, and an effort will be made to catch them before long.

MERRY BOWLERS.

Netherwood Club Spent Hallow E'en in a Jolly Manner.

The Netherwood Bowling Club gave a Hallow E'en costume party at the Hunterston Hotel Tuesday evening. There were about thirty present and the costumes were very laughable and original. After bowling in the alleys part of the evening the club repaired to the hotel, which was thrown open to their disposal, where refreshments were served and a good time in general enjoyed. During the evening Ralph Davison took a flashlight picture of the party. Among those present were: Mrs. J. D. Wheeler, F. I. Smith, L. E. Eaton, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. C. Bellows, the Misses N. A. Wheeler, M. N. Wheeler, Alvord, Hand, Thorn, Andrews, Smith, Bostwick, and Messrs. Johnson, Wheeler, Mason, Hunter, Fancher, Henry, Morgan, Maidment, Bellows, Mosher, Eaton and Davison.

Corner Stone to be Laid.

Next Sunday the corner stone of the new Calvary Baptist church on Central avenue will be laid with imposing ceremonies. There will be visitors presents from all parts of the State and the music will be a feature of the occasion.

Trains Late Owing to Fog.

A large number of the early morning trains on the Central Railroad were late this morning on account of the heavy fog, and the ferry boats were also much delayed for the same reason.

A NEW SWEDISH CHURCH

ORGANIZED LAST NIGHT WITH REV. O. G. TINGLOF AS PASTOR.

Met in The Congregational Church—Address by Rev. C. L. Goodrich—A Charter Membership of Thirty Was Secured.

Since last July there has been a good work going on among the Swedish people of this city who have from time to time been holding religious meetings. Those who took the iniative in this movement have felt that there is room in Plainfield for a Swedish church, and their hopes are now soon to be realized. Last evening the Swedish Mission Society met in the Congregational church for the purpose of organizing themselves. The members extended a call to Rev. O. G. Tinglof, of Manchers, N. H., and the call was accepted. He was present last evening and was most cordially received by his people.

The exercises last evening were in charge of Rev. O. G. Norseen, of Perth Amboy, who has from time to time assisted the Plainfield Swedish people in their meetings. During the evening a short address was made by Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, in which he spoke words of encouragement to the new church and bid the members God speed. An additional feature of the programme was a vocal duet by Miss Swedeberg and Miss Ericksen.

The new church starts off with a membership of about thirty, and new members are constantly being received. Mr. Nord is the present chairman and treasurer of the society. The meetings will be held every Thursday evening in the Congregational church and Sunday evenings in the W. C. T. U. rooms. At present Pastor Tinglof is stopping on Spooner avenue, but he will soon bring his family here.

KNIFE USED IN A FIGHT.

TWO ITALIANS ENGAGED IN A DISPUTE ABOUT A BILL.

A Lively Argument on Somerset Street—Injured Man Made Complaint of Assault and Battery Before Judge Mattison.

John Lawrence, an Italian, appeared before Justice Mattison, of the borough, this morning and made a complaint against another Italian named "Tony" Marx, both of whom are employed by Patsy Christmas in repairing the trolley tracks. According to the story told by Lawrence, he owed Marx about $13 for board. The two men live at Scotch Plains, and a few days ago, he says, he gave $3 to Marx toward what he owed him.

This morning on Somerset street, near Greenbrook road, where the men are working on the trolley tracks, Lawrence and Marx engaged in a dispute. The latter wanted the money coming to him, and Lawrence said he would pay the sum as soon as he received it. This did not suit Marx and the two men were soon mixed up in a scuffle. Lawrence got the worst of it, for he had a bad cut in his forehead from which considerable blood was lost. He then appeared before Justice Mattison and made a complaint, charging assault and battery. A warrant was issued and is in the hands of a constable. It is likely that Marx will be found easily and arraigned before the Justice today to answer to the charge.

RESCUED IN NICK OF TIME.

Man Pulled From Under Moving Car in Time to Save His Life.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 4—A narrow escape from instant death was witnessed last night at the station here, and had it not been for the prompt action of Harry Dodwell, the assistant baggagemaster, and Fred Wilcox, a Press carrier, a passenger who had alighted from the 5:32 train from New York must have been instantly killed.

When the train pulled in last night there were two passengers, a man and his wife, who wanted to get off at Dunellen. The brakemen were up at the forward end of the train, so there was no one to tell the couple they had arrived at their destination.

The man got off the train and peered around in the gloom, but could not find out that they had reached Dunellen until just as the train was pulling out. Then he called to his wife who still stood in the car and she jumped into his arms.

The shock knocked the man over and he rolled under the wheels of the moving train. The woman was safe. Dodwell and Wilcox saw the man's danger, and running to him drew him out from under the car just as the wheels grazed his head. The couple refused to give their names, but said they were going to visit relatives in New Market.

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PENNY FOR EVERY YEAR

BIRTHDAY SOCIABLE HELD IN VINCENT CHAPEL.

Each Month Was Represented by an Appropriate Recitation and Children Were Dressed in Novel Costumes.

A birthday sociable was given in Vincent chapel last evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church.

The programme opened with a vocal duet by the Misses Ethel and Mabel Jamison, accompanied by Miss Jessie Utter. The guests rose when their birth month was called and deposited little sacks containing the same number of pennies as they were years old. Earl Lynn, as a drummer boy, was February. Miss Edna Kennedy was all prepared for the showers of April. Fred Lynn represented July attired as a farmer. Miss Margarent Demarest, as August, appeared like a little summer fairy.

After a vocal solo by Miss Ethel Jamison, Miss Clyde Doane recited a November selection. Miss Lillian Snodgrass stood for November and Raymond Lyman for December. After another duet by the Misses Jamison, Miss Helen Whitney represented October in an appropriate manner. Miss Peck appeared for September and Miss Gertie Guier for June. May was not represented.

A piano duet by Miss Jessie Utter and Miss Biglow was followed by a pantomine for January. The story was read by Miss Susie Davies while Miss Bertha Jenkins took the part of the country belle and Clifford A. McGee as her awkward rustic swain. Miss Persis Snodgrass impersonated the vigilant mother of the fair maid.

The receipts of the little bags amounted to about $41.

The committee in charge of the entertainment consisted of Mrs. Charles H. Lyman, chairman, Mrs. J. R. Joy, Miss Bertha Whitney and Miss Susie Davies. The refreshment committee consisted of Mrs. C. H. Rugg, chairman, Miss Jackson and Miss Sharp.

IN THE WRONG COURT.

COMPTON VAIL RELEASED BY CITY JUDGE DEMEZA.

Larceny is Out of the Jurisdiction of the Local Police Court—Vail Was Rearrested on Warrant of Justice Newcorn.

Last Thursday, Compton Vail, of South Plainfield, was arrested on the charge of being disorderly and stealing milk bottles. The theft was charged by Patrolman Totten. Yesterday afternoon Vail was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza and the complaint dismissed. The City Judge said that it was out of the jurisdiction of the local police court and should come up before a Justice of the Peace. He released Vail who was immediately re-arrested on a warrant issued by Justice Newcorn, charged with petty larceny.

Vail was brought before Justice Newcorn and pleaded not guilty. His hearing was set down for next Thursday afternoon. He was represented at both courts by his counsel, William G. DeMeza.

MORE BICYCLES STOLEN.

Two Wheels Fall Into the Hands of Thieves.

The bicycle thief is operating again, and Tuesday night stole a Tacomo wheel belonging to Reginald Chandor, of East Fifth street, from in front of a house on LaGrande avenue, where the young man had stopped to call. The wheel disappeared about 6 o'clock. Chandor went into the house leaving the bicycle leaning against the curb, and when he came out five minutes later the wheel was gone. The theft was reported to the police.

Yesterday morning an Outing wheel owned by Thomas E. Currin, of 92 Summit avenue, teller in the First National Bank, was stolen from the entrance way to the offices above in the bank building. Mr. Currin had just ridden up to the entrance and left his bicycle outside a moment for the janitor to put it down cellar. When the janitor was ready to do so, the wheel was gone.

A Colored W. C. T. U.

Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, of the W. C. T. U., and several other members of the Union addreesed a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Mt. Olive Baptist church. The object of the meeting was for the purpose of organizing a branch of the W. C. T. U. among the colored people, but as there were so few out no organization was effected. Another meeting will be held at an early date.

Grant Club Active.

Tomorrow evening there will be a meeting of the U. S. Grant Club, of the borough, and it is expected that several Republican speakers will be present, including the Somerset county Republican candidates.

AN ECHO OF HALLOW'EEN

SCOTCH PLAINS BOYS ACCUSED OF MALICIOUS MISCHIEF.

Arrested and Arraigned Before Judge Clark, But the Board of Education Had no Strong Evidence—Hearing Adjourned.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 4.—Warrants were sworn out yesterday afternoon in Judge Clark's court for the arrest of John Alberts, Willie Trayno, Squier Reick, Albert MacCauley, John Rikerson, Lynus Walpole and Robert Jahn charged with breaking and entering the school building on Hallow'een night. The culprits were all ordered to appear before Judge Clark at 7:30 o'clock last night in Excelsior Hall.

When court opened the hall was nearly filled. The charge was read to the alleged offenders, as sworn to by Dr. F. W. Westcott, president of the Board of Education. The boys all pleaded not guilty. The first witness called for the Board was Prof. John R Morey who testified as to the condicion of the rooms and the general disorder of the building.

Eddie Heath was one of the witnesses who the board expected to give evidence that would place the guilt upon the youthful defendant, but he claimed to know nothing about the case.

Several persons were sworn, and no incriminating evidence had been given, but the Board had what was thought to be their star witness in reserve. This was Vanderbilt Raymond, who had given the story to the teachers Tuesday morning, and also gave the names of the boys arrested as being the guilty ones. To the amusement of all present he denied the whole affair, but but said later that he knew Willie Trayno was in the crowd.

The boys were then given a chance to testify in their own behalf. John Alberts, William Trayno, Squier Reick, John Rikerson, Robert Jahn and Lynus Walpole all agreed that they had attended the two serenades in town that evening, after which they all went to Walpole's and from there to their own homes. Albert MacCauley swore he was at home and had not been out that evening. Judge Clark immediately discharged him.

As the evidence was all conflicting, the Judge concluded to adjourn the case for two weeks when, if the Board cannot show a stronger case, the boys will be discarged. To some the whole affair seemed to be a farce, but the action of the Board will no doubt call a halt to the malicious mischief which has been going on in the town for some time.

AN INCORRIBIBLE YOUUH.

Willie Frey Will Probably be Sent to Reform School.

Willie Frey, the twelve-year-old son of Charles Frey, of Somerset street, seems to be incorrigible. Several times he has run away from home, and refused to come back until sent for by the police, and now his last caper is the alleged theft of about a dollar from his mother. The last time Willie ran away, his mother tried had to have him committed to the Reform School, but Judge Vail refused to do so. Willie was held for the grand jury this morning by Justice Nash, on a charge of petty larceny, and it is pretty certain this time that he will be sent away.

The alleged theft was committed yesterday. While Mrs. Frey was out Willie took about a dollar in change from her purse, and spent it. Mrs. Frey missed the money at once, and going before Justice Nash, had the warrant made out for his arrest. Councilman Flynn caught the lad this morning and locked up in a cell. He stoutly denied the charge.

Game Warden Tooker Indicted.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Paterson, November 4.—Game Warden Tooker, who shot Secundo Canova in the mountains, has been indicted for murder. Tooker has not been arranged yet. This will have to be done before Justice Dixon, who will come to Paterson for that purpose. Tooker claimed that Canova had dead robins in his pocket, and that when he ordered him to surrender the Italian aimed his shot gun at him, where upon Tooker pulled his revolver and fired.

A Lecture on the War.

A lecture will be given in Hope chapel on the evening of November 15th, on the subject "The Spanish-American War." E. O. MacFarland, of Newark, will give the lecture, which will be illustrated with stereopticon views, and will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the chapel.

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Miss Emma Durand, of Bordentown is visiting Miss Weseman, of East Sixth street.

THEIR AIM IS TO AID POOR AND DESERVING.

Fifth Anniversary of the Organized Aid Association.

THE OFFICERS ELECTED.

COL. MASON W. TYLER WAS AGAIN CHOSEN PRESIDENT.

Facetious Remarks Made by the President About the Anniversary, Which He Likened Unto a Wooden Wedding Without a Bride—Eutertaining and Instructive Address Was Made.

One of the most successful societies ever organized in Plainfield, and one which has a very warm place in the hearts of benevolent Plainfielders, is the Organized Aid Association, which exercises a careful supervision over the city's charities. A deeply interested company gathered last night in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the Association, and review the year's work.

Col. Mason W. Tyler, president of the association, presided over the meeting. The opening prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, the pastor of the First Baptist church, after which the president delivered his annual address. Mr. Tyler spoke of this occasion as the society's wooden wedding, but added that it might be difficult to discover the whereabouts of the bride. He spoke with gratitude of the work done during the past year, and was glad to report the finances of the association in good condition. He said that too much must not be expected of the society, as it was still young, and the field of work of scientific almsgiving was itself a new one. He described somewhat the work of the different committees, and referred to the large amount of work done which made no show and no stir in the world, but which accomplished an untold amount of good.

A vocal solo by William H. Holmes, accompanied by Howard Case, was the next thing on the programme. Mr. Tyler then announced that Rev. Dr. Amory H. Bradford, of Montclair, who was to have been the speaker of the evening, was unable to be present, on account of illness, but that his sister, Miss Cornelia Bradford, of Whittier House, Jersey City, the first social settlement in New Jersey, had consented to take his place. Miss Bradford is one of the most enthusiastic settlement workers in this country. As a speaker, she is easy, interesting, and bright, and her clever talk was much enjoyed. She directed the thoughts of her hearers along sociological lines. She spoke of the necessity of realizing that all men, high or low, are brothers, and using every effort for the uplifting and advancement of one's fellows. The influence of environment on heredity, the shamefully low wages paid to women employed in the manufacture of ready-made clothing, etc., the sin of employing women and girls in places in an improper sanitary condition, and of employing children who ought to be at school and at play, were some of the subjects which she touched on briefly. She believes in prevention of crime rather than rescue from a life of crime, where it is possible; she would educate the children and young people, to prevent their becoming criminals. Incidentally, Miss Bradford spoke of the work at Whittier House, and urged the help and interest of Plainfielders in the work there.

After another solo by Mr. Holmes the election of officers was held, resulting as follows: President, Mason W. Tyler; vice-presidents, Alexander Gilbert, Mrs. H. B. Opdyke, David H. Rowland; secretary, John Doull Miller; treasurer, J. Kirtland Myers. The reports of the treasurer and committees were not read, but will be published in pamphlet form at an early date.

Politics Too Attractive.

The political mass meeting at Music Hall was too much of an attraction for the temperance people last night, and instead of attending the business meeting of the Reform Club, they went there. At the business meeting nothing but routine business was transacted. The election of officers takes place next week. Owing to the small attendance the debate on the "Devil in the Bandbox," was postponed for another week. Remarks at last night's meeting were made by Messrs. Sayres, Armstrong and Markley.

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—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., meets tonight. There will be three or four initiations.

Peter Vroom, of Somerville, spent yesterday in town.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE

Negotiations Not Likely to Break Off Immediately.

FRANCE WOULD MEDIATE

Spanish Commissioners Offended by Our Curtness. Senor Sagasta Likely to Continue to Direct Matters. Inconsistency of American Demands with the Protocol.

Paris, Nov. 4.—The reported rupture of the peace negotiations between Spain and the United States is not credited at the French foreign office. France willingly will serve as intermediary, in the hope of putting Spain under permanent and moral, as well as financial obligations, thus strengthening her own position in the European balance of power.

Paris and Brussels bankers are taking an active interest in the question of Spanish debts.

The Spanish members of the commission are offended by the curtness of the memorandum of the American claims.

The American members probably will welcome a change in the Spanish side, as they are not a match in legal subtleness for Senor Montero Rios. Whether there is a rupture to-day or not Senor Sagasta is likely to continue to dictate the negotiations.

There is high authority for prognosticating the course of the first dispute over the American interpretation of the third article of the protocol and the claims upon the Philippines for war indemnity as inconsistent with the previous articles, and also with the original diplomatic correspondence through Messrs. Cambon and Patenotre.

Senor Sagasta will say that he considers that Porto Rico is a sufficient indemnity. In the second place, if nonsuited, he will proceed to put a value upon the Philippines far in excess of any possible war indemnity, on the ground that Germany and England, or even France, would offer terms higher than the Americans take as the basis of negotiations. He will plead that no Spanish ministry could live if they accepted the American terms.

As a third step he would resign office, leaving the negotiations to begin over again under a Conservative ministry.

Thus a speedy termination of the negotiations is not expected. The commissioners are renting apartments outside the hotel.

Madrid, Nov. 4.—The government has telegraphed to Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission at Paris, instructing the commission to maintain the rights of Spain against the pretension of the Americans of their right to keep the Philippines. This claim the government regards as a breach of the terms of the protocol, wherein the Americans agreed merely to occupy Manila until the treaty of peace was concluded.

Premier Sagasta has expressed his hope that the Americans will modify their demands allowing Spain some compensation in the event of their retaining the islands.

The Epoca says that the Americans are mistaken in their assumption that cession to another power of certain territory does not imply that power's recognition of the debts contracted by the territory ceded. All of the treaties concluded in Europe or America prove the contrary.

The American demands, the Epoca continues, are contrary to what the Spanish colonies did when they separated from the mother country.

HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLE.

Do Not be Alarmed, But Look For the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also the heart is affected by that form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food; there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion also poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irritates and weakens the heart.

The most sensible treatment for heart trouble is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food.

This can best be done by the regular use after meals, of some safe, pleasant and effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found at most drug stores and which contain valuable, harmless digestive elements in a pleasant, convenient form.

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MUTINY OF COLORED TROOPS.

The Sixth Virginia Obeying White Officers.

Knoxville, Nov. 4.—There was considerable anxiety last night lest the mutiny in the Sixth Virginia which occurred yesterday morning, would break out again.

The Sixth Ohio, Thirty-first Michigan and First West Virginia retained ammunition in their guns and awaited orders all night.

Not a pass from the camps was given. There was no further trouble, however, and the negro regiment is drilling under the newly mustered in white officers without further signs of revolt.

The trouble grew out of the forced resignation of nine of the negro officers, who, it was claimed, were incompetent, and the appointment by Governor Tyler of Virginia of white officers from the Virginia regiments which were being mustered out, to take their places.

The regiment refused to drill when four of the white captains arrived; and for several hours were in open mutiny. Speeches were made by Colonel Kuert, now in command of the Second division, and other officers.

A negro major, C. B. Johnson, read the articles of war to the men, and induced them to return to their duties and await the result of a protest sent the governor.

The men finally were pacified and are now obeying the new officers. The feeling, however, is very ugly.

The Sixth Virginia is a short regiment. It consists of only eight companies, and is in command of Lieutenant Colonel Croxton, a white man. The only other white officer, before these new appointments were made, was the assistant surgeon.

THE PANAMA SAFE.

Arrival of the Transport at Havana This Morning.

Havana, Nov. 4.—The United States transposrt Panama, which sailed from Santiago last Monday, and for whose safety fears had been entertained, arrived here yesterday morning at nine o'clock and landed seven American passengers, including several military officers.

She left Havana at about ten a. m. her supposed destination being New York. It is reported that she has about four hundred persons, including a number of sick men, on board.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The published reports of the loss of the transport Panama caused much excitement at the war department and the navy department yesterday morning, and both were deluged with telegrams from relatives and friends of persons believed to be on the transport, begging for information.

Neither department then had any information, however, and each discredited the report, for the reason that a telegram was received from General Wood at Santiago about midnight the night before treating of purely business affairs, and saying nothing whatever of the rumored loss of the ship.

Colonel Bird of the war department, who has charge of transportation matters, said that the Panama was regarded as thoroughly seaworthy.

Indians Weary of War.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—"As an abstract proposition the Indians want no more fighting. They have had enough to last for some time in the Bear Lake campaign just over. However, the Indian character is such that we may never tell when he will take up his arms and wage a desultory warfare against local communities," said General John M. Bacon, the veteran Indian fighter, who commanded the United States troops in the recent Indian outbreak in Minnesota.

"I want to say one word," continued General Bacon, "about the so-called raw recruit.' Out of the seventy-seven men who were with me in the battle of October 5 fifty-eight were enlisted during the middle of last summer, but their conduct was admirable."

To Go Into Liquidation.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The Bank of Commerce, a state bank, with $500,000 capital and $1,600,000 deposits, has voted to go into voluntary liquidation.

Its deposits and an equal amount of its bills receivable will be taken over by the Union National Bank.

The affairs of the Bank of Commerce will be wound up by its directors and the proceeds paid to its stockholders.

Farragut a Hummer.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The torpedo boat destroyer Farragut, on her trial trip had all but accomplished the requirements of the government when an air pump broke down. The requirements call for thirty knots.

For forty-two minutes the Farragut made 31.30 knots, or more than thirty-six miles an hour, when the break came.

Advance in the Price of Envelopes.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Signs that the long threatened combination among the manufacturers of envelopes has become a fact, have reached the paper stationery trade in the shape of circulars quoting an advance averaging 25 per cent. in all grades of envelopes.

The trust is said to control 90 per cent. of the production.

Presidents Trip to Vote.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The president hopes to get away Monday night for Canton, to vote on Tuesday.

He has given up the idea of going to the camp at Lexington, Ky., and it is just possible that the situation in Paris may be such as to prevent his leaving Washington on Monday night.

Battleship Texas Returns.

New York, Nov. 4.—The battleship Texas returned from Philadelphia yesterday and anchored off Tompkinsville. She will go to the navy yard in Brooklyn for examination and repairs to the sleeve of her starboard propeller, which came in contact with a floating log in the Delaware.

Registration in Illinois.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 4.—Tuesday was the last day for registration in Illinois outside of Chicago and dispatches from most of the one hundred and one counties outside of Cook indicate that about eighty-five per cent of the vote of 1896 which was 1,090,869, will be polled on Tuesday next.

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Britain's Activity in Naval and Military Lines Continues.

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Reported that the Powerful Has Been Ordered Ready for Sea. Gunboats of the Fleet in Chinese Waters to Rendezvous. Supplies of Fuel Bought in Philadelphia.

Hong Kong, Nov. 4.—Extraordinary activity has prevailed in naval and military circles here during the past few days, but no explanation for it is obtainable.

The British first class cruiser Powerful has just taken on board over two thousand tons of coal, and all the other British warships here are loading stores and ammunition.

It is reported that they have been ordered to be ready for sea immediately.

The British second class cruiser Bonaventure has been recalled from Manila, and arrived here last night. She is now coaling with all possible haste.

It is reported that the British gunboats have been ordered to rendezvous here.

At the navy yard the ordnance department is actively engaged in mounting siege guns.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 4.—The crews of the warships in port, the Renown and Pelican, were ordered yesterday to clear ships for action.

The warships are now provisioned for a long voyage, provided with extra ammunition and have a full supply of coal.

The work was completed Wednesday night and yesterday their decks presented a warlike appearance.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—A morning paper publishes the following:

"The probability of a war between England and France received fresh impetus yesterday by the action of England in purchasing a large amount of American coal, for immediate delivery at her West Indian naval stations.

"In response to hurried cablegrams from London, ship brokers engaged in the West Indian trade spent the greater part of yesterday searching for tonnage suitable to transport the coal from Philadelphia and Newport News to points where it will be most convenient for English war craft to fill their bunkers. Sailing vessels from 1,000 to 2,000 tons capacity are particularly in demand.

"The first shipments are to be sent to Kingston, to be followed by vessels for Bermuda, St. Lucia, and Demerara, which are the principal ports in the West Indies subject to Great Britain. It is also proposed to discharge a part of the purchase at St. Thomas, a Danish island, where hulks will be used.

"It was reported yesterday that two British warships had been ordered here to undergo slight repairs, which under ordinary circumstances would have been made at either Halifax or the Bermuda islands."

Washington, Nov. 4.—The Chinese minister, Mr. Wu, discredits the report that Russia had taken the treaty port of Niu-Chwang.

Admiral Miller's Retirement.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 4.—Rear Admiral J. N. Miller, who hoisted the flag over the Hawaiian islands, and proclaimed them a part of the United States, left this city yesterday, after a day's stay, for Springfield, Ohio, his boyhood home.

Admiral Miller will retire from service in the navy November 22. Before leaving, Admiral Miller said:

"I believe the Pacific station to be second in importance, if not the most important naval station we have. I am greatly gratified that the government has seen fit to send such two magnificent battleships as the Oregon and the Iowa to the Pacific station.

"One necessity shown by the war is that of having a large number of first class battleships, capable of sailing 18 miles an hour. We must have them and I think we will have them. We want more ships like the recently launched Illinois."

United States Consul at Berlin Dead.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—Julius Goldschmidt, United States consul general here, died last evening from heart disease.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 4.—Julius Goldschmidt, late consul general at Berlin, was a Milwaukee manufacturer and a man of considerable influence among the German-Americans of the West.

He was appointed consul at Vienna by President Harrison.

After the second election of Grover Cleveland he returned to America to engage in business, and during the campaign of 1896 he managed the German literary bureau of the Republican national committee.

President McKinley appointed him to the Berlin post, but illness incapacitated him before he had been at the German capital very long.

Uneasy Over Bank of Germany.

London, Nov. 4.—There is an uneasy feeling on the Stock Exchange, in consequence of the showing made by the weekly return of the Bank of Germany, which indicates a decline of £1,137,000 in cash and an increase of 1,642,000 pounds in notes. It is thought that the demands to be met at the end of the year will affect other markets.

Nihilists Arrested

London, Nov. 4.—A dispatch from Berlin to the Daily News says that it is reported that a widespread revolutionary movement has been discovered in Russia.

The center of the movement is said to be at Lodz. More than 400 arrests have been made.

Appointed by the President.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The president has appointed John C. Cline to be collector of customs for the district of Los Angeles, Cal., and Philip Mullen (acting boatswain), to be a boatswain in the navy.

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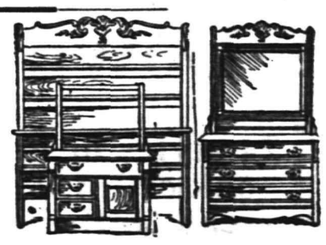

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THE OCCUPATION OF CUBA.

A Brigade Under Gen. Carpenter to Go to Nuevitas About Nov. 22.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The war department has issued a general order for the movement to Cuba. The first troops will leave on or about November 22, and will comprise a brigade under Brigadier General Carpenter.

The brigade will be taken from the Seventh Army Corps, and one of the regiments will be the Third Georgia. The brigade will be sent to Nuevitas, Puerto Principe.

The order was issued only after very careful consideration of the reports of the military officers now in Cuba, and of the Hecker board and other expert commissioners who have been in the field.

The order looks to the occupation of two points to begin with, namely, Nuevitas and Puerto Principe, but the occupation will be extended as rapidly as the Spanish evacuation proceeds. The order directs the movement to begin at once, but according to the calculations of the department, it will be scarcely feasible to make the first landing before November 22.

The headquarters of the new corps, which has been created for the purpose of beginning the occupation, will be at Nuevitas under the command of General L. H. Carpenter. He is now in command of the cavalry brigade composed of the Sixth and Seventh cavalry, at Huntsville, Ala. The order is as follows:

The headquarters and six troops of the Eighth United States cavalry, and the Third Georgia volunteers will be at Nuevitas. Six troops of the Eighth United States cavalry, and the Fifteenth infantry are ordered to Puerto Principe. The regiments will be prepared for embarkation at once, and the subsistence department will arrange for the necessary rations. The command will be equipped and rationed for sixty days. The quartermaster general's department will furnish the necessary wagon transportation for use at their new stations. The surgeon general will make provision for hospital and medical supplies. Brigadier General L. H. Carpenter, United States volunteers, is assigned to command these troops, with headquarters at Nuevitas.

The cavalry brigade, composed of the Seventh and Eighth United States cavalry, is discontinued. The Seventh is assigned to the First Army Corps, and the Eighth to the Second Army Corps. The Fifteenth United States infantry is detached from the Fourth Army Corps and an infantry brigade created, composed of the Third Georgia volunteers and the Fifteenth United States infantry, and designated as the Second brigade, Third division, Second corps. The orders sending the Second brigade, third division, Second corps, to Athens, Georgia, have been revoked.

The Ownership of Anticosti.

Montreal, Nov. 4.—Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, has telegraphed to the Dominion government asking for full particulars regarding the sale of the island of Anticosti to M. Menier, the French chocolate manufacturer.

The authorities at Ottawa have ordered the attorney general of the province of Quebec to make a full report of the sale, and also of the subsequent action of M. Menier regarding the eviction of settlers, and the report will be cabled at once to the British authorities.

It is feared here that it is the intention of the present proprietor to make the island a French colony, with the idea of its being subsequently ceded to France, and used as a base of supplies in case of an outbreak of hostilities between that county and Great Britain.

It is believed that the British government will order the cancellation of the sale.

Voting at Camp Meade.

Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa., Nov. 4.—The vote of the Two Hundred and Third New York regiment was taken yesterday, polls being opened from nine to four.

The regiment is isolated among the Conewago hills on account of an outbreak of typhoid fever after reaching here, and less than half of the command is on duty.

The rest of the men are in city hospitals or home on furloughs, so that a light vote is expected.

The other two New York regiments have voted.

Arrangements are being made to take the votes of the four Pennsylvania regiments next Tuesday.

Our Soldiers in Porto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 4.—In response to an inquiry, Secretary Alger has received from General Brooks a cable dispatch denying that there had been any bad behavior on the part of the United States volunteer soldiers in Porto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Brigadier General Charles F. Humphrey, quartermaster's department, has been ordered to Savannah, Ga., where he will superintend the embarkation of the Fifth cavalry, which is destined for Porto Rico.

Five Years for Counterfeiter.

Trenton, Nov. 4.—In the United States District Court here to-day Frank Siemeun, the Italion tailor of New York who was convicted yesterday of passing a $2 counterfeit bill in Jersey City, was sentenced by Judge Kirkpatrick to five years in Sttates Prison and to pay a fine of $1,000. This heavy sentence was imposed because Seiman is believed to be a member of a gang of counterfeiters who have been manufacturing and passing bogus currency on a wholesale scale.

Starch Works Burned.

New York, Nov. 4.—Four of the National Starch Company's buildings at Glen Cove, L. I., were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The loss was estimated at one hundred thousand dollars.

Col. Amos Webster Dead.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 4.—Colonel Amos Webster, a member of General Grant's personal staff in the campaign around Richmond, died here yesterday after a sickness of some months' duration.

MARSH SURRENDERED

Man Who Wrecked the Keystone Bank Returns to Philadelphia.

V FUGITIVE SEVEN YEARS

At the Time of His Disappearance in 1891 Marsh was Under Three Indictments. He Forfeited Bailbond for $20,000 and His Bondsman Spent as Much More Trying to Find Him.

Philadelphia, Nov. 4.—Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive president of the Keystone National Bank, which collapsed on March 20, 891, returned to the city yesterday after an absence of more than seven years, and surrendered himself to his bondsman, William H. Wanamaker.

The closing of the Keystone Bank created a tremendous sensation at the time, and the developments immediately subsequent thereto resulted in the sentencing to long terms of imprisonment of John Bardsley, then the city treasurer of Philadelphia, and Charles Lawrence, the cashier of the bank. Both have completed their sentences.

Marsh was at the time of his disappearance, May 15, 1891, under three indictments for violations of the banking laws.

Security in $20,000 had been entered by William H. Wanamaker for Mr. Marsh's appearance at court. Marsh fled from the city and Mr. Wanamaker was obliged to forfeit the amount of the bail, and it is asserted that he expended fully $20,000 more in an endeavor to ascertain the whereabouts of the fugitive.

Mr. Marsh informed Mr. Wanamaker that he went from here to Brazil, where he remained several years and then came back to the United States and located in the State of Washington, where he has been earning his living.

He came East a few days ago and spent Tuesday in New York city. He came to Philadelphia and went at once to William H. Wanamaker's office.

Marsh will probably be surrendered by Mr. Wanamaker to the United States Commissioner late this afternoon.

To Succeed Judge Van Wyck.

New York, Nov. 4.—Frederick A. Ward, a well known corporation lawyer down town, whose home is at No. 61 Remsen street, Brooklyn, has been appointed to succeed Judge Augustus Van Wyck on the supreme court bench in the Second district by Governor Black.

Mr. Ward, who is a candidate for the supreme court judgeship on the Republican ticket in the Second district, which comprises King's county, running with Jesse Johnson, will fill out Judge an Wyck's unexpired term, serving until January 1 next.

If elected, he will continue in the same position for a full term.

The place on the bench has been made vacant since Judge Van Wyck resigned to accept the nomination for governor of the state, offered to him by the Democratic party.

Mr. Ward is well known in Brooklyn politics as an active Republican. His office in this city is at No. 31 Nassau street.

Gen. Graham's Illness.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov.3.—Gen. W. M. Graham, who retired yesterday as commander of the 2d Army Corps at Camp Mead, was taken ill at the Commonwealth Hotel in this city last night, and it was feared that he was suffering from camp fever. This morning, however, he has sufficiently recovered to proceed to Fort Hamilton, N. Y., where he will join his family. He was accompanied by Lieut. Somerall, his personal aide. Gen. Graham's annual report has been forwarded to the War Department.

The War Investigating Board arrived at Camp Mead at 2 o'clock to-day, and will remain until Friday. Gen. Young will tender the members of the board a review of the corps to-morrow.

The 203d New York Regiment voted to-day, and Roosevelt will get a large majority in this command.

Steamer Burned at Wharf.

Collingwood, Ont., Nov. 4.—The passenger steamer Pacific, owned by the Great Northern Transit Company, was burned at the Grand Trunk wharves here yesterday.

The railway freight sheds, filled with Canadian and American goods, were also destroyed.

The Pacific was valued at $65,000 and was insured for $25,000.

The loss from the burning of the freight sheds will be very heavy.

The steamer was operated between Collingwood and Sault Ste. Marie, stopping at way points.

Lower State Receipts;

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 4.—State Treasurer Colvin has compiled the financial statistics of the fiscal year ending September 30, 1898. A balance of $3,974,-320.45 is shown.

The receipts of the year were $30,-488,406.50, as compared with $32,678,112.09 for the previous year.

Expenditures were $33,757,981.36, as compared with $30,364,254.21.

The balance on September 30, 1897, was $7,243,904.31.

Schooner Burned at Sea.

Boston, Nov.4.—Pilot boat Hesper, No. 5, reports that on Sunday, when she was eighty miles east by south from Boston Light, a burning schooner was sighted, but she sank before she could be reached. No signs of life could be found. It is supposed that the vessel was the James E. Woodhouse, from Hillsdoro, N. B., for New York, whose crew was rescued and landed at New York yesterday.

Evacuation of Crete.

Canea, Nov. 4.—The Turkish Governor of Crete has informed the foreign admirals that he has been instructed to comply with the demands of the Powers for the withdrawal of the Turkish troops. The last of Ottoman troops to embark will be a force of 550 soldiers, who will remain in the island provisionally to assist in the shipment of war material

FASHODA DISPUTE NEARLY ENDED.

England Issues an Official Note Announcing the Situation.

London, Nov. 4.—An official note issued yesterday says:

There is now good reason to hope that the political situation is ameliorating. It can be confidently stated that when the cause of the irritation which unfortunately recently existed in France and Great Britain on the upper Nile is removed, which is expected soon to be the case, the door will again be open for a resumption of those friendly negotiations which happily characterize the normal state of the relations between the two countries.

Cairo, Nov. 4.—Major Marchand, the commander of the French expedition at Fashoda, arrived here at 7 o'clock last evening. He was met at the railroad station by the French officials and residents. The explorer looked thin and worried.

Directly the major appeared at the door of the train the spectators rushed forward, waving hats, sticks and handkerchiefs and crying "Vive Marchand!"

The latter, who was much pleased and touched at the reception accorded him, drove off to the French diplomatic agency amid more cheering.

The French officer, who is short, slight, active and bronzed, was dressed in civilian clothes.

THE WAR INVESTIGATION.

Surgeon Hartsuff Criticises the Chickamauga Camp.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Dr. A. Hartsuff, who was the chief surgeon of the army at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga Park, from April 21 until July 27 last, was examined yesterday by Colonel Denby of the war investigating commission concerning the conduct of the camp from a medical point of view.

He criticised various features in the management of the camp and said the sites were selected by General Brooke, and that notwithstanding his own position as chief medical officer, he had not been consulted in regard to the location.

He had made a formal protest at the time, but the protest was not heeded.

"Do you," asked Colonel Denby, "think the establishment of division hospitals a bad policy?"

"Very bad as done," responded the witness.

"Couldn't you, as chief medical officer, have controlled the matter?" he was next asked.

"No, sir; it was an order of the secretary of war, and under this order no regimental hospital could be maintained."

He thought this order unfortunate that in carrying it into effect the work of caring for the sick was greatly interfered with and that no one was benefitted by it.

Proctor on the Philippines.

Montpelier, t., Nov. 4.—United States Senator Proctor, who arrived here yesterday after a trip abroad, addressed the joint assembly of the House and Senate, which last month re-elected him. The senator said:

"The future policy of this country is the greatest question before our people.

"Hawaii and Porto Rico have been added to the nation's dominion and we have become sponsors for the good government of Cuba. We must assume some responsibility in the far East, whether it be greater or less. In my opinion the responsibilities in the far East are bound to be greater.

"Many wise and patriotic men in the country believe we should retain no territory nor control no part of the Philippine islands, beyond a coaling station or possib y a single island. I recognize the cogency of their argument, but have failed to see clearly any practical way of carrying out their views. If any jurisdiction is assumed in the East there is no logical stopping place short of the whole Philippines. Since that May morning when the Spanish fleet was destroyed it has seemed to me practically settled that Spain must surrender her entire control of the Philippines."

Pittsburg Strikers Weakening.

Pittsburg, Nov. 4—The first break in the ranks of the Window Glass Workers' Association occured last midnight, when, in open defiance of the explicit orders of President Simon Burns, a large number of the blowers and gatherers started to work at several of the plants of the American Glass Company.

The D. O. Cunningham Glass Company started its large plant on South Twenty-first street at midnight almost in full force. The Twenty-sixth street factory was started this morning. A detail of police was on hand to preserve order among the 200 or more workmen who had gathered about the plant.

Telegrams received to-day from Gas City, Dunkirk, Red Key, Ind., Barnesville, Frankfort, Ind., Kane, Pa., Bellevernon, Pa., New Lansington, Pa., and Brighton, N. J., reported that the news of the Pittsburg break had been received, and, consequently, many men would go to work in those towns.

The Havana Bank.

New York, Nov. 4.—The North American Trust Company of this city is apparently determined to solve the branch bank question without waiting for congressional action.

It has given notice that the Havana Bank, owned by it, will be opened for business on Monday next, the 7th inst., at No. 85 Habana street, under the immediate management of S. M. Jarvis, vice president of the trust company, who will also supervise the operations of the company's bank at Santiago, established in August last at that place.

Brooklyn Man Takes Prize.

Ithaca, Nov. 4.—The fellowship in architecture at Cornell University for this year has been awarded to W. H. Dole of Brooklyn, a graduate of the class of '94.

The fellowship is valued at $2,000, and entitles the holder to two years' study in Europe. It was established by the board of trustees of Cornell last year.

Gen. Lee's Mother Dead.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 4.—The mother of General Fitzhugh Lee died yesterday.

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NOMINATIONS.

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.
For Governor, Elvin W. Crane, of Essex county.	For Governor, Foster M. Voorhees, of Union county.
For Congress, Eighth District, Edward H. Snyder, of Essex county.	For Congress, Eighth District, Charles N. Fowler, of Union county.
Third District, Patrick J. Convery, of Middlesex county.	Third District, Benj. F. Howell, of Middlesex county.
Union county. For Senator, George A. Ford, of Elizabeth.	Union county. For Senator, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth.
For Assembly, D. C. Collins, of Elizabeth.	For Assembly, George A. Squire, of Elizabeth.
Mulford Scudder, of Westfield.	Robert G. Houston, of Elizabeth.
F. T. Higgins, of Elizabeth.	Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield.
Somerset county, For Assemblyman, Samuel S. Childs, of Bernards.	Somerset county. For Assemblyman, E. E. Cooper, of Warren.
For Sheriff, Selah Schoonmaker, of Hillsborough.	For Sheriff, P. V. VanDoren, of Hillsboro.

COMING EVENTS.

November 4—Democratic mass meeting, for colored voters, at Reform Hall.

November 3—Serviss illustrated lectures at Casino.

November 3—Board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. meet.

November 6—Rev. G. W. Gardner will address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. Capt. Thompson, of the Salvation Army Headquarters, New York city, is expected to sing.

November 6—Harry Gee will speak to boys at the Y. M. C. A at 4:15 p. m.

November 7—Union Bible class will be addressed by Rev. D. M. Stearns at Y. M. C. Hall in the evening. Free to all.

Mr. Murray's Position.

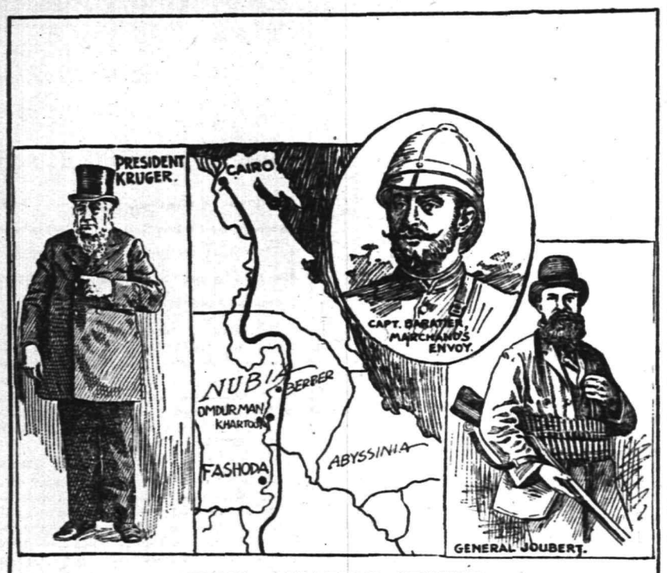
In reference to the recent criticisms made by Lawyer Winfield S. Angleman on Assemblyman Roger F. Murray's new tally sheet. Mr. Murray stated his side of the question to a Press reporter this morning. A tally sheet similar to Mr. Murray's will be used November 8th in the counties of Cumberland, Morris, Bergen and in the city of Newark. Mr. Murray did not see why Plainfield could not take advantage of this short method as well. His main object in getting up the tally sheet was to save labor and time for the members of the election boards.

The election boards of Newark use this short method, Mr. Murray said, and their returns have not and will not be questioned. If the tally sheet is not legal, Mr. Murray said, the only thing that the Courts can do is to order a recount. So confident is he that it will not be done, however, that he declared that he would gladly pay the local election boards personally if the recount should be ordered.

The New Jersey editor of the New York Tribune is the blindest partisan that the Republican party has working for its interests in this State. Editor Martin has the Smithophobia in its most acute stages, as witness the following from today's Tribune concerning the organization of the Plainfield Democrats:

This association was formed to purify and reorganize the Democratic party in Plainfield, but "Jim" Smith cracked his whip over the heads of the impudent Democrats who dared to think for themselves and gave them a few cuts about the shins, and the dear little fellows became as meek as lambs and obediently passed a resolution pledging "our constant and honest efforts for the election of all regularly nominated candidates of the Democratic party," and especially indorsing the candidacy of Elvin W. Crane.

Law students who served in the late war will have the privilege of having the time they were soldiers applied to the time they must devote to their studies before being permitted to come up for examination for admission to the bar. There is no one in Plainfield to whom this rule will apply, but that doesn't mean that there are no brave law students here. The nerve that some of the law students display in the local Justices' courts is sufficient to relieve them of any charge of being fearful to meet a Spaniard on the battle field.



AFRICA A BATTLE GROUND.

Prophets of a great war in the closing hours of the Nineteenth Century are looking to Africa for their confirmation. With England and France in a belligerent attitude toward each other over the claims of Major Marchand at Fashoda, and General Joubert of "Oom Paul's" army fighting the hordes of Chief Opefu in the Transvaal, the situation is ominous.

According to the annual report of the State Board of Education the total number of pupils enrolled in the State is 304,680, there being 2,000 more boys than girls. The average daily attendance was 200,278. There are 1,850 school houses. The total number of male teachers is 834, an increase of 30 over the preceding year, and the female teachers number 5,442. The average monthly salary paid to the male teachers was $68.82 and to the female teachers $49.72, an increase of $4 43 in the salary of males and $1.53 in that of females.

Congressman Fowler stated yesterday, during his visit to this city, that he would be very much disappointed if Voorhees did not carry Union county by 5,000. After his meeting with a certain well-known Republican on Front street yesterday afternoon the Congressman did not attempt to predict what his own majority would be in Plainfield. The Congressman certainly did receive the cold shoulder, and for the moment must have felt like a thirty-cent piece.

Even if Charles Codding, of Westfield—he of the pure white smile—chairman of the county Republican executive committee, can't run for office, he can make optomistic predictions of election results for the G.O.P. Yesterday Mr. Codding came out with a prediction that Judge Cross would receive 2,200 majority and the Assembly candidates 2,000. Of course, he thinks Voorhees will sweep the State.

The Newark Advertiser is today the fairest Republican paper in New Jersey. There is nothing hide-bound in the Advertiser's position and it does not stoop to the low tricks that many other partisan sheets are guilty of. Even in a political adversary the Advertiser can sometimes see a good quality.

Chas. S. Foote, of Putnam avenue, is mentioned as the Republican candidate for the Common Council in the Second ward. Mr. Foote has been a resident of this city for many years, is a prominent New York lawyer and has many friends endorsing him for the position.

"Farmer Orator" James E. Martine stirred up the Democrats of Somerset county in Somerville last night. Mr. Martine is very enthusiastic about the chances for a Democratic victory.

Six hundred claims for pensions have been filled at Washington as a result of the Spanish American war. There are more to come, though.

Justice Lippincott has decided that because a man voted at the last election he does not necessarily have a legal residence in the State.

Yesterday was Republican day, today is Democratic day and next Tuesday is—well, we will wait and see.

Democratic mass meeting tonight.

WIT AND HUMOR.

Little Georgie—Do your folks ever have family prayers before breakfast?

Little Albert—No; we only have prayers before we go to bed. We ain't afraid in the daytime.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Smithers (society poet)—I am thinking of issuing a volume with wide margins. Do you like the idea?" Miss De Facto (warmly)—"Indeed, you can not make your margins too wide for me. I adore blank verse."—Harlem Life.

Tramp—Called ter see, lady, if I could do sum work fer ye.

Kind Lady—What can you do?

Tramp—I'm a sort of dentist, mum. I want ter advertise, so I'll put a set of teeth into a good pie for nothing.—Town and Country Journal.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," the beautiful idyl of life among the lowly of New York's East Side, which was one of the very few genuine successes in an otherwise disastrous theatrical season in New York two years ago, and which will be presented at Music Hall next Monday night for the first time in our city, is the work of Denman Thompson, our old friend of "Old Homestead" fame. It is illustrated by a car load of special and magnificent scenery, a wealth of electrical effects, and a number of mechanical devices, and will prove a glorous spectacle for the eye as well as a good intellectual treat. In the cast are twenty selected players, the famous Boston Verdi Ladies Quartette, and the Acme Male Quartette.

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A cast of metropolitan players will appear at Stillman Music Hall tomorrow in the latest and best of farce comedies, entitled "Where is Benson?" The comedy is one of the funniest ever seen here and is interpreted by actors who are such in the highest sense of the term. No one who witnesses the production will regret, for we are assured it will give unqualified approval. The comedy is a satire on theosophy and has to do with a Mahatma who in the midst of his experiments gets the soul of Dr. Benson into the body of Henry Harkins. The complication that ensues must be seen to be appreciated and it will be too bad if theatre goers allow such a splendid organization to pass uanoticed. Frank Blair, a comedian known all over the country, plays the leading part.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of Carpenter against Ayres, on contract.

Settled—Case of Bard Stove and Coal Company against Barrett.

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Heavy twill Cotton Crash - - 3c yd
Pure silk black Taffeta Ribbon
No. 30, 14c. yd. No. 40, 16c. yd No. 50, 19c.
(About half price.)
Ladies' Muslin Underwear, slightly soiled, 1-2 price
Velvet Toilet Paper, roll of 2,000 sheets 8c roll
Casino Buttermilk Soap - - 6c cake
Pears' Unscented Soap - - 11c cake
Packer's Tar Soap - - - 15c cake
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Small Pine Tubs - 39c
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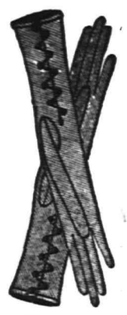

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10c Ladies' fleece lined black Hose.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 4—The funeral of Miss Sarah Terry, mother of William H. Terry, was held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock from the home of her son, John B. Ferry, of 15 Harrison avenue, Brooklyn. Interment was the next morning at 10 o'clock in Evergreen cemetery. The officiating clergyman was Rev. H. C. Glover, a former pastor of Mrs. Ferry's, from Amityville, L. I.

The football game tomorrow afternoon promises to be an interesting one. The teams to play are the Dunellen firsts, and the Scotch Plains eleven. The game will take place on the Lincoln grounds.

Miss Mabel Jamison and Miss Bertha Whitney, of Plainfield, have organized a class of young ladies in voice culture. The pupils are promising and the class is already a large one.

Mrs. White, of Elizabeth, will talk upon Japan at a meeting of the women of Holy Innocents church at Mrs. S. O. Sutton's Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Guild of the Holy Innocents church netted $17 as the result of their sale of pies, cake and home-made articles last week.

The following letters remain in the postoffice uncalled for: Dr. W. B. Ribble, Mrs. M. A. Grover, S. W. Rodman and Mrs. A. Smith.

Mrs. E. P. Ruckel has returned from Brooklyn and has taken up her residence with her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Jamison.

The new freight house, when it is finally built, will be located next to the station towards Prospect avenue.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph and Mrs. Jos. Apgar have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Manning Randolph.

Miss Mabel Jamison sang at a sociable held in the First Methodist church, Plainfield, last night.

The aution sale of the household goods of the late Mrs. Lydia Johnson will be held this afternoon.

A. S. Coriell, Jr., has rented the Johnson house on Washington street and will move there soon.

Miss Elizabeth Huff, of New Germantown, has been visiting Isaac Davis and family.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Dunham have returned from Cuba, N. Y.

Eugene Runyon spent yesterday visiting in New Brunswick.

The new Sutphen house is nearly completed.

The Council will meet Monday night.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 4.—George Jenger has an attack of the chills and fever.

Mrs. F. C. Ward, of Somerville, has been visiting in town. Mr. and Mrs Ward expect to move here soon.

Miss Emma Nelson has returned from a short visit with friends in Fordham, N. Y.

Daniel Runyon, of Easton, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Runyon.

Miss Anna Lindorfer, of Brooklyn, is a guest of Miss Josie Reusch.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 4—The Baptist Sunday-school are arranging for an entertainment to be held in the church on Wednesday evening, November 9th. The proceeds will be used for the Christmas tree fund.

The Assembly nominees of the Democratic party. Messrs. Higgins, Collins and Scudder, accompanied by the Senatorial candidate, Mr. Ford, were in town Thursday looking over the ground.

Charles Frentz, the mason, has a large contract on a new building at Port Richmond.

Clarence Lambert, of Willow Grove, was the guest of friends in town Thursday evening.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet in their rooms Friday evening.

Several Scotch Plains people attended a birthday party at Lincoln last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Colgate, of Plainfield, were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hoppell yesterday.

Election is near at hand, but Scotch Plains shows no unusual signs of activity.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 4.—The congregation of the Baptist church held a birthday social at the home of Mrs. Freeman Bloodgood on Westfield avenue which was well attended. There was both instrumental and vocal music and Herbert Pearsall entertained with several selections on the phonograph.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will hold an entertainment in the lecture room of the church Saturday afternoon.

The Democratic nominees for the Assembly and Col Snyder, the candidate for Congress, were in town last evening and took dinner at the North Avenue Hotel.

Nicaragua Canal Grant.

New York, Nov. 4.—There was a directors' meeting at 1 p. m., yesterday, at the offices of the Maritime Canal Company, No. 56 Broad street, and the attitude of the government toward the rival Nicaragua Canal companies was discussed.

The most interest was felt in the news that Secretary Hay had cabled instructions to Minister Merry, in Nicaragua, to lodge remonstrances through Consul Donaldson at Managua, with the Nicaraguan government against the concession to the Grace syndicate.

The opinion was freely expressed that the Grace syndicate had been organized, now that the construction of the canal seems certain, to secure the concession and sell it at its own terms to the Maritime Company.

Those present at the meeting were Messrs. Hiram Hitchcock, president; Judge Henry E. Howland, James Roosevelt, Alexander T. Mason, Samuel E. Kilmer, Horace L. Hotchkiss, Robert Sturgis and Thomas P. Atkins.

A Fight Over a Negro Prisoner.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Yesterday a negro named William Robinson was arrested for attempted assault upon Miss Minnie Walker and confined in the jail. During the night about five hundred men, including a number of soldiers in camp here, marched to the jail, in which twenty policemen had been stationed and demanded the surrender of the negro.

Upon being told by Collins, the jailer, that the jail would be defended, one of the party shot at a policeman who held a lantern. A general firing then followed.

William Moore, a volunteer soldier on furlough, was shot through the head and will die. When he fell the attack was abandoned. None of the policemen was injured.

Transports from Manila.

San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The transport St. Paul arrived yesterday from Manila. The only passenger brought by the Morgan City, which reached here late last night, also from Manila, was Private Louis Patton of the Fourteenth infantry, whose term of service recently expired.

When 2,500 miles from San Francisco the crown sheet in one of the Morgan City's boilers collapsed, and she was obliged to continue her trip with one-half steam power, reducing her speed from ten to eight knots an hour.

The Pope Ill.

London, Nov. 4.—A dispatch from Rome says the pope is ill, and that his physician, Dr. Lapponi, has been summoned.

Greymair—My wife is such a thoughtful woman.

Betterhaws—So's mine. You could not imagine all the things she thinks about me if I happen to be detained down town.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Browne—How surprised we would be if we could see ourselves as others see us.

Towne—Yes; but think how surprised the others would be if they could see us as we see ourselves.—Brooklyn Life.

Scaggles—Say, Noggles, do you want a snap?

Noggles—What is it?

Scaggles—Go down and stand in front of a bank. There's money in it.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"Gee! but I'm tired," said the dry goods clerk.

"Had a busy day?" asked the motorman.

"There hasn't been much trade, but I have been hard at work all day cutting up remnants for our bargain sale to-morrow."—Indianapolis Journal.

"This is the bill from your oculist," said the collector to Mr. Grimley.

"Just take it back and tell him that I can't read it with those glasses he sold me."—Detroit Free Press.

Bon Ami

Cleans and Polishes

BY DISSOLVING THE DIRT OR TARNISH, AND CAUSING NO WEAR ON THE SURFACE CLEANED.

By Request
the date of closing the
VELOX
Competition
has been deferred to
Saturday, Nov. 5th

THE BARD COMPANY,
133 NORTH AVE.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Susie Boss, of Central avenue, has purchased a new bicycle.

Mrs. Yost, of Fourth street, is much improved from a serious illness.

R. C. Larue, of Fourth street, is improving from a serious illness.

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, is visiting friends in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Cox, of Weston, who has been visiting Plainfield friends, has returned home.

Miss Mattie Force, of New street, is now employed in Putnam & DeGraw's dry goods store.

Miss Kittie Neagle, of Madison avenue, is visiting Miss Helen Whitenack, of Scotch Plains.

Mrs. Brown, of Bound Brook, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Tigar, of Dunellen avenue.

Herbert Randolph, of Mt. Pleasant, who has been quite ill, has recovered and is able to be out again.

Howard Roome, of Washington Park, who is ill with typhoid fever, is reported as improving nicely.

Miss Lida Vroom, of Somerville, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Adams, of East Sixth street.

Mrs. Edward Fitch, of Westfield, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Darling, of Prospect avenue.

Willard Force, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting his parents on Carleton avenue, has returned home.

W. R. Codington, of this city, entertained Joseph A. Cross, the Republican nominee for State Senator, at dinner last evening.

The report in yesterday's News that Miss Kittie Ransom intends going south for her health, is untrue. Miss Ransom went to Elizabeth today to visit friends for a short time.

Miss Charlotte Messeramith, of Washington street, has accepted a position as contralto singer in the First Baptist church, and begins her duties Saturday morning.

George Fisher, of Blaney's "Electrician" company, is home on a short visit with his mother in this city. Mr. Fisher was with the Sawtelle company which played here last season.

REPUBLICAN MEETING

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.

not the Republicans kept their promises, and don't the people of New Jersey intend to let well enough alone. I believe that the present administration has given the utmost satisfaction and will be maintained and supported by the people."

After Mr. Voorhees' address a reception was held and many in the audience stepped forward and personally met the nominee.

Greeted the Candidates.

Yesterday afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock Congressman Fowler and Joseph A. Cross, nominee for State Senator, held a reception in the rooms of the Republican Headquarters, and during that time there was quite a large number of people who called and paid their respects, and in each case each one signified their intention of voting the straight Republican ticket. Among those who called there were many colored voters.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure

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Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

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Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—11:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Press want ads bring results.

—The Independent Scheutzen Corps will hold a shoot on election day.

—In Saengerbund Hall Thanksgiving night there will be a dance.

—Morris Powells, the milkman, is out with a brand-new delivery wagon.

—For your Sunday's breakfast attend Rogers special sale of seafood Satuday afternoon and evening.

—A new slate roof is being placed on Miss Howlett's house on Elmwood place. The house is also to be painted.

—A dance will be given in Red Men's Hall tomorrow evening under the auspices of Miantonomo Tribe, I. O. R. M.

—Last evening at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., there was a smoker and enteresting entertainment.

—Fresh milk, buttermilk, potcheese, confectionery to be found at Debele's cremeary, 127 B West Front street, Voehl building. Give him a call.

—Now is a good time for our young people to use the long evenings in study. The Business College offers good advantages for this purpose.

—All persons holding tickets for sale for the firemen's ball are requested to return them to the committee, of which William Townley is the chair man.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., is making a special effort to increase its membership, and next month a large number of new members will be initiated.

—A routine business meeting of the Executive Committee of the W. C. T. U. was held last Wednesday, at which time work for the winter was discussed.

—Charlotte russe, chocolate eclaires and other seasonable dainties fresh every morning. Delicious pies every Saturday, at Stephensons, 146 North avenue.

—If you want shoes made which have due regard for health and comfort and which will give good satisfaction patronize Flynn Brothers, 222 West Front street. Prices reasonable.

—The opening of the holiday goods at Woodhull & Martin has turned their establishment into a fairy land. Never before was there such a spread of toys. The firm cordially invite parents to bring in their children to see the great crush which inevitably precedes the Christmas season.

—Try the City Steam and Hand Laundry, 19 Somerset street, and you will be convinced that they are up to date; they do not sprinkle clothes laundered by them from the mouth. Have American citizens to do your laundry work and try them. Wagons go to all parts of the city.

EXTRACTS.

After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

A. L. KAERTH & CO.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD
(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)
9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)
10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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UNDERTAKERS,
No. 402 Park Ave. Tel. 40.
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WANTS AND OFFERS.

FOR SALE—Coupe, cabriolet, phaeton, box-buggy, set double harness, sleigh, shifting-pole and others. Geo. W. Tice, Westfield, N. J.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 183 Martine Ave. 11 4 2

FRESH cow for sale, $40. Apply 1340 West Front street, Evona.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. Plain sewing and embroidery done and taught at the home 11 23 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 8 23 tf

HOUSE for sale or rent. 69 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

WANTED—Respectable colored girl as chambermaid and waitress; references required. 819 Park avenue. 11 3 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply 410 East Sixth street. 11 4 2

WANTED—A bright, smart boy, with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Address in own handwriting to L, care Press.

F. A. LONG,
No. 108 SOMERSET ST.
Near Manning Avenue.
Up-to-Date Cash Grocery Store.
Orders called for and delivered in any part of City or Dunellen.

Question of Transportation.

A story is told of a prompt and witty retort made by an Irish drover to a remark of the present solicitor general, Sir Robert Finlay, Q. C., M. P. Once, when in Ireland, Sir Robert—when Mr. Finlay—met a drover proceeding with a number of cattle to a fair in the South.

"Where are you going to?" asked the eminent barrister.

"To Waterford fair, yer hanner."

"Indeed? And how much do you expect to get for your beasts?" asked the Q. C.

"Sure, an' av I get eight pounds the head I shall not do badly," replied Pat.

"Ah, that's a sample of your country," said Sir Robert. "Now take these heifers to England and you average fourteen pound a head."

"Just so, yer hanner," said Pat, promptly, "and av yez were to take the Lakes of Killarney to purgatory yez would get a guinea a dhrop."

MAKING IT PLAIN.

Values crowd each other as the season advances; they clamor for a place in print; perhaps one in twenty gets it. Last month we broke a record, and the next 'twill be the same. We own the goods to do it with; we have the nerve to cut prices right through every department, not on half-a-dozen articles for baits, but every dollar's worth of goods in the store. It means much to you from a money-saving standpoint.

PRICE BREAKS

In Silks among the manufacturers means Price Breaks here; you get the full benefit of it, and it means much. Over one thousand yards of Handsome Silks that were $1 to $1.75 the yard will go for 79c yd.

DRESS GOODS

We have too many of certain lots, a backward season is to blame for it, and when the values remain the same the prices are badly twisted. About 100 pieces of Skirt and Waist Lengths, were 40, 50 and 75c yd, now 25c yd. Fifty pieces of Fancies, were 50 and 75c yd, now 29c yd. Twenty-five pieces of Imported Novelties, were 75c yd, now 49c.

WHITE QUILTS.

About one hundred of them manufacturers samples, full size, handsome quilts, staple as wheat, but they go to you at half value—were $1.25 to $3, now 69c to $1.75.

BLANKETS

and Comfortables—many who read this will feel bound to buy blankets and comfortables. We sell for $2.49 a ten-quarter all-wool blanket; no one can match it under $3.50. 98c buys a full-size white cotton filled Comfortable.

These lots of fresh, seasonable specials are here for quick selling; you will know they are cheap the minute you see them:

Children's natural wool shirts and pants 19c each.
Children's fleece-lined shirts and pants—
Size—18 20 22 24 26 28
8c 10c 13c 16c 19c 21c each.
Extra large bath towels 13c ea.
2,000 yards of Real Torchon Lace 6 and 7c yd.
1,000 yards of Fine Imported Dimins 15c yd.
1,000 yards of Domestic Figured Dimins 9c yd.
All-linen Fringed Doylies 7c ea.
All-linen Dinner Napkins 9c ea.
Ten-quarter Figured Table Covers $1.19 ea.
Eight-quarter Colored Table Covers 49c ea.
Extra-heavy all-linen Twilled Crash 8c yd.
Fine Dotted and Striped Swiss for Curtains 9c yd.
Ladies' Fine Hose 15c pr.
Children's School Hose 10c pr.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, fleeced, 21c ea.

Ladies' Natural Wool Fleeced Vests 39c ea.
Ladies' Fine Fleeced Hose 19c pr.
Men's Fine Suspenders, 25c kind, 13c pr.
Men's Fine Wool Half-Hose 17c pr.
Fine all-linen Hemstitched H'dk fs 13c ea.
Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, 75c kind, 49c ea.
Infants' Wool Ribbed Vests 17c ea.
Side Combs 5c pr.
Plate Glass Hand Mirrors 15c ea.
Silk Curtain Cord and Tassels 12c pr.
Laundry Bags 10c ea.
Mantle Lambrequins 29c ea.
Linen Tray Cloths 27c ea.
Fine Embroideries 10c yd.
Chatelaine Bags 10c ea.
Buttermilk Soap 7c cake.
Ladies' Side Supporters, with belt, 10c pr.
Turkish Wash Cloths 2c ea.
Fine Writing Paper—60 Sheets, 60 Envelopes 17c box.

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' Plaid Waists 65c.
" Flannel " $1.25.
" Satine Skirts $100.
" Flannelette Wrappers, well made 98c.
" Silk Waists, black and colored, $4.98 ea.
" Velveteen Waists, all colors, $3.98 ea.

Fur Collarettes $1.69.
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front, 25c ea.
Boys' all-wool Shirt Waists 69c. Value $1.00 ea.
Boys' Knee Pants, made of all-wool cheviot, 29c pr.

THIRD FLOOR.

Smith's Finest Quality Velvet and Axminster Carpets, 95c yd., including making, laying and lining.

Lace Curtains, extra size, 98c, $1.10, $1.19, $1.29, $1.39 and $1.49 pr.
Tapestry Table Covers 39c ea.
Chenille Table Covers 49c ea.
Wilton Velvet Mats, 18x36, 98c ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 27x63, $1.98 ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 36x72, $2.98 ea.
Tapestry Carpets, 10 wire, 49c yd.

Extra super all-wool Ingrain Carpets 52c yd.
Extra quality all-wool Art Squares $4.98 ea.
Tapestry Portierres 98c ea.
Feather Pillows 39c ea.
Comfortables filled with white cotton 98c ea.
All-wool Blankets, full size, $2.49 pr.
Heavy Grey Blankets $1.50 ea.
Cotton Blankets 38c ea.

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75.
MODEL 49 (Improved) $40.
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Men's Fleeced Wool Underwear.....50c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets from.....$1.00 up.
Men's heavy Wool and Buck Gloves, all prices.
Ladies' Black Satine Skirts.
Ladies' and Children's Underwear, best goods, low prices.

Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 31, 1898.

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Dayton J E Mr
Deck nbeck Lou Miss
Downing A E Mrs 2
Evans Nellie Mi s
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Foote Mary Mrs
Goodreou M. Fred
Gray Miss J M
Groendike W S Mrs
Hughes Annie Mrs
Jacobson C Miss
Kinz Mrs M
Latterette Jno Mr
Leanard Sara L Mrs
Moore Bert Mr
Ranch R Miss
Pamain Susie
Patt M D L Tudon
Plaisted M R Miss
Schmidt Mr Geo
Schmidt Emma Miss
Shelton Mrs C
Seward Lillie Miss
Stevens B Miss
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"Where is Benson."
A Farce Comedy in 3 acts, by John Fowler.
A Clever Satire on the subject of Theosophy.
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Prices 25c 35c 50c and 75c.

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A guaratneed attraction! 3d year of Denman Thompson's successful character drama
THE SUNSHINE OF PARADISE ALLEY.
Written for the people who enjoyed The Old Homestead.
The Boston Verdi Ladies' Quartet.
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Select Company of 18 Players
Beautiful Special Scenery
Among the scenes Shown is—
THE GREAT EAST RIVER ROCK SCENE WITH THE
Illuminated Painting of the Brooklyn Bridge.
Conceded to be the Most Beautiful Electrical Scene on the stage. Don't Fail to See It!
Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, and 75c. Reserved seat tickets now ready.

ROSES, carnations, violets and a large assortment of choice cut flowers, decorative and flowers, an immense stock of specimen plants for decorations, the largest stock of plants and cut flowers in this vicinity. Baskets, bouquets and floral designs made up at short notice. Store, 142 North avenue, Plainfield; greenhouses, South avenue, Netherwood, near depot.
CHARLES L. STANLEY.

JACOB MINTZ,
50 PEARL ST.
BEST CATTLE DEALER,
paying cash. 9 28 3m

Frock for Little Girl.

The little girl in the illustration is wearing an artistic frock of dull blue style of a yoke frock and yet is suited to an older girl. The rounded yoke is prettily guaged, and the skirt—being first tucked all around to the depth of about three inches—is then gathered into it. This has a far neater appearance than has the full yoke effect, and is more like a Dutch dress with its short waisted bodice. The skirt has a deep hem and three tucks around the bottom. Tucks again appear at the

wrists, for the sleeves, instead of being gathered into a cuff, are tucked to form one. This charming design could also be carried out in richer material for a child's "best frock."

Styles for the Hair.

In France fashion says now that one may wear one's hair in any style liked except the pompadour; the pompadour is out of favor now with well-dressed women. To take its place there are several styles, and perhaps fashion is about equally divided between a high coiffure, with a bunch of curls over the forehead, and a parting with the waved hair arranged flat on top and puffed out on each side. The first style approaches that adopted so many years ago by the Princess of Wales, but the curls are looser and more irregular, and, it is needless to say, not kept in place by a hair net. The second style is much the prettier, and if carried a bit further would suggest the classical. The curious part of this change of style in hair-dressing is the total dissimilarity in the two fashions in vogue. Some women who wear the bunch of curls on the forehead are making an irregular parting in it a trifle to one side; this adds a youthful look to many faces.

Substitutes for Tea.

Of course, everyone is aware that under the name of "tea" we often drink a beverage which has no acquaintance with the real leaf. But there are several "teas" which are not fraudulent manufactures, though they are not made of tea-leaves.

In Mauritius, for instance, they make tea of the leaves of an orchid. In Peru they drink mate, a tea made from a native species of holly. The Abyssinians make a tea from the leaves of the catha edulis, which has such stimulating qualities that even a leaf or two of it chewed has all the reviving effects of "the cup that cheers," and thus is most valuable to travellers. The Tasmanians are said to be the happy possessors of no less than a hundred substitutes for tea; while the Tonkinese have teas of their own made of berries, leaves, woods, and bark of trees. In Sumatra coffee leaves are infused in the tea-pot, and the result is said to be an excellent beverage.

Shawl-Shaped Capes.

For elderly women are some new shawl-shaped capes, almost as long as a shawl proper, formed very much like the newest fur capes. These are made variously of corded silk, plain satin, or brocade, and are trimmed with a deep graduated ruffle of the same, or with rather wide lace. These capes add greatly to the beauty and effect of a black costume, and although only silk-lined, have considerable warmth, without being heavy. These wraps have not yet been generally displayed in the shops, but leading modistes are making them up, after designs obtained from importers of French patterns, or from models they have themselves brought from the other side.

Husbands and wives travelling together in Norway pay only a fare and a half on the railways, and in Austria and Hungary this is also the case. In the latter countries a child under six years of age travelling with an adult is not charged for, while considerable reduction in the fare is made for children of a family, according to their ages and to the number travelling.

The highest masts of sailing vessels are from one hundred and sixty to one hundred and eighty feet high, and spread from sixty thousand to one hundred thousand square feet of canvas

A Cannibal Plant.

There has been discovered in Nicaragua a flesh-eating, or rather man-eating, plant, which for horror is quite the equal of the novelist's imagination. This plant is found, it is asserted, in Nicaragua, and is called by the natives "the devil's snare."

It appears that a Mr. D——, a naturalist, has lately returned from Central America, where he spent two years in the study of the plants and animals of those regions. In one of the swamps which surround the great Nicaragua Lake he discovered the singular growth of which we are writing.

He was engaged in hunting for botanical and entomological specimens, when he heard his dog cry out, as if in agony, from a distance. Running to the spot whence the animal's cries came, Mr. D—— found him enveloped in a perfect network of what seemed to be a fine, rope-like tissue of roots and fibres. The plant or vine seemed composed entirely of bare, interlacing stems, resembling, more than anything else, the branches of the weeping willow denuded of its foliage, but of a dark, nearly black hue, and covered with a thick, viscid gum that exuded from the pores.

Drawing his knife Mr. D—— attempted to cut the poor beast free; but it was with the very greatest difficulty that he managed to sever the fleshy muscular fibres of the plant. When the dog was extricated from the coils of the plant Mr. D—— saw, to his horror and amazement, that the dog's body was blood-stained, "while the skin appeared to have been actually sucked or puckered in spots," and the animal staggered as if from exhaustion. In cutting the vine the twigs curled like living, sinuous fingers about Mr. D——'s hand, and it required no slight force to free the member from its clinging grasp, which left the flesh red and blistered.

Six Months in a Bath.

Life in a bath must be somewhat monotonous, but it is quite common in the best of our modern hospitals. At first it was tried only in a few absolutely hopeless cases, but the results were so satisfactory that various forms of disease are now systematically treated by continuous immersion in water.

Some time ago, for instance, a young girl was dying from a complication of terrible diseases. She was a mere shadow, and nothing but death was before her under ordinary treatment. But an ingenius doctor placed her on a sheet and sank her into a warm bath so that only her head remained above water. The bath was kept constantly warm, and in it she ate, drank, and slept for 183 days and nights. At the end of the time she stepped out fat and strong.

In skin diseases the continuous bath is invaluable, for it can be medicated. And many hopeless cases of burning have been successfully treated in this extraordinary way.

Army Cat Doomed.

Lovers of puss will learn with regret that the German Army cat is doomed. For some time past the Kaiser's military establishment has included a regularly organized corps of cats, whose function it is to protect the military stores from mice. These cats are trained in their duties by the inevitable drill-sergeant. They wear badges and receive rations and medical attendance. Now the announcement is officially made that this corps is to be disbanded, inasmuch as Professor Loeffler has discovered a species of typhus bacillus which is fatal to mice, and whose services will, in consequence, be substituted for those of the cats.

One can easily imagine the military Tom, after passing the physical examination and being mustered in, donning his badge and reporting for duty, and drawing his daily rations of milk and cat's meat. What puzzles one is what food the typhus bacillus will consume and whether it will wear a badge.

Natty Short Jackets.

The Eton and zouave jackets continue to appear en suite with very many of the autumn costumes, and an unusally pretty style has the skirt very much gored, and opening at the sides of the top of the front breadth after the fashion of the bicycle suits. Odd colors are combined in these costumes; blues are lined and faced with green and heliotrope; browns have military red or yellow vests, etc., and although there are only glimpses to be seen between button-trimmed straps, slashed fronts, folds, and the like, these glimpses give a touch of color which renders the gown smart or otherwise.

Strange Dishes.

Horseflesh, assflesh and muleflesh are now eaten in such large quantities in France that the regular butchers who deal in beef and mutton are getting uneasy. In the dingy restaurants frequented by the lower orders of Rome, Florence, and Naples, they go one better. There, a dish composed of the harmless wood serpent's flesh is regarded as something of a dainty.

Braid Popular for Trimming.

Mohair braid in various widths and buttons of graded size trim the skirts and bodices of rough dress fabrics, and silk braid and small tailor buttons ornament the costumes made of finer weaves of wool and silk and wool materials.

Never enter a sick-room in a state of perspiration, as the moment you become cool your pores absorb any infection that may be there. Do not approach contagious diseases with an empty stomach, nor sit between the sick and the fire, because the heat attracts the vapour.

HOW HE WAS DUPED.

The messengers of a certain European State who travel to and from the adjoining capitals may easily be recognized by the red wallets they carry, emblazoned with the arms of the state in gold. The agents of the great powers travel in the most unostentatious style, and would be very fearful of carrying any important State papers in a blazing red wallet. The State of which we speak being an unimportant one, its little army is decked out in the most gorgeous uniform—by the way, the pockets of the uniform are always empty; but that is another matter—and similarly the usual Government papers are of so trivial a nature that it would matter just as little whether they went through the ordinary post or whether they were heralded by a brass band. On one occasion, however, it did happen to matter, and the bearer of the conspicuous red wallet came unmistakably to grief, and is at the present moment the owner of an obscure cafe in London; and who can tell—but to our story.

The messenger, who was then a younger and not so wise a man as he is now, had gaily completed three-quarters of his journey, and had arrived at Buda-Pesth in the best possible spirits, and in the knowledge that his task was nearly completed. His wallet had never left his sight from the moment he started until now. He was in a fair way to fortune.

If there is anything more than another calculated to make a young man on the Continent lose his head it is the sight of a young and beautiful Englishwoman. But to travel alone with the most charming woman he had ever seen put the young courier in a tremor from head to foot.

He sat in his corner of the railway carriage and contemplated her as calmly as he could. She certainly was most ravishing, with that delicate pink and white complexion and clear blue eyes. She was English, there was no doubt about that. The dirty white labels with Charing Cross printed on them on her black dressing trunk that lay beside his red wallet proclaimed her such. But she had not deigned yet to give him even so much as a look. She unwound the fur that encircled her neck and displayed the charms of the whitest and most symmetrical throat he had ever seen. Her hand, too, when she removed her glove, was sparkling with gems that made the young man the more desirous to find out who she could be.

His mental endeavors to find some sort of excuse to speak to her remained unsolved. At last the train stopped. An official thrust his head into the window and asked if madame had not ordered tea, to which she replied in French that she wished to have it brought to her. Here was the young courier's opportunity, which he embraced in an instant. She gave him the sweetest of smiles, and he rushed off to get the English beverage.

Had he seen the action of the lady during his absence his heart would have stood still. Quick as a cat she touched a spring in her black trunk, which opened in a second. Thrusting the luckless courier's red wallet into it she drew out another so exactly alike in appearance that when he returned, accompanied by a servant carrying tea on a tray, he glanced at the sham red wallet and believed it to be his own.

Could greater fortune have befallen him? he thought, as he sat and sipped the tea from the cup which she graciously handed him, while she looked the picture of loveliness as she musically laughed and chatted with him, now that the ice was broken. Never had eyes looked so deeply violet, nor lips so perfect of shape and hue. Hours passed as minutes—it is ever so in the fool's paradise, but after all who shall say that the fool's is not the paradise of paradises? The wise man is too wise to have one.

The English lady proved to be the daughter of Lord Trathan, and the delighted courier kissed the card his fair companion gave him (it was the way of couriers in those days) when she parted company with him at Vienna. Alas, poor young man, how was he to know that Lord Trathan was unmarried, and that his fellow-traveller was none other than La Belle Pucelle, alias Madam Kratov, alias the Countess de Varnac, and the bearer of I don't know how many more sham titles, one of the astutest secret service agents in Europe.

The treaty he had carried was on its way to Paris when he presented himself at the Foreign Office at Vienna. The Austrian Minister looked at first very grave and then flew into a violent rage, asking the astounded courier the meaning of the sham treaty which he thrust into his trembling hands. There was a fine scene, and the poor wretch was not sorry to take his leave, although when he stepped out of the salon he was a ruined man.

The little State still sends its couriers to and fro with red wallets, and the proprietor of the little cafe near Regent street, London, dare not, even if he would, return to his native country, where a dozen of those toy soldiers would be drawn up in a line, and he would be shot as a traitor to his country. But then everybody does not know the story of the beautiful English lady with the blue eyes and white.—Golden Penny.

"Say, I'm paying this war tax without a blessed grumble."

"Why so cheerful?"

"You know that typewriter who talks all the time?"

"Yes."

"Well, I keep her licking stamps all day long."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Sachsen.

Dresden. Zwei Radfahrer wurden von einem Geschirr, dessen Pferde wild geworden waren, so unglücklich überfahren, daß der eine seinen Verletzungen sofort erlag, und der andere voraussichtlich stets ein Krüppel bleiben wird. Ein dritter Radfahrer wurde von dem Geschirr in den Straßengraben geschleudert und kam unverletzt davon.—Die hiesige Polizei hat einen von der Staatsanwaltschaft in Memmingen wegen eines in Rottenbach verübten Raubes gesuchten Gärtner Johann Georg Adler verhaftet. Auch seine Geliebte, Therese Brummer, wurde festgenommen.

Bautzen. Die Behauptung eines Berliner Blattes, daß man im hiesigen evangelisch-lutherischen Lehrerseminar Haussuchung gehalten, bei verschiedenen Seminaristen zahlreiche sozialdemokratische Schriften gefunden und einige besonders rothe Seminaristen bereits relegirt habe, ist nach einer öffentlichen Erklärung des Direktors der Lehranstalt, Schulraths Müller, von Anfang bis zu Ende unwahr.

Chemnitz. Der aus seinem Amte in Rochlitz kürzlich disziplinarisch entlassene Superintendent Merbach wurde vom hiesigen Gericht zu 1 Jahr 9 Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt. Der Mann hat, um Schulden zu decken, die zum Theil noch aus der Studentenzeit herrührten, in der er unter den Kommilitonen „eine hervorragende Rolle" spielte, sowohl Amts- wie Mündelgelder in der Gesammthöhe von einigen Tausend Mark unterschlagen.

Zittau. Die städtische Behörde hat den Direktor der Naturheilbadeanstalt Fischer aus Sachsen ausgewiesen. Ein Grund für diese Maßregel ist nicht angegeben, doch vermuthet man, daß die Ausweisung nicht auf politische Ursachen, sondern auf die gewerbliche Thätigkeit desselben zurückzuführen ist.

Zwickau. Rechtsanwalt Schraps hier hatte in einer Prozeßsache eine hiesige Einwohnerin zur Vollziehung einer Urkunde über einige Hundert Mark zu bewegen gesucht, und ist deshalb vom hiesigen Landgericht wegen versuchter Erpressung zu sechs Monaten Gefängniß und drei Jahren Ehrenrechtsverlust verurtheilt worden.

Thüringische Staaten.

Eisfeld. Hier und in der Umgegend mußten über 700 von einem Rummelsburger Händler eingeführte Gänse wegen Ausbruchs der Geflügelcholera getödtet werden.

Gotha. Durch Staatsvertrag wurde mit der Frankfurter Elektrizitätsgesellschaft der Bau elektrischer Bahnen nach 25 Landorten vereinbart. Die Baukosten werden 5,000,000 Mark betragen. Der Bau wird im nächsten Frühjahr begonnen werden.

Rudolstadt. Die vom preußischen Staate erbaute Bahnlinie Frankenhausen-Sondershausen ist nunmehr dem Verkehr übergeben worden. Sie durchschneidet die Unterherrschaften der beiden Fürstenthümer Schwarzburg-Rudolstadt und Schwarzburg-Sondershausen, ein Gebiet von hoher landwirthschaftlicher Blüthe und reichen Bodenschätzen, und ist die beste Verbindung nach dem Kyffhäuser von West nach Südwest her.

Freie Städte.

Hamburg. Das Defizit des Finanzausschusses für das hier stattgehabte Neunte Deutsche Turnfest wird auf 64,000 Mark beziffert; 30,000 Mark bewilligte der Staat, so daß von 170,000 Mark der Garantiezeichnungen noch 20 Prozent einzufordern sind.—Die „Hamburg-Amerika-Linie" hat mit der Schiffswerft von Blohm u. Voß den Bau eines Passagier- und Frachtdampfers für ihre Linie Hamburg-New York abgeschlossen, welcher in seinen Größenverhältnissen die „Pennsylvania" und „Pretoria" noch wesentlich übertreffen und insofern einen ganz neuen Schiffstyp darstellen wird, als durch besondere Einrichtungen für die Sicherheit und Bequemlichkeit der Passagiere in bisher noch nicht erreichtem Maße gesorgt sein wird. Der neue Dampfer erhält eine Länge von 600 Fuß, bei einer Breite von 66 und einer Tiefe von 42 Fuß. Die Ablieferung soll im Frühjahr 1900 erfolgen.

Bremen. Die Deutsche Dampfschifffahrts-Gesellschaft „Hansa" in Bremen wird binnen Kurzem ihren bisherigen direkten 14tägigen Linien nach Bombay-Karachi und Colombo-Madras-Calcutta auch noch eine direkte, vorläufig monatliche Linie von Hamburg-Bremen und Antwerpen nach Rangoon hinzufügen. Den deutschen Exporteuren eröffnet sich hierdurch die Möglichkeit, hinfort die unbequeme Verladung via Liverpool zu umgehen, während andererseits zu erwarten steht, daß die neue, deutsche, direkte Verbindung dem deutschen Export nach Birma einen neuen Impuls geben wird, um so mehr, als die birmanischen Eisenbahnen stetig ausgebaut werden, und ihre Verlängerung bis in die angrenzenden chinesischen Provinzen hinein demnächst verwirklicht werden soll.

Lübeck. Einer älteren Dame wurden kürzlich im Hauptpostamte aus der Tasche sieben 1000-Markscheine gestohlen. Die Diebe sind entkommen.

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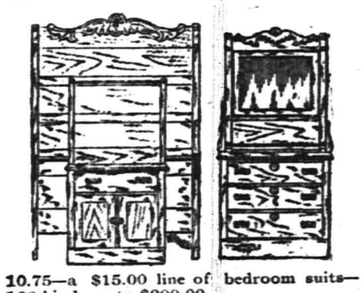

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, †10.7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; †12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 36, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; †12 00 m., 1 01, †1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; †12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at †10, †55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, †2, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 35, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 22, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, † 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 03 a. m.; †2 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 22, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 23, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a.m.; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 20, 4 30, 5 22, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 4 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m.; 6 38, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 19, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., war For Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 06 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 06 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, (5 37 for Sea Girt) 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 3 46, 6 21 p. m. Sundays, except Ocean Grove, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 6 21 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 8 37, 8 13 a.m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a.m

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 44, 10 44 a. m.; † 31, 5 06, † 36*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 45, 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; † 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 44 a. m.; † 31, 4 36, † 36*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; † 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; † 31, 5 36*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a.m.; † 31, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m.; 6 38 p m. Sundays, 6 38 p m.

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2 06 p. m. daily local for Easton and Wilkesarre.

4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for WilkesBarre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton Shamokin, L. & B. Junction and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 38 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

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JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Oct. 24th, 1898.

"AN ORDINANCE

to provide separate sewers or drains to carry off the surface water in portions of Park Avenue, Front and Somerset Streets.

Whereas, The City finds it necessary and the Common Council hereby so determine to provide separate sewers or drains to carry off the surface water in the portions of streets hereinafter specified, and the water flowing into Green Brook through said portions of said streets, and the Common Council has determined, and doth hereby determine that the public good requires the construction of the sewers or drains hereinafter specified, and that the costs and expenses thereof should be provided for by issuing bonds of the City in the manner provided by Section 38 of the Act of the Legislature of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in cities of this State," approved April 7, 1890, without resorting to an assessment for benefits, provided that the sum so to be raised shall not exceed the limit fixed by law in such cases:

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the Common Council doth hereby direct and order that separate sewers or drains to carry off the surface water, or the water flowing into Green Brook, be constructed in and for said City of Plainfield in Park Avenue from the Central Railroad of New Jersey to Front Street, with two inlets at the railroad bridge, one at North Avenue, six at Second Street and two near Second Street; in Front Street, from Park Avenue to Somerset Street with two inlets at West Front Street and Pruden's Alley and two at Somerset Street; In Somerset Street from Front Street to Green Brook, all with the necessary manholes and appurtenances to complete the same, said separate sewers or drains to be of the dimensions and material, and to be laid in said streets, and along such lines, and at such grades, and in such manner as indicated and specified on map on file with the City Clerk of the City of Plainfield, entitled, "Map for Storm Sewers in Park Avenue, Front and Somerset Streets, made by Andrew J. Gavett, C. E., Sept. 1898."

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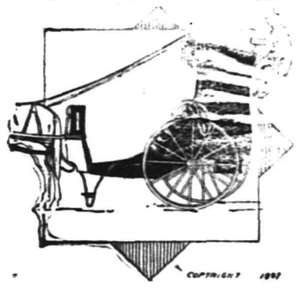

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 6.

Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.

Topic, The Childhood of Jesus.

SCRIPTURE READING:—Luke ii, 40-52.—"The child grew and waxed strong in spirit, filled with wisdom, and the grace of God was upon him."

Speculation has exhausted itself in trying to picture the divine nature and to penetrate the mystery of the union of the divine and human in Jesus Christ. The mystery of the incarnation is as deep a mystery as ever, and its complete solution is a hopeless task for the human mind. There is another clew. We may approach this subject from a different side. It is not wholly an intellectual problem. It has far more to do with the moral and spiritual sides of human nature than with the purely mental. Wisdom is more than learning, more than understanding. It is a disposition of the soul, it is an attitude of the will and affections toward the true, the right, the beautiful and good. From earliest infancy all lives are under the play of forces good and evil. Every one who comes to consciousness realizes sooner or later the opposite pull of impulses. Some are higher and some are lower in their nature and worth. Bodily appetites, mental visions, hopes, desires, loves, hatreds, all arise and contend for recognition. In the field of opposing forces we choose the better or worse, the higher or lower, the worthy or unworthy. As we choose so we grow, strong in spirit of wisdom or weak in spirit of foolishness; bold of heart and pure and fearless or craven, foul and reckless. The example and word of others have some influence with us. In the main we alone are responsible.

The miracle life of the boy Jesus has its wonder element in the evil times in which He lived and the purity He developed. The divine in Him was akin to the divine in every child of the race. He had the same powers as we, but brought them to higher development than any other one. In all our worship of Him as the Divine we must not lose sight for an instant of the fact that He was Son of Man. Here lies our hope as truly as in the fact that He was Son of God. Our help lies more in what He has in common with us than in anything else. Did He grow and become strong? So can we. Did He become wise and full of God's grace? So may we. He became a partaker of human nature that we might become partakers of the divine nature.

We are saved by His righteousness, not by any fictitious transfer or imputation, but by a very real impartation, so that we have the same spirit of power and purity. We think and feel and act as He would do if He was in our place. If you are a child of God, be diligent to grow in spirit of strength, wisdom and grace.

Editor of Epworth Herald.

One of the best known names in the Epworth world is that of Dr. Berry, the able editor of The Epworth Herald. He was born in 1855 in Michigan and was educated at Milton academy. He began to preach at 16 years of age and joined Detroit conference in 1874. Twelve

REV. JOSEPH F. BERRY, D. D.

years in the pastorate were followed by four as assistant editor of the Michigan Christian Advocate and then his election as editor of the Epworth League organ when it was founded.

Dr. Berry is as efficient on the platform and in the pulpit as in the editorial chair. His work at conferences and conventions is always of a high order. Long may his star ascend!

Bangor Convention.

The First general district includes all New England except a small part of western Vermont, Massachusetts and Connecticut. The convention is held biennially. The beautiful city of Bangor, Me., acted as hostess this year, and never has the district been better served or the convention more profitable. The programme was full of good things, and all passed off well. The excursion July 7 to Moosehead lake was not the least enjoyable feature of the meeting. Those who took the steamer from Boston had a most delightful trip on the ocean and up and down the queenly Penobscot river.

President Perein retires from office, and Secretary Freeman is advanced to his position. George W. Penniman, Esq., of Fall River, Mass., was elected secretary. Rev. H. E. Foss of Bangor succeeds Rev. E. O. Thayer as first vice president. Rev. Walter J. Gates, after five years of service as literary vice president, is succeeded by Rev. Mr. Warren of Portsmouth, N. H., but continues the newspaper work of the department. Rev. George H. Spencer as second vice president, Rev. C. E. Judkins as fourth vice president and E. M. Wheeler, Esq., as treasurer continue another term.

As a whole, the cabinet is an exceptionally efficient body and gives promise of vigorous work.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Nov. 6.

Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—"Fight the good fight."—I Tim. vi, 11-16; II Tim. iv, 7, 8.

The Christian life was often likened by Paul to a warfare. It may have been that his long residence at Rome, where soldiers were constantly being drilled and disciplined, may have suggested the figure. Whatever suggested it it is an apt and telling one. The Christian life is a constant struggle, a ceaseless warfare between right and wrong, between holiness and sin, between the kingdom of God and the kingdom of satan. It is a good fight, because it is in a good cause, has a good captain and produces good results. It is a fight of faith—faith in God and Christ, faith in humanity, faith in eternal life.

The enemies in this fight are Biblically called "the world, the flesh and the devil." This world is not a friend to grace. Its influence is to draw us away from God and to weaken us in the great struggle for eternal life. The flesh is wicked, sinful self, the natural human heart, which is enmity against God. The principal adversary of the human soul in its struggle for life, however, is the devil, a personal, powerful, fallen being, whose knowledge of our weakness and power to tempt us make him a formidable enemy indeed and over whom we can gain the victory through the Lord Jesus Christ alone.

The weapons for this fight Paul describes in Eph. vi, 10-17. They are the girdle of truth—the truth as it is in Jesus; the breastplate of righteousness, not our own personal righteousness, but the righteousness of Christ; the sandals of the gospel of peace which has been prepared, and as a result of being at peace with God we can stand firm and secure, as one with sandals on his feet; the shield of faith, strong, real, abiding faith in God; the helmet of salvation, for being assured of our salvation we can hold our heads erect as one who wears a helmet; the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, by which we are to overcome all the arguments of the evil one.

The result of this fight will be victory or defeat, as we enter upon it and continue it—victory if trusting in God we use the knowledge He has given us with His power to overcome; defeat if, lightly esteeming the enemy, we put our trust in our own knowledge and powers.

Paul won a glorious victory. Face to face with the end of life, as the warfare is about to close, he writes to Timothy: "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of rejoicing, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me in that day, and not to me only, but unto all them also that love His appearing." What Paul accomplished every Christian can accomplish. May his example inspire us all to the required effort!

Bible Readings.—Ex. xiv, 10-14; Deut. i, 30; Ps. xxvii, 1; Math. iv, 1-11; xxvi, 36-45; I Cor. ix, 25-27; xv, 58; Eph. vi, 10-18; Heb. x, 31-33; Jas. iv, 7; I Pet. v, 8; Rev. ii, 10.

Go Slow.

There is no more ominous word than "fast," which means a great deal more than do many slang words. It means that it is possible to get through life in such a hurry as to curtail that which one would suppose it would be to our interest to lengthen. When the end is reached, there is collapse—all is lost. Do we not do well to ask if this is the best thing that life can do for us? Is there nothing higher than this feverish haste, nothing better and more manly than this perennial round of frivolous excitement? Remember that he who thus throws his life away throws away a chance wholly unique. Only once there is given to us the possibility of living out this brief life as God intended that His creature man should live.—Churchman.

Pain and Peace.

It is often surprising to see how much pain there may be in the sensibility, and yet peace, in the depths of the mind. In crossing the Atlantic some years ago we were overtaken by a gale of wind. Upon the deck the roar and confusion were terrific. The spray from the waves blew upon the face with almost force enough to blister it. The noise of the waves howling and roaring and foaming was almost deafening. But when I stepped into the engine room everything was quiet. The mighty engine was moving with a quietness and stillness in striking contrast with the war without. It reminded me of the peace that can reign in the soul while storms and tempests are howling without.—C. J. Finney.

Satanic Assaults.

The power of Satan to trouble the saints is never done. It may be that the child of God has been such consciously for long years, he may have been enabled to grasp the fullness of salvation which belongs to him who is clothed with the righteousness of Christ since he was first converted, but let him never think that he is safe from the assaults of the evil one.—Episcopal Recorder.

To Those Who Trust.

Let none doubt, however weak and erring they may be, the security of their souls and the comfort of their hearts amid all trial and temptation and sorrow, who have a living Redeemer, sympathizing with them in heaven, interceding for them with the Father and ready to impart all power, even His own almighty and divine Spirit, to those who trust His grace.—Presbyterian.

Duty.

Never to tire, never to grow cold, to be patient, sympathetic, tender; to look for the budding flower and the opening heart; to hope always, like God; to love always—this is duty.—Amiel's Journal.

THE SUNDAY LESSON.

INTERNATIONAL SERIES, WITH COMMENTARY BY DR. STEARNS.

Golden Text.—Yield yourselves unto the Lord, and enter into His sanctuary.—2 Chron. xxx: 8. No. 6, 1898.

1. "Come to the house of the Lord at Jerusalem to keep the Passover unto the Lord God of Israel." This was the message of Hezekiah, a king who did right in the sight of the Lord (chapter xxix, 2), to all Israel and Judah, regarding them as one people. Although long divided into two nations, they are one in His sight and shall yet be one in the eyes of all nations (Ezek. xxxvii, 21, 22). Hezekiah repaired the house of the Lord and restored the worship. He wrought good and right and truth before the Lord his God and did every work with all his heart and prospered (chapter xxxi, 20, 21). He would have all Israel remember their deliverance from Egypt and rejoice in the Lord and serve Him.

2, 3. "The king had taken counsel, and his princes and all the congregation in Jerusalem to keep the Passover in the second month." Although the first month was the regular time for the feast, there was provision in the law to keep it in the second month if necessary (Ex. xii, 18; Num. ix, 10, 11). Place and time and form are not so important in God's sight as a heart that is right with Him. Even feasts and Sabbaths are a shadow of things to come. Christ is the reality of all, and apart from Him nothing is real (Col. ii, 16, 17).

4. "And the thing pleased the king and all the congregation." It is written of David in II Sam. iii, 36, that "whatsoever the king did pleased all the people." When king and people please each other, and all together please God, that is surely a sample of the kingdom of God on earth. Thus it shall be when Israel shall have become a righteous nation with the Christ, the Son of David, as their King (Ez. xxxvii, 24, 25).

5. "Make proclamation throughout all Israel to keep the Passover unto the Lord God of Israel at Jerusalem." This feast commemorating the great deliverence of Israel out of the bondage of Egypt by the mighty power of God was to be kept every year, but in the Old Testament we have an account of only five after the first one in Ex. xii. These records are found in Num. ix, Josh. v, II Chron. xxxv, Ezra vi and in our lesson. The greatest Passover in the New Testament is recorded in Luke xxii, 14, 15, and in the other gospels as having been kept by our Lord and His apostles on the night before He was sacrificed for us as our Passover. He spoke at that time of a future fulfillment in the kingdom of God (Luke xxii, 16), and instituted the Lord's supper as a memorial of His death to be kept by His redeemed till He shall come again.

6. "Ye children of Israel, turn again unto the Lord God of Abraham, Isaac and Israel and He will return to the remnant of you." Letters from a king to his people urging them to turn to the Lord God would be a most unusual occurrence in our time. Even if a church is in need of funds, it is more customary to turn to some wealthy people or to some worldly way than to the Great Head of the church.

7. "Be not ye like your fathers and like your brethren which trespassed against the Lord God of their fathers." Their sin is briefly stated in Jer. ii, 13, "My people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me, the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water." Thus they changed their glory for that which could not profit. The Lord was their judge and lawgiver and king, but they turned their backs upon Him and preferred their own way. Is there any analogy now?

8. "Yield yourselves unto the Lord, and serve the Lord your God." The margin says, "Give the hand unto the Lord." In Rom. vi, 13, it is "Yield yourselves unto God as those that are alive from the dead." As unsaved sinners all we are asked to do is to receive Christ.

9. "The Lord your God is gracious and merciful and will not turn away His face from you if ye return unto Him." His name in Ex. xxxiv, 6, is "The Lord, the Lord God, merciful and gracious, long suffering and abundant in goodness and truth." Read also verse 7. He says in Mal. iii, 6: "I am the Lord. I change not." In Heb. xiii, 8, He is "Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, to-day and forever." He is not willing that any should perish, has provided eternal redemption for all and is ever saying, "Him that cometh to me I will in nowise cast out" (John vi, 37).

10. "So the posts passed from city to city, but they laughed them to scorn and mocked them"—that is, many of Ephriam, Manasseh and Zebulun did. The final testimony concerning Judah is, "They mocked the messengers of God and despised His words, and misused His prophets until the wrath of the Lord rose against His people, till there was no remedy" (II Chron. xxxvi, 16). This is the carnal mind which is enmity against God and is ever the same, but these were not the heathen who never heard of God. They were the people of God for whom He had done more than for any nation on earth. See II Tim. iii, 1-5.

SPORTING.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

The Plainfield eleven met for practice on the Westervelt avenue grounds last evening. Excellent work was done. Practice will be continued tonight. This evening Captain Roy T. Phillips, of the Alis team, wants to see all the candidates for that team at the Westervelt avenue grounds.

The Alis second will meet the second eleven of Pingry's School of Elizabeth in Plainfield this afternoon.

It appears after all that Volney F. Green will not play with the Plainfield team election day. Green has given up his chances for the team. Fletcher Hallock is now booked for one end, and Edgar I. Serrell is credited with having the best showing for the other.

Saturday afternoon will see an exciting football game at New Brunswick. Stevens Institute and Rutgers College will meet for the second time. The first game broke up in a dispute, the Stevens captain claiming a forward pass that his opponents would not allow. The visiting team became angry and withdrew, leaving the Rutgers eleven on the field. The management of the two teams patched up the difficulties and arranged another game for Saturday afternoon.

Of the young men who represent the red and black of Rutgers College on the gridiron, the best known to Plainfielders is Ernest Rapalje, who formerly attended the Plainfield High School. The friends of Rapalje will regret to learn that he has met with an accident that will keep him from playing for the remainder of the season. Rapalje has been playing right end on Rutgers this year. With his college team he went to Albany two weeks ago and played against the Union College eleven. During the game a Rutgers back came around Rapalje's end. In keeping off the Union men, Rapalje slipped and fell. He dislocated his ankle and broke one of the bones in his foot. He now wears that foot in a plaster cast and hobbles around on crutches. There is hardly a day passes, however, that does not see Rapalje on the sides watching the practice.

BASKET BALL.

The first basket ball game to be played in Plainfield this season is scheduled for Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, when the "Bowery Boys" of the Young Men's Institute of New York will play a return game here.

CYCLING COMMENT

Mr. Bullock, of Central avenue, and George Vanderhoef, of East Fifth street, rode on their wheels to New Brunswick yesterday.

WHIST

Next Monday evening the Park Club "Big Four" team will go to Roseville to play for the State trophy.

ROD AND GUN.

Edward Sebring and George Voehl have returned from a hunting trip in New York State.

MARRIED SOLDIERS REJOICE.

Those in Third Regiment Soon Will Be Mustered Out.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, November 4.—Word was received here that orders have been issued by the War Department authorizing Colonel Lee, in command of the Third Regiment, now at Pompton Lakes, to muster out twenty-six men in each company of his command, maintaining the minimum of eighty men in each company.

This is the result of persistent work by Senator Sewell, Representative Howell, Robert Carson and other political powers, who have insisted that men having dependent families be discharged. The Third Regiment has been ordered to go to Athens, Ga., at once.

John Reed Cannot be Found.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

Boston, Nov. 4.—No trace has yet been found of the missing confidence man, John Reed, in spite of the fact that every agency at the command of the police and the State prison officials has been set at work.

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The drivers of the Plainfield Fire Department gave a very successful ball last evening in Washington Hall for the benefit of the Firemen's Mutual Benevolent Association, Branch No. 7, of this city. There were about five hundred people present, and everyone had a thoroughly enjoyable time. During the evening Chief Doane and his assistants, as well as several public officials were present and gave encouragement to the affair. The music for the event was furnished by Eugene O'Reilly and his orchestra, and everyone spoke praiseworthy of the selections. Just before the ball came to an end there was a grand cake walk for a cake offered by Eden Boice. The performance was very amusing and was finally won by James McLean and Miss Della Doyle.

The officers of the association are as follows: President, William F. Townley; vice president, William A. Ross; secretary, Fred Breem; treasurer, George Feiring. The committee in charge of last evening's affair consists of James E. Bailey, James H. Daly, Fred Breem, William F. Townley, Harry Bush, George Feiring and William A. Ross. They desire to thank all who in any way assisted in making the dance the success that it was.

DEMOCRATS TURN NOW.

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD IN REFORM HALL.

Congressional and County Candidates to Be Present—Colonel Murrell Will Stir Up His Colored Brethren Also.

Tonight will be the Democratic inning in stirring up local interest in the great political fight that will end next Tuesday. A mass meeting has been arranged to be held in Reform Hall this evening, which will be addressed by a number of speakers. One especial point of the meeting will be to interest the colored voters. For that purpose Col. Wm. Murrell, the noted colored politician, will be on hand. He has been very active in this campaign, and owing to his former connection with the G. O. P., he can be depended upon to deliver a speech that will be decidedly stirring.

Other speakers will be former Senator Fred C. Marsh, of Elizabeth, and Col. John B. Green, as well as a number of the Democratic county candidates. Of course, James E. Martine will be on hand to say a few words to his fellow citizens.

Col. E. H. Snyder, of East Orange, the Congressional candidate in the Eighth district, will also be there. Col. Snyder and the other visiting Democrats will arrive here this afternoon and be met by a number of the local leaders. They will be escorted around among the voters so that the latter may have the opportunity of meeting those for whom their suffrages are to be asked.

Resignation of Rev. E. E. Kempshall.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 4.—Rev. Everard E. Kempshall, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, tendered his resignation at a parish meeting held Wednesday night. Mr. Kempshall was installed in 1861. He is president of the Citizens' State League, and took an active part in the crusade against the race track gamblers.

His health is not robust, and he will go to California. C. C. McBride, chairman of the meeting, appointed a committee to wait upon the Presbytery and present the resignation, and ask it to dissolve Mr. Kempshall's connection with the church.

Another Vicious Dog.

The seven-year-old daughter of Geo. Rickert, of the borough, was bitten yesterday in the calf of the leg by a dog owned by Mr. Schroppe, of Jackson avenue. The dog's teeth penetrated the skin to a depth of about a quarter of an inch. The wound was cauterized by Dr. Mattison, of Somerset street, and no ill effects are feared.

—Democratic mass meeting tonight in Reform Hall.

The Crowning Woe.

"You don't seem to thoroughly realize how low you have got," said the Court.

The prisoner, a faded, battered specimen of manhood, upon whose haggard face, deeply lined with the marks of dissipation, there still lingered the reminders of better days long past, started as if struck.

"You do me an injustice, your Honor," he said, bitterly. "I can bear the disgrace of arrest for drunkenness, the mortification of being thrust into a noisome dungeon, and the humiliation of a trial in a crowded and dingy courtroom, but to be sentenced by a Police Magistrate who splits his infinitives—that is indeed a crushing blow."

And as they led him away he placed a trembling hand to his forehead and shivered like one in an ague.—Chicago Tribune.

HE DID NOT COME BACK.

But in the Morning All the Trenches Were Dug.

When the American line had fought its way to the top of the hills at El Paso and San Juan and Caney, General Wheeler issued an order that every command should dig trenches in preparation for the conflict that he knew would break out again in the morning. But the soldiers had thrown away most of their trenching tools during the fierce rifle charges, and as darkness fell upon the scene of battle they threw themselves upon the ground and went to sleep from sheer exhaustion. Adjutant Hood, of the Rough Riders, noting this condition of affairs, rode over to General Wheeler's tent and informed the good old veteran that the men were played out. Wheeler at the time was lying upon his cot more dead than alive, but there was a smile upon his lips and his never-failing good humor twinkling in his eyes, when Adjutant Hood said:

"General, I'm afraid our men can't dig the trenches."

"What men?" asked the general.

"The cavalry division," said the adjutant.

General Wheeler sat up in bed and began pulling on his boots.

"Send me the man," he directed.

"What man?" asked the adjutant.

"The man who can't dig trenches."

"But it is not one man; it is many men. They are just played out."

"But you can surely find one man who says he can't dig the trench. I only want one. Go, get him and bring him to me."

"But there are—"

"I don't care how many there are. Go get me one."

The adjutant had never faced such a man as Wheeler before and he did not know just what to make of the conversation. The little old general was as smooth and suave and courteous as could be, and Hood had nothing to do but to ride back to the line. In some way he managed to round up a colored trooper belonging to the 9th Cavalry, and brought him back to the division headquarters. He stood looking sheepishly at the ground when Wheeler addressed him.

"Are you the man who says he can't dig these trenches?" asked the general.

The negro's feet shuffled uneasily on the ground. "I'se one of 'em, boss, but there's a—"

The general stoppd him and walked out of his tent.

"You can go to sleep now, my man, and I'll go up and dig your trench for you. When the sun comes up to-morrow morning the Spaniards are going to open on us, and every man who isn't protected is not only in danger of being killed, but will be unable to help maintain our own position. The trenches have to be dug, and if you are unable to dig yours I'll just go out and dig it for you. Where's your pick?"

With the most business-like air in the world Wheeler slid into his coat and turned toward the big cavalryman. The man's eyes opened as he saw the proceedings, and they began to bulge when the general motioned to him to lead the way to his camp. For half a minute his voice stuck in his throat, and then he said:

"Boss, you ain't fit to dig no trenches. If they done got to be dug I'll just naturally do it myself. I'm dog tired, but that ain't work for you."

Wheeler stopped and looked at the man with a flicker of amusement in his eyes.

"I know it isn't work for me to do," he said, "but I am going to need soldiers in the morning and I am going to save your life if possible. Do you think now that you can dig the trench?"

The negro started up the hill without a word. Then the general turned to Adjutant Hood, with a voice as pleasant as sunshine in May.

"He seems to have changed his mind," he said. "Now, you go and find me another man who can't dig trenches."

The adjutant bowed and rode off. He never came back. In the morning the trenches were dug.—Atlanta Constitution.

He Was Altogether Too Literal.

A San Francisco hostess, famous for her tact and resourcefulness, tells a good story on herself. It seems that an officer in one of the Tennessee companies, a very shy young man, brought letters with him when his regiment came to the coast, and presented himself one evening at the (let us say) Van Ness avenue residence. As he was the son of a well-known public man and a member of an old family, his hostess exerted herself to entertain him. "We should be glad to have the pleasure of your company Friday at dinner," she said, as he was leaving; "the Hawaiian Commissioners are to be with us." Friday came, and the Commission. Shortly before the hour for dinner the butler excitedly entered the room. "They's a regiment of soldiers, mum, outside." "No doubt in honor of the Commissioners; I will tell them." Just then the lieutenant was announced. "When you are ready," he said, "I will have the men march to their places in formation." "Why," said the hostess, "what men?" "It's my company," was the reply, "all but ten, and they're sorry, but they couldn't come."—San Francisco Argonaut.

"Pompey, how did you like my sermon?" asked a vain and rather long-winded preacher to a black man who had sat under the gallery.

Pompey was still aching with the fatigue of listening to the forty-minute discourse.

"Well, boss," he replied, "I t'ink yo' went by a lot o' mighty good stoppin'

OUR FLEET'S FIRST ADMIRAL.

Interesting and Remarkable Career of Ezekiel Hopkins.

Who was the first commander-in-chief of the American navy? What were the names of our first war ships and when were they built?

Probably not one out of a hundred of the average newspaper readers can answer, without investigation, these questions; yet the knowledge is interesting and valuable and especially timely just now, when the navy and the doings of the naval officials occupy so large a part of the public attention.

The Continental Congress at the outset managed the Revolutionary war through committees, there being at that time no executive. John Adams was chairman of the naval committee, with Stephen Hopkins and three other congressmen as associates. On October 13, 1775 Congress ordered two cruisers built. These were the first war vessels constructed by the United States; and were followed by others until by January 1, 1776 Congress had ordered the building of fifteen cruisers. This was the navy, and its first commander-in-chief was Ezekiel Hopkins, of Rhode Island, a younger brother of Congressman Stephens Hopkins. He was appointed to this high office on December 22, 1775.

At the time of his appointment Ezekiel Hopkins was a brigadier-general in command of the Rhode Island troops, acting under commission from the governor. He had spent part of his life on board merchant ships, and had also been a ship builder; consequently he was fitted both by experience and ability to fill the important office given to him. In a short time a fleet of four ships and three sloops were ready, and with these Admiral Hopkins set out to win glory for himself and country. Among his lieutenants was the famous John Paul Jones, who was, probably, the most brilliant and daring naval officer of the wars with England.

The Bahama Islands in the West Indies were then an English colony, with New Providence as their principal seaport and seat of government; and hither the new Admiral sailed the new navy. He attacked the city, captured the harbor fort and town, and brought back with him to America the English governor as a prisoner, eighty cannons and a very large quantity of ammunition and other military stores. This brilliant achievement was a godsend to the disheartened and impoverished patriots. It renewed their courage and replenished their stores. Admiral Hopkins was the hero of the hour and received a vote of thanks from Congress for his great deeds which had redeemed the glory and advantage of his country.

Shortly after his return from the Bahamas he met two English ships off Block Island and captured both of them. Two days later he had an engagement with the English twenty-nine gun ship, Glasgow, but did not succeed in capturing it. The public severely censured his conduct of this battle, and in June, 1776, he was ordered to appear before the congressional committee. After a hearing had been given him, the committee sent a favorable report of his actions to Congress, which the latter body approved, so the Admiral was exonerated from all blame.

He was now placed in charge of a large number of war vessels, which Congress was having built. The task was a difficult one. Money and material were hard to get. A powerful English fleet blockaded the harbors, and prevented the sailing of some of his ships when completed. The people became impatient. The press accused him of slowness, of being a laggard in his country's services. His temper was never of the best, and he emphatically resented the clamor of complaints. Again he was summoned to appear before Congress for investigation. Then the testy old sailor lost his temper entirely, and sent a point blank refusal to Congress, couched in vigorous but undiplomatic English. The result of all this was that he was dismissed from the service January 2, 1777.

Ezekiel Hopkins at once equipped a fast and powerful privateer, and again went to sea. He sailed to the East Indies, where his daring and skill found rich rewards. During one cruise he captured a sufficient number of rich English merchantmen to cause his profits to foot up over $1,000,000. At another time he fell in with a large fleet of English merchantment protected by a man-of-war. He boldly joined the fleet, and every night cut out and captured a vessel, until he had sent ten home and could spare no more men from his crew. He became the most successful and daring of all the American privateersmen.

When the war ended he returned to Rhode Island, and became one of her most prominent and busy citizens.

The outbreak of the Revolutionary war found the patriots without a navy. Congress had to create one. Four merchantmen were first purchased, hastily equipped with guns and sent to sea as cruisers; but their defects as war vessels soon became so apparent that Congress determined at once to set about the building of a navy. On October 13, 1775, Congress ordered two cruisers built; and on December 13, the order was increased to five thirty-two-gun ships, five twenty-eight-gun ships and three twenty-four-gun ships. They were to be ready for the sea by the following April. The names given to the thirteen vessels were: Boston, Congress, Effingham, Delaware, Hancock, Montgomery, Providence, Raleigh, Trumbull, Virginia, Warren, Washington and Randolph. These were the first war vessels constructed in the United States.

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cloth double breasted suits at $8 40, worth $16. Men's blue kersey overcoats $6 90, worth $15. Young men's dress suits $5.75, worth $14. Men's melton cassimere pants 90c., worth $2. Men's imported clay diagonal dress suits, silk lined, worth $21, at $8 50. And thousands of other extraordinary bargains not mentioned here to be sold in the next 8 days at less than 50 per cent of the cost of making.

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Bill For 243 Loads of Stone That the Mayor Said Was Not to Have Cost the Borough Anything—Easier Time For the Marshals—Mayor Wilson Described the Pavements he Saw in Easton.

Business at the Borough Council meeting was pushed through rapidly last night, and by 9 o'clock the regular meeting had adjourned and the Council had gone into executive session. Routine business only was transacted, an important item being the ordering of the macadamizing of Summit avenue.

The Mayor and all the members were present. A petition was read from the residents of Coddington avenue asking that an electric light be placed at the corner of Coddington avenue and Somerset street. The petition was referred to the committee on lights.

Mrs. Carrie Boice presented a bill to the Council for $30, which has remained unpaid since 1894, when her property on Somerset street was used for election purposes by the borough. The bill was originally presented in 1894, but escaped payment then because the property had just changed hands. It was referred to the auditing committee and later ordered paid.

Among the bills presented was one from J. H. Cooley for 243 loads of stone. The Mayor declared that this stone was to have cost the borough nothing, so that claim was held over.

William Kernan and Lewis C. Wyckoff were appointed special marshals and Raymond Schenck was appointed janitor of Warren Enginehouse in the place of the old janitor, who has resigned.

Councilman Burtis, in his report, stated that twenty arrests had been made during the past month, of which fourteen were for being drunk and disorderly. Six were committed to jail, and on two sentence was suspended. Sixty one dollars altogether has been collected in fines. Councilman Burtis said that there had been considerable illness among the members of the force last month, and suggested that the men each be given one night a month off after this.

Councilman Woolston reported that $208.74 had been spent upon streets last month as follows: Labor on Rockview avenue, $49.75; repairing Someaset street, $55; general street repairing, $75 49. The balance has been expended for general repairs. Mr. Woolston also reported that $181 of the $200 necessary had been subscribed by property holders on Summit avenue for the macadamizing of that street. Councilman MacLaughlin offered a resolution that the work be done as soon as the remaining $19 should be raised. This awoke quite a discussion among the members, some of whom were not sure about the financial condition of the borough, and hesitated about spending the money, but when Mayor Wilson offered to advance what was needed, if necessary, the resolution was passed.

Upon this Councilman Rogers offered a resolution that the chairman of each committee prepare an estimate of the amount of money needed for the balance of the fiscal year, so that the Council could fully understand its financial condition. This, too, was also passed. The committee on taxation had no report to offer.

During an interval in the meeting Mayor Wilson described a visit to Easton last Wednesday, in which he inspected the streets there which are paved with vitrified brick, and told what a satisfactory road-bed they made. The Mayor merely threw the facts out as a suggestion, which may be acted upon at some future time.

The financial report is as follows: Paid to county and State, $2,174.48. Cash balance, $239.95. Total balance, $2,414.43. Since the last report $185.11 has been collected from the following sources: Bertha Saunders, $18.23; T. B. Brooks, $48.02; estate E. R. Pope, $27.75; Walter McGee, $15.76; F. A. Potts, $19.35. Taxes to the amount of $8,750.70 have been collected. Total amount collected, $12,892 17; disbursements, $3,430.31; balance, $9,461.86.

In a Precarious Condition.

Edward Mundy, the farmer from Metuchen, who was injured the other day at Washingtonville, by a runaway team of horses, passed a poor night at the hosital and today his condition is worse. Chances for his ultimate recovery are slight.

HIGH SCHOOL HONORS.

OLD CUSTOM REVIVED AT THE PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

All Pupils With "Good" or "Excellent" in All Their Studies Are Awarded Special Mention—Roll Read Every Two Months.

After an absence of many years the roll of honor has been revived at the Plainfield High School. Last year Principal Ira W. Travell started an honor roll in attendance which was read every two months. The list contained the names of those who had not been absent any day during that time. This year that plan has been continued, but Principal Travell has added a real roll of honor in scholarship after the method in use ten years ago.

On the roll of honor are placed the names of all the pupils who have had a standing of "good" or better in every subject. According to the method of marking in vogue at the High School at present, E or "excellent" is the highest; G or "good" is next; then comes F, "fair," P, "poor," and V P, "very poor." "Fair" is the standard of promotion.

Principal Travell has now announced the scholarship roll of honor for the month of September and October and a list of the meritorious ones has been posted at the High School. A new list will be announced the first of the year.

The roll of honor is as follows:

Senior Class—Henry A. Pearce, P. G.; William A. Fisher, Robert A. Pruden, Helen L. Hall, Jessie E. Saxton, Bessie M. F. Randolph and Marjorie C. Sterling.

Junior Class—Charles H. Fountain, Dora A. Bennett, Marion D. Woodcock, Edna Burr, Elizabeth E. Cutter, Pauline S. Denton, Clara G. Dunham, Mary Lock, Mary A. Ross, Mary L. Mann, Ruth P. Maxson, Iola Moore and Alice L. Morgan.

Third Class—Kizzie Eager, Ella L. Lounsbury, Lillian Maclay.

Fourth Class—Daisy M. Brouard, Marguerite VanDeventer, Fred C. Lounsbury, Edith DeLong, Lulu Fuller, Bertha Mitchell, Hollis Cubberly, Erwin B. Leland and Harold A. Nomer.

DR. WESTCOTT BEAT OF TRAMPS.

Encountered Three Suspicious Characters Loitering Around His House.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Fanwood, Fovember 5.—Dr. F. W. Westcott, the county physician, had an encounter with three tramps last evening near his home. Although alone, the doctor advanced on the enemy and beat them off without injury to himself.

When Dr. Westcott returned to his home early in the evening he noticed three suspicious characters loitering about his residence. The doctor ordered them to move on, but they refused and started for him. The beams from a neighboring electric light showed a set of brass knuckles on the hand of one of the strangers.

Dr. Westcott had a heavy package in his hand which he used to good advantage and the assaults of the tramps were beaten off and they retreated before the determined stand of Dr. Westcott. Then the doctor hurried to the house and the tramps fled. The doctor was not injured and is still on the lookout for suspicious characters.

Salvationists' Mercy Box.

One of the most prolific means of support for the rescue homes, workingmen's and women's hotels, children's homes, farm colonies, etc., instituted by the Salvation Army throughout the United States within the past few years, is the mercy box. This box is delivered free of charge to sympathizers in the work of the Army, who agree to deposit therein at least one cent a week. Anyone desiring to help the army in this way can have a box by making application to the local secretary or the officer of the army.

Crushed His Hand.

Philip DeHart, aged twenty-one years, unmarried, and living at 905 South Second street, was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock suffering with a badly crushed hand. The accident happened at the Pond Tool Works, where Mr. DeHart is employed. It was found necessary to amputate one finger, but an effort is being made to save the rest of the hand.

Champion Before the Court.

At last the case of Alfred Champion, the colored man sent to the Elizabeth jail several weeks ago by City Judge DeMeza on a charge of disorderly conduct, and who is trying to get out on habeas corpus proceedings, came up before the court at Elizabeth yesterday. William G. DeMeza represented Champion and Craig A. Marsh the city. The decision was reserved until Wednesday.

—John Cator will lead the W. C. T. U. meeting tonight.

ELECTION DAY GAME.

CANDIDATES FOR THE FOOTBALL TEAMS THAT PLAY TUESDAY.

The San Remo Eleven Will Bring Twenty Players With Them for the Game—The Probable Makeup of the Local Team.

The fact that there is to be at least one good football game in Plainfield this fall has rejoiced the hearts of the football enthusiasts. Much interest has been shown throughout the city in the game that is to be played on Martine field, Tuesday afternoon, between the Plainfield team and the San Remos of the New York Athletic Club.

The San Remo eleven is by no means unknown to this city, having played here three times during the last two years. One game was won by the Plainfield players, the San Remo team won one victory and the other game was a tie. The game election day will be the deciding one and the final result is awaited with much interest.

Plainfield will be represented by a strong team. There are a number of excellent candidates to whom the choice has now narrowed and the snowing in the practice this afternoon and Monday night will decide the final makeup of the eleven. The candidates for the end positions are Fletcher Hallock, last year's tackle, Edgar I. Serrell, an end last season, Carey, recently of the Orange Athletic Club, and Volney F. Green, of the Naval Reserves.

Dr. William Sheldesker, of Columbia P. and S., comes with a bright record from the DuQuesne A. C. He and Nathan E. Lewis, of the Steven Institute team, are the principal candidates for tackle. "Shorty" Milne and Ed Brown will be the guards and Thomas A. Cuming centre.

Between Louis Darling, Roy T. Phillips and Roger Erickson lays the choice of quarter back. Darling will probably open the game there. George Cathcart, Thomas U. Smith and Edgar I. Serrell are all excellent half backs and will do their share of the work. Henry L. McGee will play full back unless he meets with some hard luck when Darling would probably drop back.

There will be twenty players for the San Remo team that will come to Plainfield Tuesday. Four good men will be prepared to play end, Mitchell and Smith of last year's team, Millen, of the Barnard School eleven and Hunt from the Montclair A. C. Zimm, W. Carr, L. Carr and Stean, all of last year's San Remo team, will try for tackle. Arnold and O'Donnell, the regular guards, will be reinforced by Westerfield, of the Crescents, of Harlem. Morris and Gilham, of last year's team, will be ready to play centre.

Little Casanova will be back at quarter with Fulton, of St. Paul's School, as sub. Luders is the only old player among the other backs. The other candidates are Huntington, of Berkeley School; Gillam, of Packard's Business College; Wards, from the Yonkers A. C., and Russell, a Trinity School player.

SHOT TWO DEER.

Plainfielder's Successful Hunting Trip in the Adirondacks.

Samuel H. Edwards, of LaGrande avenue, returned yesterday after a two weeks' vacation spent in the Adirondack woods. He was accompanied by a friend and two guides and they spent most of their time hunting deer. According to the game laws of New York State, each hunter is allowed only two deer a season. When they came out of the woods, they brought four together, the limit allowed by law. Two of them fell before Mr. Edwards' rifle. One of these, Mr. Edwards sent to the Lunch Club, of the Tide Water Oil Company, at Bayonne, the members of which will now enjoy venison for several days.

Wants the Road Macadamized.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 5—The Union County Board of Freeholders will on November 10th, go as a committee of the whole to New Providence to inspect the South street road, which runs from New Providence to the Morris county line, a distance of three miles. Freeholder Wahl, of New Providence, wants to have the road macadamized. It is at present a dirt road and the cost of macadamizing will be from $7,500 to $8,000.

Colored Republicans to Meet.

The colored Republicans of the city will hold a mass meeting in the colored Knights of Pythias Hall on West Front street this evening. There will be local speakers to address the meeting.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

—The fourth annual grand masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club, of this city, will be held in the Crescent Rink the eve of Thanksgiving, Nov. 23d.

DEMOCRATIC GOSPEL HEARD LAST NIGHT.

A Good Sized Crowd Gathered in Reform Hall.

APPEAL TO COLORED VOTERS

COL. WILLIAM MURRELL ARRAIGNED THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

Former Senator Marsh Discussed the Issues of the Campaign—County and Congressional Candidates Were Heard—Murrell Was Emphatic if Not Graceful—James E. Martine's Enthusiastic Talk.

Last evening in Reform Hall the Democrats held a mass meeting that was enthusiastic and largely attended. The local candidates were present and received a hearty welcome from all. During several of the speeches wargraph pictures were displayed on a canvass and this seemed to please the audience.

The meeting was called to order by James E. Martine, and John M. Hillman was selected as chairman. The following vice-presidents and secretaries were chosen:

Vice-presidents—Walter L. Hetfield, John Rafferty, W. A. Coddington, W. J. Gleak, Louis Peterson, W. K. McClure, Leonard Spangenberg, Isaac P. Brown, Jr., D. C. Ivins, James Clark, Frank Bacon, A. H. Atterbury, E. H. Birmingham, M. R. Flynn, George O. Stevens, James Scott, V. L. Frazee, J. H. McVey, Isaac M. Fields and Charles DeGraw.

Secretaries—P. J. Reville, Michael DeCourcy, Leonard Somerset and Frank S. Voeseller.

The first speaker of the evening was Ex-Prosecutor Fred C. Marsh, of Elizabeth. He gave a rousing speech along the lines of Democracy. He stated that he had nailed the lie circulated by Republicans that Mr. Crane, the nominee for Governor on the Democratic ticket, had ever introduced a bill in the Legislature lowering the age of consent, or that he ever voted for such a bill. On the contrary he was instrumental in raising the age. He also stated that he had been able to secure a denial of the lie in the Elizabeth Journal. Mr. Marsh spoke of the true worth of Mr. Crane, regarding the great services he had given the State, and how he was selected as a candidate without a dissenting vote at the convention.

Mr. Marsh then went on and spoke individually concerning Assembly nominees Scudder, Capt. Collins, Higgins; George Ford, the nominee for State Senator, and Col. Snyder, the nominee for Congress. He spoke of them all as being typical Democrats, and worthy of the support of every Democrat and Republican in New Jersey, and if elected they would cast nothing but Democratic votes. He claimed that the nominees deserved the whole and hearty support of the Democrats and he felt sure that they would receive it next Tuesday. He decried the fact that the Republicans want to make people believe that the late war was a Republican victory. He spoke about the extravagance of the Republicans, and of their mistakes in ballot reform, which compelled an American citizen to go before a notary public and pay him fifty cents to secure a certificate telling him that he was one. Mr. Marsh's remarks were pointed and well received by all.

The next speaker was George Ford, of Elizabeth, the nominee for State Senator. He made a few remarks in which he stated that if he should be elected he would do the best for the State and the people he represented. This speaker was followed by F. T. Higgins, of Linden, a candidate for the Assembly; also Mulford Scudder, of Westfield, and Capt. Collins, of Elizabeth, candidates for the Assemblyn. The first two made brief remarks thanking those present for the flattering reception and hoping that a large vote for the Democratic ticket would be polled next Tuesday.

Capt. Collins talked more at length and stirred the enthusiasm of the crowd. He stated that he felt sure that next Tuesday a large Democratic majority would be given. In speaking about the recent war he said that nearly every volunteer from Plainfield in his company was a Democrat and they were among the best soldiers in the company.

The next speaker was followed by Col. Snyder, of Orange, who created a favorable impression. He said that he brought good news to Plainfield from all parts of the State, and he was confident that on next Tuesday there would be a sweeping Democratic victory. "When elected," Mr. Snyder, said, "I will come among you and learn your wishes about what you want done in Congress. In case there are any appointments to be made I will come to you and ask you who you want appointed, then the majority will rule."

The next speaker was Col. Murrell, of Asbury Park, a colored veteran of the late war, and a man of some prominence among his people. He spoke somewhat as follows:

"I have stumped this State for fifteen years for Republicans, but I am now in the Democratic party. The newspapers have blackguarded most shamefully the colored people, and let the white man go when he changes his vote. I will show you that the Democratic party is truer to the colored folks than the Republican.

"I have been all over the State, from Cape May to Bergen. The Republican party today is not what it was thirty years ago. You want to learn both sides of the question, then you will know how to vote intelligently next Tuesday I am no liar, but why are the Republicans keeping my people away from this hall tonight with a glass of beer and a sandwich. Why not let them come here for awhile and listen to me.

"The Governor arraigned me for stating that he would not call colored troops in the recent war, and that I would not be found in the front ranks. In reply I would say that during the late war I served three years and four months, and anyone can read my pension papers which says that I draw my pension for gunshot and bayonet wounds, and no chronic diseases. Last March I offered my services to the country, and Secretary Alger replied that the wounds I received in the late war incapacitated me for service on the field. I have a son who is serving proudly the State of New Jersey in Company D, Tenth Cavalry, that saved the gallant Rough Riders at San Juan, and he was there without the thanks of Governor Voorhees.

"I want you to understand that I am not receiving one dime for my services. I am giving my work without promise or reward. On the Democratic side they don't sidetrack the negro like the Republicans do.

"Two words of the truth from my lips would damn a certain colored leader in this city with the Republicans and Democrats. He asked me to spare him and I will. Tonight he is at the other end of the town with the 'gang'. He wants to go slow."

Following Col. Murrell, James E. Martine, of this city, was called upon and he spoke at some length. Mr. Martine was received with hearty applause. He stated that he had nothing to say against Mr. Voorhees, but on the contrary considered him a friend. He rehearsed the acts concerning the race-tracks and its accomplices among whom were many Republicans, and he spoke strongly against the extravagance of the Republican party. Regarding the charge of extravagance made by the Republicans, Mr. Martine cited one instance concerning the flagpole on the capitol at Trenton, which the Republicans claimed to be extravagance at a cost of $135, when it could have been purchased for $100. "I wonder," said Mr. Martine, "if there is not something wrong about our $150 flagpole in this city."

Mr. Martine devoted some time to remarks about Congressman Fowler, as to how he had published a book entitled "The Needs of the Government," and how he was imported to New Jersey by the Standard Oil Works, a monopoly. He stated that Mr. Fowler had been identified with farm mortgage loans, which later became a wreck. This is the man, Mr. Martine said, who is such an authority on finance and who seeks your suffrage!

The last speaker was William Davis, colored, of Trenton, who told in a few word how the colored people of New Jersey are going to vote the Democratic ticket next Tuesday.

Programme for Reception.

At the annual reception Thursday evening to be tendered the Park Avenue Baptist church and congregation, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson will be assisted by Mrs. Udele Smith, of the Women's String Orchestra, of New York, accompanied by Mrs. Chas. Lewis; Miss Rita Pond, elocutionist; Mrs. H. E. Rider, soprano, and Mrs. Harry Johnson, solo pianist. Rev. Dr. Robert Lowry will speak on "The Pastor and These Times," and Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes on "The Church and These times."

A Little Heroine.

Miss Kittie Albert, of East Fourth street, proved herself quite a heroine yesterday afternoon in rescuing a four-year-old child from instant death. The little tot lives on East Third street just over the track. The child got out of the house and crawling upon the railroad track was walking directly in front of a locomotive when Miss Albert ran out and carried the tot off just before the engine reached the spot.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

HIS STORY A SILLY ONE.

ALLEGED BICYCLE THIEF HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

William Gray Arraigned Before Judge Nash—Received But $10 a Month But Said He Paid $70 for the Bicycle

William Gray, alias William Broadsdale, who is accused of stealing Frank Dencklau's bicycle, two weeks ago, was brought here from New Brunswick yesterday and given a hearing before Justice Nash Gray denied stealing the wheel, but was held to await the action of the Grand Jury.

One night about two weeks ago Dencklau's Eldridge bicycle was left standing outside of Hall's pharmacy on Watchung avenue. When Dencklau went after it later in the evening it was gone. Dencklau reported the matter to the police and a few days afterwards a man riding a wheel answering to the description of the one Dencklau owned was arrested in New Brunswick upon suspicion and given ten days in the county jail under a charge of disorderly conduct to hold him until the case could be investigated. The man gave his name as William Gray, and said that he lived with a farmer near Metuchen.

The New Brunswick police telephoned here to Chief Grant and the Chief and Dencklau went to New Brunswick the next day where Dencklau identified the wheel as his. So when Gray had served his time in New Brunswick he was re-arrested and brought here.

He told a silly story yesterday afternoon when arraigned before Justice Nash. He claimed that he had paid a colored man in Metuchen $70 for the bicycle. He said that he only made $10 a month, yet could afford to pay that fabulous price for the wheel. Gray was an intelligent looking fellow, young, and it surprised the court very much to hear him tangle himself up so in absurd statements.

MARIA TERESA SUNK.

Former Spanish Cruiser Went to the Bottom Near the Bahama Islands.

(Special from the Union Associated Press.)

Charleston, Nov. 5th, 1:40 p. m.—The former Spanish cruiser, Maria Teresa, was sunk off the Bahama Islands Tuesday. The crew aboard of her was saved by the tug accompanying the cruiser.

The Marie Teresa was proceeding under her own steam to Norfolk for repairs after being raised at Santiago harbor. Nothing could be done to save the ship. The cause of her loss has not yet been ascertained.

MAN MORTALLY SHOT.

Victim's Comrades Bind Shooter and Detain Him Over Night Until Arrested.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Somerville, November 5.—Luigi Minichella was taken to the county jail from Bernardsville yesterday afternoon by Constable Totten. The prisoner's wrists and ankles still showed the welts made by the ropes with which he had been kept bound all night, and he was glad to escape with his life from his fellow countrymen, who live in a shanty in Hub Hollow while working upon a dam for a lake in that neighborhood.

Vincenzo Airesto and another Italian quarrelled Thursday night near the shanty in which they live. Minichella interfered, and was hit with a club. That angered him so that he drew a revolver and fired five shots at Airesto, one bullet piercing his wrist and the other entering his left side and lodging in his lung. Dr. Farrow says the man cannot recover.

Comrades of Airesto seized Minichella and tied him with ropes hand and foot and yesterday morning Prosecutor Dungan was informed. He sent Totten to investigate, and he found Minichella tied up in the shanty.

Case was Dismissed.

The assault and battery case of Johan Lawrence against "Tony" Marra, both Italians, came up before Justice Mattison yesterday evening, and on account of an insufficient amount of evidence the case was thrown out. What little evidence was produced was very conflicting and Justice Mattison could not hold the defendant for the Grand Jury.

New Members Elected.

At the meeting of Columbia Lodge A. O. U. W., last night the following four new members were received: John G. Bicknell, William Clawson, George Giddis and Charles E. Codingling.

Lost Two Fingers.

George McGinnis, of Somerset street, lost two fingers in the circular saw at McCullough's steam mill on Steiner place, Thursday.

PASSED AWAY WITH END OF CENTURY.

Mrs. M. Margaretta Cock Died in Her 97th Year.

LIFE ONE OF GOOD DEEDS.

TOOK AN ACTIVE PART IN CHURCH AND CHARITABLE WORK.

Witnessed the Great Progress of Civilization in the 19th Century—Wife of a Leading New York Physician—Removed to Plainfield at His Death and Has Made it Her Home Since.

After nearly completing a century of life, Mrs. M. Margaretta Cock, one of the oldest parishioners of Grace P. E church, passed away quietly last evening at her home on East Fifth street surrounded by her children. It was an eventful life that was ended and one that was filled with good and loving deeds, the activity in which was only lessened by her old age.

Mrs. Cock was born September 12th, 1802, at Lancaster, Pa. She was the daughter of William Riehle, of Philadelphia. In 1836 she was married to Thomas Cock, M. D., then one of the distinguished physicians of New York city. They resided in New York, where Mrs. Cock was one of the patronesses of the Marion Street Lying-in Asylum and also prominently associated in the Society for the Relief of Indigent Widows with Small Children, then one of the most important charities in New York.

Dr. Cock died in 1869, and in the spring of 1871 Mrs. Cock removed to this city where she has resided ever since. In Plainfield she joined the Grace P. E. church and soon became one of the most active workers in the parish. She was for a number of years president of the Parish Aid Society. One of the efforts of that organization resulted in the purchase of the present organ now used in the church.

Mrs. Cock's health gradually declined and her activity became lessened. She has been confined to her room for nearly eleven years up to the time of her death. Although one of the oldest parishoners of the church, Mrs. Cock never set foot in side of the new edifice. She was, nevertheless, greatly interested in the work.

Mrs. Cock witnessed the wonderful growth of civilization during the nineteenth century. Her first visit to New York was made when she was a young woman on a stage coach before the time of the steamboat or locomotive. She afterward traveled over the same country on a fast express. Before her ill health confined her to her home, she saw the telephone in practical use and conversed over it.

Mrs. Cock has been growing weaker and weaker during the last few weeks and it was known that her end was at hand. Dr. Endicott attended her.

There was no pain and yesterday morning she fell into a deep sleep from which she never awakened. At 7:25 o'clock she passed quietly away. Besides the family, Mrs. William Taylor, formerly of Plainfield, and now of Philadelphia, was present at the last. She was a very dear friend.

Mrs. Cock leaves a daughter, Miss Elizabeth R. Cock, and a son, William R. Cock, with whom she has long resided at 235 East Fifth street. She was in her ninety-seventh year.

The funeral services will be held from Grace P. E. church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

COUNTY BOULEVARD PLANS.

County Detective Has Completed the Work of Securing Consents.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 5.—County Detective Keron, who was appointed by the Board of Freeholders as a special agent to secure options from property owners on the north side of Westfield avenue, from the Elizabeth city line to the township line of Cranford, has completed his labors, and on November 17th will be ready to make his report to the Board.

Mr. Keron inspected eighty-five pieces of property, all there is on the north side of the avenue, and obtained from the owners a statement of the amounts they wanted for the forty feet of their land that the county needs for the construction of that portion of the county boulevard from Elizabeth to Cranford.

The special committee of the Board of Freeholders having the boulevard scheme under consideration was not ready to report yesterday at the meeting of the Board, but will do so on November 17th.

Wheel Was Not Stolen.

Reginald Chandor, whose wheel was supposed to have been stolen, has come to light. The bike was found in the young man's yard covered with leaves and was not stolen.

If there is a history of weak lungs in your family, take Scott's Emulsion.

It nourishes and invigorates.

It enables you to resist the disease. Even if your lungs are already affected, and if besides the cough you have fever and emaciation, there is still a strong probability of a cure.

The oil in the Emulsion feeds; the hypophosphites give power to the nerves; and the glycerine soothes and heals.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
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DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

Neither the Volume of Business Nor the Value of Manufacture Shows Any Decline

New York, Nov. 5.—Not even the election has disturbed business nor industries on the financial side this week. Although many are doubtless waiting for the votes before borrowing, the volume of business through clearing houses is 8.5 per cent. larger than last year and 1.54 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Neither the volume of business nor the value of manufactured products diminishes. While Bessemer pig is sold against the combination at Pittsburg ten cents lower, with other iron there and elsewhere steady, the general demand crowds on the heels of production.

After seven weeks of strike, the Brockton lasters are asking work on the old terms, having failed to dictate to the machine companies, but new hands are so numerous that shipments from that point have been 52,700 cases against 55,875 last year, during six weeks of the strike. From Boston the shipments have been for five weeks larger than ever before.

Wool holders at Boston have discovered the falsity of reports which they have long believed about the available stocks in this country, and have begun selling largely at concessions said to be "several cents" per pound. The week's sales at the three chief markets were 10,797,400 pounds, against 9,957,902 last year, and 18,561,600 in 1896, but only 8,215,000 in 1892.

Cotton is again at the lowest point ever known, 5.31 cents for spot, while Mr. Neill estimates a crop of 11,500,000 bales, besides large stocks bought over here and abroad. There is nothing to indicate that the foreign demand will be greatly reduced compared with last year, nor will the home demand as a whole, although northern manufacturers may be obliged to curtail production owing to competition at the South. Wheat exports continue very large, amounting to 4,699,576 bushels from Atlantic ports, flour included, against 3,287,536 last year, and 1,029,838 from Pacific ports, against 1,592,252 last year, but the heavy exports have been much more than matched by western receipts of 9,490,092 bushels, against 7,600,993 last year, and prices have not changed materially.

Corn goes abroad largely, 3,011,085 bushels during the week, against 1,812,943 last year, and prices are well held.

Railroad earnings in October thus far reported have been 5.8 per cent. larger than last year and 6.1 per cent. larger than in 1892, notwithstanding the general complaint of cutting of rates, and the returns are on the whole the best of the year thus far.

While domestic exports from New York for four weeks past have been 29 per cent. larger than last year in value, for four weeks past, imports have been also somewhat larger, but the difference indicates another enormous balance in favor of this country, not at present covered by specie movement or by exchange loans, which are growing very heavy.

The country is so largely a creditor that as yet it does not know its own power.

Failures for the week have been 194 in the United States, against 276 last year, and 28 in Canada against 30 last year.

Clyde Liner Burns at Sea.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Nov. 5.—A disaster at sea, fortunately with a small loss of life—five persons in all—was made known yesterday by the landing of 22 persons who escaped from the burning steamship Croatan of the Clyde line, bound from New York for Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown S. C.

The disaster occurred on November 1, about eighteen miles north of Cape Charles, and about 206 miles from New York, from which port the steamer sailed on October 31, with a general cargo and eight passengers.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the hulk of the big freighter sank beneath the waves, but of the 27 persons who were on board of her only 22 have survived. These persons were landed at this port yesterday afternoon by the schooner Alice E. Clark of Portland, Me., which was in the vicinity of the Croatan at the time she was burning.

Joseph Jefferson Ill.

New York, Nov. 5.—Owing to the sudden and serious illness of Joseph Jefferson, the audience in the Fifth avenue theatre was dismissed at 8.10 o'clock last night.

The illness of Mr. Jefferson is more serious than was supposed at first. He was suffering only from a cold, but his friends now fear that the cold may develop into pneumonia, which, at his time of life, would be exceedingly dangerous.

Charles B. Jefferson, the actor's son, took a hopeful view of the case last night, and said that there was great hope of his father's recovery.

During his engagement at the Fifth avenue theatre Mr. Jefferson has been a guest of the Halland house. In that hotel at midnight it was said that the actor's condition was bad, but no bulletin was issued by his physician.

NO RUPTURE AT PARIS

Yet Spain Refuses to Give Up the Philippines.

OUR GOVERNMENT IS CALM

Discussion of the Question by the Commissioners in Joint Session To-day. An Adjournment Until Next Thursday. No Ultimatum to Be Presented.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The two peace commissions met at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Americans were aware before the session opened that the Spaniards would decline their proposal made last Monday to take the entire Philippine archipelago, and pay the debts actually incurred by Spain for the benefit of the islands.

The joint session lasted two hours. The Spaniards, as expected, refused the American proposition, but the negotiations were not broken off.

While it is believed that no formal counter proposition was made, there was a discussion of the Philippine question outside the lines of the American proposals. The commission then adjourned until next Tuesday.

A statement was printed here with much display yesterday morning to the effect that at yesterday's joint session of the peace commissions the Americans were to insist upon a complete surrender of Spain's sovereignty over the Philippine islands, and that in the event of the Spanish commissioners refusing to agree to this, Judge Day, the president of the American commission, acting under instructions from Washington, was to present an ultimatum to the Spaniards.

It was further alleged that thos seeming haste is due to a desire to settle the negotiations before the election in the United States takes place.

Reference is made to these allegations in view of the fact that they may have also been circulated in the United States, although it was known here that they were untrue.

No ultimatum is contemplated. The two commissions are considering an open question, and the Americans expect patiently to weigh all the points involved and carefully to consider the arguments of the Spaniards.

The Gaulois declared that it had been informed on absolutely reliable authority that Spain would refuse to discuss the unconditional surrender of the Philippine islands.

Spain, the paper says, has made particular reserves concerning the retention of the Philippine islands, and the Spanish minister of foreign affairs, the Duke Almodovar de Rio, had, himself, at the time of signing the peace protocol, stipulated that the island of Luzon alone should remain occupied by the American troops while the peace negotiations were in progress, and that Spain would resume sovereignty over the archipelago as soon as a more liberal form of government for the islands should have been decided upon.

The Fronde says: "The claims of the United States on the Philippine islands are looked upon with disfavor at St. Petersburg. The powers might, in the case of America proving too obstinate on this point, be provoked to protest."

The Evenement says: "Your money or your life!" is the attitude taken by America in regard to Spain. The latter having no money, offers Porto Rico and the abandonment of Cuba, and thinks she has thus discharged her ransom. 'Pardon me,' answers Jonathan, 'you yet have the Philippine islands, which are only an incumbrance to you. I will relieve you of them. Why? Because, with Fontaine, I have the strongest reasons for so doing."

Madrid, Nov. 5.—The Imparcial yesterday, commenting upon the peace negotiations in Paris, says:

"If the United States had shown in the protocol their intention to keep the Philippine islands, the matter would not have taken the course it did. Spain has never considered the Philippines as lost, nor has she desired their loss. On the contrary, her intentions were shown by her facing the anger of Germany on the question of the Caroline islands. America, by her conduct, has lost her place among civilized peoples, and henceforth will only count as the most numerous and opulent of hordes."

Washington Awaits Results.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The administration is awaiting results from the peace commission with equanimity in the realization that he government is perfectly well prepared for any turn the negotiations may take. The navy, especially, is in a state of preparedness, should it come to a resumption of hostilities, far in advance of its condition at the outbreak of the war. One by one all the splendid fighting machines of the North Atlantic squadron, which had been brought north at the earliest moment, were docked, cleaned and thoroughly refitted at the New York and Norfolk navy yards.

Their ammunition supplies were replenished, and they are now, with possibly one or two exceptions, ready for instant service in almost any quarter of the globe.

Rear Admiral Dewey has taken considerable precautions in the cases of his own vessels, having dispatched them one by one to the big British docks at Hong Kong, where they have been placed in good condition.

William to Catholics.

Jerusalem, Nov. 5.—Emperor William in visiting the Hospice of St. John and replying to the directors' remark that the building stood under the shadow of the emperor, said:

"This shadow is cast by the same black and white erman shield which is stretched over the Catholics in the far east, who sacrifice their lives and shed their blood in propagating the gospel. To protect them my brother is now in those regions with the mailed power of the imperial navy."

Appointed by the President.

Washington, Nov. 5.—The president has appointed William H. Lucas collector of customs for the district of St. Johns, Florida, and William H. Allaire adjutant general, with the rank of lieutenant colonel of the militia of the District of Columbia.

RACE WAR IN THE SOUTH.

White Men Seize Halls in Newberne.

Newberne, N. C., Nov. 5.—The white men have seized the public halls and will prevent the negroes from holding mass meetings here, because at recent gatherings negro orators advised lawlessness and bloodshed if necessary on election day.

Manufacturers and farmers have begun discharging negro employes, one of the former having dropped forty from his pay roll.

The demand for guns and ammunition by the whites and negroes is heavy.

Wilmington, Nov. 5.—Everything is quiet here and there is now no reason to believe that there will be any serious trouble before, on, or after the day of election.

So far as any race conflict is concerned, the situation here has lost interest.

The Republican county convention met last night and a motion to adjourn sine die without making any nominations for county officers was adopted unanimously.

The registration book of the North Williams precinct, in Columbus county, which mysteriously disappeared a day or two ago, was produced by the fusion registrars yesterday morning.

Frank McNeil, a Democratic lawyer, sent from Wilmington, threatened immediate prosecution of the registrars if the registration book was not forthcoming.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 5.—The outlook yesterday at noon was that the election next Tuesday will be a quiet affair and that no serious disturbance will take place at the polls.

The acquittal of Captain Kitchen and others charged with intimidating a registrar is cited by Democrats as an evidence that the reports of intimidation were exaggerated.

Sailing of the Buffalo.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 5.—The departure of the cruiser Buffalo for the Philippines was the only event to disturb the customary quietness of the navy yard yesterday.

The cruiser was scheduled to sail from port at eleven o'clock, but it was nearer twelve when the big hawsers securing her to the dock were thrown off and the steel clad vessel drifted out into the middle of the East river.

For two hours previous to the time set for sailing there was quite a crowd of people on the dock.

Those composing the crowd were principally relatives of the six hundred blue jackets who comprise the crew of the Buffalo.

The loading of stores for the ships of Rear Admiral Dewey was kept up until the last moment.

Many of the sailors appeared to be sorry that they were going away and others could not coneal their delight. Farewells were waved as the ship moved away from the dock.

Chief Pilot Frank Bell took charge of the Buffalo and took her out as far as the Tompkinsville anchorage, where a Sandy Hook pilot relieved him and started the ship off on her long voyage. The Buffalo will go by way of the Suez canal.

Gould's Match Factory Idle.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 5.—Over three hundred employes of the Edwin Gould Match Manufacturing Company of Bloomfield avenue, Passaic, were loitering around the works yesterday waiting to see if the company would open the factory and yield to the demand of the one hundred and fifty women employed in packing matches, that a cut in their wages be restored.

The company cannot run off a larger quantity of matches than can be handled by the packers daily, as it fears combustion.

It has been paying these packers, who are mostly Slavs and Huns, six and one-half cents a gross.

The company notified the hands on Wednesday last that a cut was to follow of one and one-half cents on each gross.

The strike followed and the company promptly cleared the factory.

The women packers threaten trouble for any one who takes their places. The firm says that the strikers will not be taken back.

The rest of the hands cannot work unless the packers are working.

The Fourth Ohio from Porto Rico.

New York, Nov. 5.—The transport Chester came up the bay yesterday morning. She had on board the Fourth Ohio infantry, Colonel A. B. Coit commanding.

The Chester was met down the bay by the government steamer Gen. Meigs, on which the sick men, Arthur P. Bagby, Company M; George W. Hill Company G, and Forest S. Briggs, Company H, were placed. They have typhoid or malarial fever.

Besides the Fourth Ohio there were on board the Chester a paymaster's guard of twelve artillerymen and a sergeant, who left here some time in September, as guard to Major Doyen, paymaster, United States volunteers.

These soldiers belonged at Fort Hamilton and they were sent there together with the sick men.

Later in the day the Chester drew alongside the Baltimore and Ohio dock at Communipaw and discharged the regiment on to trains to go to Columbus, O.

Three Judges on Trial

Wheeling, W. Va., Nov. 5.—The spectacle of a county court, the law makand executive body of a district, being on trial after it had been indicted by citizens in mass meeting for malfeasance, is one of the novelties now attracting legal attention in West Virginia.

At Moundsville, Marshall county, the county court judges, S. R. Davis, G. F. Gray and William Giesler, are on trial in the circuit court for being lavish in expending public money.

The president of the board, Judge Davis, was the first one called to the bar.

Probably one-tenth of the voters in the county have been summoned upon the case, which is one of the most interesting ones in the history of the state's courts.

Justin McCarthy Coming Here.

London, Nov. 5.—Madame Nordica, Olga Nethersole and Justin McCarthy are among the passengers who will sail for New York today on board of the American line steamship St. Louis.

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these highly meritorious preparations have stood at the head of all hair restoratives. More than 3,000,000 bottles have been used by the American people, and thousands of testimonials bear witness to their excellence, while there were never any complaints when directions were followed.

Ask your druggist about it.

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JOINT TRAFFIC ENDS

Railroad Men Meet and Dissolve the Association.

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Recent Decision of the Supreme Court Declaring It Illegal Necessitates Its Dissolution. Committee Appointed to Settle the Accounts.

New York, Nov. 5.—Railroad presidents and chief executive officers, together with an array of railroad counsel, gathered at the Central building, at the foot of Liberty street, yesterday, to decide the fate of the Joint Traffic Association.

The association has been declared illegal, and a violation of the Sherman anti-trust law by the United States supreme court, and it was to take formal action regarding the court's decision and to decide as to the future course of the railroads that this meeting, which was that of the board of control of the association, was called by the board's chairman, Chauncey M. Depew.

Mr. Depew presided at the meeting.

More than thirty railroads were represented at the meeting by their presidents and chief executive officers.

It was the general opinion that the supreme court's decision left but one course to be taken regarding the association—the announcement of its formal dissolution.

As to the future of the railroads and what action might be taken toward continuing some general organization, there was much less definiteness. Some of the railroad officers held the opinion that increased power should be given to the existing Trunk Line Association, which in that event would become the successor association of the Joint Traffic Association, though, of course, it could not assume such work of that association as has been declared illegal by the supreme court.

Another proposition has been that a statistical and information bureau be formed by the railroads, to take over the valuable records of the Joint Traffic Association, and to become a sort of rallying point for the officers of the various companies.

In the face of the supreme court decision, however, it would appear that no association would be legal whose avowed purpose was the making of rate and traffic agreements.

While it was generally agreed that the abolishment of the Joint Traffic Association as at present constituted would be decided upon, another important result of the meeting was expected to be the reaching of an agreement by the railroads to unite in an application for congressional relief.

Chairman Chauncey M. Depew made the following statement before entering the meeting room:

"There is no question but that the Joint Traffic Association will have to dissolve, and no effort will be made to form a new association until after legislation by Congress."

Iowa Volunteers Sailed for Manila.

San Francisco, Nov. 5.—The transport Pennsylvania, with the Fifty-first regiment of Iowa volunteers on board, sailed Friday evening for Manila. The regiment numbered 1,028 officers and men and the transport is in charge of Colonel Lopers.

Since the Iowans came to San Francisco deaths and discharges have reduced the ranks of the regiment by 300 men.

The transport City of Puebla will sail for Manila to-day.

She is to carry Companies D, G, H, I and K of the First Tennessee regiment; Troop A, of the Nevada cavalry, a detachment of recruits for the Twenty-third infantry, and several hospital stewards with two acting surgeons. It may be owing to the surplus of room on the City of Puebla that her assignment may be increased by the addition of the Wyoming battery, which has only about ninety men, and is assigned to the Newport.

The sailing of the Newport has been fixed for Tuesday next.

A number of civilians will go on the Newport, including several women, among them being the wife and the daughter of Brigadier General Miller and the daughter of Major Genera Anderson.

Dinner for Lord Herschell.

New York, Nov. 5—A dinner will be given to Right Hon. Lord Herschell, late lord chancellor of Great Britain, president of the joint high commission of Great Britain and the United States for the adjustment of Canadian questions, by the Lotus Club this evening, and it promises to be one of the most brilliant entertainments of the kind ever given by the club.

Among the prominent speakers who will be present are Hon. Bourke Cockran, Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, Seth Low, Elihu Root, Joseph H. Choate and Rev. Dr. Henry van Dyke.

Gen. Renouard Removed.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The minister of war, M. De Freycinet, has signed a decree removing Genera Renouard from the head of the general staff and appointing him to the command of the Eleventh army corps at Nantes.

It is suggested that the minister's action was due to General Renouard's attitude in regard to the secret documents in the Dreyfus case.

General Brault has been appointed to succeed General Renouard.

Held Up and Robbed Near Boston.

Boston, Nov. 5.—Jackson Dawson, superintendent of the Arnold Arboretum, was knocked down and robbed by two men last evening on a lonely road in Jamaica Plain.

The robbers stole a check for $200, a gold watch and chain and a small amount of cash.

No clue to the robbers' identity has been obtained.

Eighth Now Mustered Out.

New York, Nov. 5.—The mustering out of the Eighth New York volunteers was concluded yesterday at the armory of the Eighth regiment, Ninety-fourth street and Park avenue.

Six companies, the remainder of the regiment, were on the floor at nine o'clock to be released and paid off.

DUPUY SILENT ON FASHODA.

Declaration of New French Ministry Contains No Reference to Foreign Affairs.

Paris, Nov. 5.—The declaration of the new Ministry, made in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday contained no particular reference to foreign affairs, especially to Fashoda.

The statement, after affirming the supremacy of civil power, says that the Government will make the army respected and will also assure the execution of the decrees of justice in the permanent interests of the country. The prime object of the Ministry will be to neglect nothing to conserve what the country's loyalty, strength and love of peace has won and to strengthen this situation, which a precious alliance has consecrated, in the eyes of the world.

"Our foreign policy," the statement adds, "will be inspired by the interests of the country, and the ministry will preoccupy itself to proportion its efforts to the value of the end in view. We are a cabinet of Republican union. We wish to vote a budget to secure the success of the exposition, to vote a law for the reform of the sale of drinks, and also laws for rural insurance and pensions for aged workers.

The chamber by a large majority passed a vote of confidence in the ministry.

An interpellation on Fashoda was presented in the chamber but M. Delcasse, foreign minister, refused to discuss the subject, as its debate at this time would compromise national interests.

THE SITUATION IN CHINA.

The Reactionary Spirit Said to Be in the Ascendant.

Pekin, Nov. 5.—In spite of the formal promises of the Tsung-li-Yamen, there is every indication of a concerted move of Chinese troops in the neighborhood of the capital.

t is said that Kang-yi, the high Manchu official who was next to rank to the late Prince Kung in the Kiun-ki-tehu, or council of state, has obtained great influence over the dowager empress.

He is bitterly anti-foreign and hopeessly conservative.

It is probable that Kang-yi was the suggester of the edict re-establishing the bow and arow exercise for the Chinese soldiers.

It is reported that Yuan-shek-hai the Chinese general in command of the foreign drilled troops at Tientsin, and an officer whose power is much dreaded by the dowager empress and her advisers, has received a grant of money, ostensibly for the purpose of increasing the strength of his division to thirty thousand men, "if time shows that the dowager empress can rely upon his fidelity."

It has been said that Yuan-Shek-hai might use his troops in conformity with the views of the foreign ministers at Pekin.

Mrs. Helmuth Reelected.

New York, Nov. 5.—When the delegates of the fourth annual convention of the State Federation of Women's clubs assembled at Mendelssohn hall, yesterday morning, for the fourth and last day of their session, the first topic upon which views were aired was "The Press."

There had to be some topic, for the ballots cast yesterday for Mrs. Helmuth as president were in process of counting, and were not to be reported until afternoon.

It was announced at three o'clock the election had resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Helmuth.

Vice President—Mrs. Cornelius Zabriskie of Brooklyn.

Second Vice President—Mrs. Harry Hastings.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Frank D. Church of Wellesvile.

Corresponding secretary—Miss Annie Rhodes of Staten Island.

Treasurer—Mrs. Milton Northrup of Syracuse.

The vote for president was as follows:

Mrs. Helmuth, 204; Mrs. Montgomery of Rochester, 5; Mrs. Backus of Brooklyn, 2.

London Honors Kitchener.

London, Nov. 5.—The freedom of the city and a magnificent sword of honor were conferred upon Major General Kitchener at the Guildhall yesterday.

The sword is of the finest steel damascened with gold, the hilt bearing the Sirdar's monogram in diamonds, rubies and sapphires.

A great crowd lined the route of the Sirdar's journey to the Guildhall.

He was in full uniform and rode in an open carriage with three of his officers.

The crowd greeted General Kitchener with repeated cheers, which he acknowledged by bowing.

Small-pox in Holguin.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 5.—Captain R. S. Woodson, the medical officer who accompanied Colonel Hood to Gibara, has returned to Santiago and made a verbal report to General Wood in regard to the smallpox epidemic in the Holguin district.

He said that it was impossible to exaggerate the situation. There are more than five thousand cases in the district and half of the town of Gibara is infected.

News from Australia.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 5.—The steamer Arorangi, which arrived yesterday from Australia, via Honolulu, brings news of a large fire at Sydney, October 8, in which was destroyed twenty large mills.

Drought has played havoc with the Australian wheat fields. The commissioner of agriculture says there will not be enough wheat for the local demand.

10 to 6 on Pennsylvania.

Cambridge, Nov. 5.—There has been little betting on the result of the football game so far. A pool of one thousand dollars of Pennsylvania money was laid here last night against $600 on Harvard. At present that is about the prevailing odds.

Powers Occupy Canea.

The administrative offices are all occupied by foreigners except the Turkish post office and telegraph office, which remains provisionally under Ottoman control. The christians and Mussulmans are friendly.

GERMANY AND TURKEY

Emperor William's Compact with the Sultan.

a RIVAL ENGLISH SCHEME

A Guarantee of Protection in Return for Valuable Commercial Advantages. A Railroad to the Persian Gulf. Check to a Russian Advance Through Erzerum.

London, Nov. 5.—Information from a high official source here suggests that the German emperor and the sultan have come to an understanding of the highest importance.

The belief is that the kaiser has promised the sultan protection and to insure the maintenance of the Turkish empire's integrity, in return for exceptional German commercial and industrial privileges in Asia Minor.

German instructors having shown in the Greco-Turkish war what they could do for the Turkish army, German traders and capitalists now will be given full opportunity to show what they can do for Turkish commerce.

Permission has been granted to the Austolian Company to extend the Skurbekir and Bagdadt othe Persian gulf. tari-Angora-Kouieh line through Dia- This has great strategic value to Turkey, seeing that these places are in the district of the Sixth corps of the Turkish army, while this union of the sea of Marmora with the Persian gulf, with the erection of a fort at Haidar Pasha, gives an immense impetus to German commercial influence, and, in the opinion of the sultan, constitutes an effectual check to any advance of Russia from Erzerum.

Moreover, with the completion of the contemplated changes, Smyrna and Skutari in Asia Minor and Alexandretta, Beirut, Haida, Akka and Yafa, in Palestine, will be within the radius of an efficient loop line service, which will furnish more important markets with connecting transit.

Asiatic Turkey comes within the zone of German influence by the power of these contracts. It is also noteworthy that an English syndicate is employing Count Kaprist, brother of the Russian ambassador at Vienna, to negotiate for rights to connect Tripoli, via Syria and Mesopotamia, and the valley of the Euphrates, with the Persian gulf.

British Naval Activity.

London, Nov. 5.—The Central News says there is reason to believe that the admiralty will shortly organize a formidable cruiser division as an emergency fleet.

The work of getting the ships ready, in fact, has already been started.

A dispatch to the Central News from Paris says that the evacuation of Fashoda is assured. The Ministry has been largely influenced in taking this course by the pressure of representations from various towns which memorilizes the Government in favor of peace. The tone of the newspapers is now less pessimestic.

The French and Russian Ambassadors caled at the Foreign Office this afternoon and conferred with Lord Salisbury.

Prior to these conferences, Mr. Gochen, First Lord of the Admirality, had an extended interview with the Premier.

To Reform New Possesions.

Washington, Nov. 5.—A call has been issued for a National Christian citizenship convention, to be held here December 3 to 15, to discuss whether suffrage should be limited by educational tests in the new island territories, or civil service reform be extended there. They will discuss, also, if the national laws forbidding prize fights and bull fights, restricting divorce and forbidding bigamy and related evils, and the American civil Sabbath should be extended to these islands.

The call is signed by Josiah Strong, president of the Society for Social Service, New York; Anthony Comstock, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Vice, New York; Mrs. Mary H. Hunt, W. C. T. U., Boston, and Mrs. M. D. Ellis, W. C. T. U., of Newark.

Pensions for Ex-Confederates.

Dallas, Texas, Nov. 5.—The constitutional amendment voted on last Tuesday, authorizing the pensioning of ex-Confederate soldiers, was adopted, though the full returns are not yet in.

It provided that all ex-Confederates who settled in Texas prior to 8880 are eligible to pensions, but no one shall receive more than eight dollars per month, and the annual appropriation for pensions shall not exceed the sum of $250,000.

Secretary of State Madden estimates that there are forty-eight thousand ex-Confederates in the state, a majority of whom have settled in the state since 1880, and are, therefore, not eligible. A majority of the ex-Confederates voted against the amendment. The negroes also voted against it.

Distress of the Cuban Army.

Washington, Nov. 5.—A letter from Lieutenant Colonel Carbonne of the Cuban army, now at Havana, has been received by Secretary Quesada of the Cuban delegation here, who has laid it before Secretary Alger, with an urgent request that steps be taken to relieve the extreme distress it sets forth.

Lieutenant Colonel Carbonne is regarded as the representative at Havana of the Cuban leaders and forces in the field.

Secretary Alger said that he would look into the matter and would telegraph the commission at Havana such instructions as were appropriate to the case.

Mr. Platt's Bank to Resume.

Washington, Nov. 5.—Comptroller of the Currency Dawes has authorized the Tioga National Bank to resume business.

This was the result of a long conference between Senator Platt, the president of the bank, his son Frank Platt, and Comptroller Dawes.

The latter was shown that by the investigation of the bank examiner the bank was not affected by the defalcation of the cashier, and so permission was given for it to resume.

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NOMINATIONS.

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.
For Governor, Elvin W. Crane, of Essex county.	For Governor, Foster M. Voorhees, of Union county.
For Congress, Eighth District, Edward H. Snyder, of Essex county.	For Congress, Eighth District, Charles N. Fowler, of Union county.
Third District, Patrick J. Convery, of Middlesex county.	Third District, Benj. F. Howell, of Middlesex county.
Union county. For Senator, George A. Ford, of Elizabeth.	Union county. For Senator, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth.
For Assembly, D. C. Collins, of Elizabeth.	For Assembly, George A. Squire, of Elizabeth.
Mulford Scudder, of Westfield.	Robert G. Houston, of Elizabeth.
F. T. Higgins, of Linden.	Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield.
Somerset county, For Assemblyman, Samuel S. Childs, of Bernards.	Somerset county. For Assemblyman, E. E. Cooper, of Warren.
For Sheriff, Selah Schoonmaker, of Hillsborough.	For Sheriff, P. V. VanDoren, of Hillsboro.

COMING EVENTS.

November 6—Rev. G. W. Gardner will addeess the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m. Capt. Thompson, of the Salvation Army Headquarters, New York city, is expected to sing.

November 6—Harry Gee will speak to boys at the Y. M. C. A at 4:15 p. m.

November 7—Union Bible class will be addressed by Rev. D. M. Stearns at Y. M. C. Hall in the evening. Free to all.

The Country is Safe.

Tonight practically ends of the campaign in New Jersey, one of the most aggressive on the part of both the Democrats and the Republicans that has been witnessed in some years. While both sides are indulging in exhaustive claims of probable victory there can be no certainty either one way or the other until the votes are cast.

Personalities have crept into the campaign arguments in many sections of the State—happily, this particular section is free from them—but in a general way the issues have been fought out with the strongest arguments that both sides could get together to impress and convince voters to whom they are appealing. While the Democrats have confined most of their arguments to State affairs, only now and then devoting criticism of the treatment of the soldiers by the McKinley administration, the Republicans on the other hand have indulged copiously in National issues, though not neglecting New Jersey affairs in the light of what the Republicans have done and what they think the Democrats will do if elevated to office next Tuesday.

In the heat of political talk many things are said and done detremental to political candidates, but taken in calm consideration both the Republicans and Democrats have nominated exceptionally good tickets this year. Political orators and campaign literature predict dire results no matter who wins, but, of course, we all know that after election the American flag will float as proudly as ever, the American eagle will screech with its old time vigor and the country will continue to be the most glorious in the land.

A number of citizens of Cranford, who have banded themselves under an organization known as the Union County League, will make a stand against the county trolley project in the Supreme Court next Monday morning, when application will be made for the issuing of a writ of certiorari to prevent the consummation of the plan. The arguments will be made by R. V. Lindabury. The Cranford Chronicle saucily terms the Board of Freeholders "Bergen's."

Dr. O. L. Jenkins, who is now serving his second term as a member of the School Board, will be a candidate for re-election this year. Mr. Jenkins has served his constituents in a faithful manner and they have no doubt appreciated his services.

CAPTAIN D. C. COLLINS, Candidate for Assembly.

The Bound Brook State Centre is making especially efforts for the Democratic success in North Plainfield. This week they issue a special North Plainfield edition, in which they make particular appeal to borough voters.

The man who selected the wargraph pictures at the Democratic meeting in Reform Hall last night ought to have been fired out bodily for the indiscretion he exhibited in some of the pictures thrown on the screen.

A truthful sage was he who said that the man who pays as he goes, seldom goes fast enough to overheat himself.

After next Tuesday the only men who will admit that they are in politics will be the ones elected to office.

It is said that labor is a good cure for melancholy. We seldom hear of a laborer traveling the suicide route.

The best sort of a politician at this juncture in the campaign is the man who keeps his temper.

But one more working day before the votes are cast.

Who is going up Salt River?

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Bert Moore, of Grove street, has accepted a position in New York.

Garfield Pike, of East Front street, has accepted a position in New York.

Miss Elizabeth VanCleef, of Bordentown, is visiting Plainfield relatives.

Miss Emma Wadsworth, of New York is spending several days with Plainfield friends.

Miss Etta Acker, of Washingtonville, returns today after visiting friends in Elizabeth.

Miss Nancy Lawson, of Salem, Mass., formerly of Plainfield, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

Patrolman Morris Higgins, who has been ill, is now getting well. He was threatened with intermittent fever.

Patrolman Totten is doing duty in the business part of the town while Patrolman Higgins is on the sick list.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of New York, has been spending the week with Miss Evelyn Lewis, of West Seventh street.

George Wills, of LaGrande avenue, who was brought home ill from Jacksonville, Fla., a week ago, is now improving.

Miss Martha Tracy, of West Eighth street, is entertaining college friends, Miss Williams and Miss Wood, of Philadelphia.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front street, will spend the Sabbath at the home of her cousin, F. Carter Hegeman, Somerville.

Walter S. Arthur and bride, formerly of this city, have returned from their honeymoon and have taken up their residence in Elizabeth.

The family inform the public that the condition of J. W. Yates is today slightly improved. He is now able to take slight nourishment, and is partially conscious.

Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector of Grace Episcopal church, was one of the clergymen who took part Thursday in the consecration service of the new Episcopal church, St. Bernards, at Bernardsville.

—The Board of Health report that there is not a case of contagious disease in the city.

—John R. Leland, of West Second street, lost a valuable horse last night through the colic.

—The item appearing in the News last evening that the G. A. R. is to take part in a political meeting in the borough this evening, is untrue. The rules and regulations of the G. A. R. are such that the comrades are pledged not to mix in politics.

ROGER F. MURRAY. Candidate for Assembly.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"Where is Benson?" will be fully explained tonight at Stillman Music Hall when the celebrated company of New York players appear in the comedy of that name. As before noted it is said to be one of the funniest and best fake comedies ever presented to the public and far ahead of the famous "My Friend from India" which had such a long run in New York. "Where is Benson?" is likewise booked for a long run and by the same company that will appear here tonight. Wherever the play has been performed it has been highly praised and in its present state of perfectness cannot fail to please.

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As a dramatization, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer's latest offering to the stage, which will be seen here for the first time in Music Hall Monday night, is, without doubt, one of the most successful plays produced during the past two seasons, and as a pecuniary success it has scarcely an equal. That it will remain so for an indefinite time to come nobody, conversant with affairs theatrical, doubts. It was first produced in New York two years ago and was a success from the start. The company which comes here is of picked excellence and comprises twenty players, the Boston Verdi Ladies' Quartette and the Acme Male Quartette. The scenery and electrical effects are unusually fine, and are the same as used in the original production in New York.

—Captain Thomas, from the Salvation Army headquarters, will sing Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. meeting.

—The few contagious disease cases in the borough at present are all improving and no new cases have been reported.

—The Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the First Baptist church last evening was largely attended and full of interest.

Patrolman Watson was off duty last evening on account of illness.

You are making a great mistake in not sending for a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm. It is a specific for catarrh and cold in the head. We mail it, or the 50 cent size. Druggists all keep it. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York.

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Pears' Unscented Soap - 11c cake
Packer's Tar Soap - 15c cake
Cuticura Soap - 20c cake

Down Stairs.

Dorflinger's best flint glass Shell Tumblers, 2 sizes 2c ea
No. 8 and No. 9 oval copper bottom Boilers, values 85c and 98c - 50c ea
Oval willow Clothes Baskets, values 50c, 69c, 85c 46c
2 qt. Berlin Sauce Pots, value 35c - 18c
Everything on our 10c counter 7c
" " " 5c " 3c

A great many were disappointed last Saturday night because they did not get waited on. There will be no cause for complaint tonight. We shall have an extra force to wait on you.

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10c. yd 10-4 unbleached Sheeting.
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3½c. yd. Shaker Flannels, " " 5c.
3c. yd Best quality soft finished Cambric.
2½c. yd Dark colored Prints, regular price 5c.
4c. yd Indigo blue, Simpson's black and silver grey Calicoes, regular price 6c.
49c. a pr. Lace Curtains, 3 yards long.
15c. Ladies' heavy ribbed Underwear.
10c Ladies' fleece lined black Hose.
39c. Men's 50 per cent natural wool Underwear.
25c. Men's heavy grey Underwear.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters, to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Oct. 5.—At the last business meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist church plans were further completed for the supper which is to be held in Apgar's Hall November 17th, 18th and 19th. A programme has been arranged for one night, and besides the supper, fancy goods, etc., will be placed on sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robison, (nee Staats,) have returned from their honeymoon, and Mrs. Robison is stopping at the home of her parents for a day or two before moving to Newark

The household goods of the late Mrs. Lydia Johnson were sold at auction yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendance at the sale and the goods sold well.

There will be no bowling on the green after all this afternoon owing to a misunderstanding between the visiting and the home clubs.

The subject of Rev. E. S. Jamison's sermon tomorrow morning, will be "Christ's Look Upon the World One of Pity."

Mrs. Harry Swackhamer and Mrs. Wilson Fredericks are visiting Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick.

Mrs. Irving Dunham and son, who have been visiting in town, have returned to their home in Alabama.

Mrs. Nancy Thomas, of Washington avenue, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roe, of New York, who is very ill.

The machinery in the chair factory is all placed in position, and work will be begun there at once.

The new freighthouse is now a sure thing. Workmen were busy yesterday digging the cellar.

George Churchill, who has been quite ill, has recovered and is able to go to business again.

The trolley cars between here and Bound Brook will run every half hour today and tomorrow.

Jesse Dalrymple is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sprowl, of Jersey City.

Reporter Douglass, of The Call, was in Plainfield yesterday on business.

Mr. A. N. Randolph spent yesterday visiting her uncle in Piscataway.

Miss Janie Churchill entertained out-of-town friends Thursday.

William Richards, of Flemington, visited W. H. Cole Thursday.

Tuesday will be election day and a full vote is expected.

Mrs. Samuel Richardson spent yesterday in Plainfield.

William H. Terry is suffering from an attack of asthma.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 5—A short address on missions will be delivered at the Sunday-school of Holy Innocents' church tomorrow afternoon.

The monthly business meeting and sociable of the C. E. Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will be held tonight in the lecture room.

Michael Reedy and family have taken up their residence here. They moved from Lincoln Saturday.

The quarterly business meeting of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will be held tomorrow night.

F. C. Ward, of Somerville, will take charge of Grocer Davis' business shortly.

Repairs have been made to the platform about the railroad station.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 5.—The marriage of John B. Stillger, of this place, and Mary Lass, of Roselle, was celebrated Thursday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Stillger after a short trip will settle in Roselle.

A very successful New England supper was held by the ladies of the Methodist church in Excelsior Hall last evening, and a neat little sum will be added to the church treasury. Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of which Rev. Mr. Woodruff is a member, closed their council as early as possible, and attended the affair in a body.

Theodore Bruchman and family have moved into Frank Gotlick's house on Mountain avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Gotlick removed to Westfield.

The Methodist and Baptist churches unite in a union service in the Baptist church Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Woodruff will preach.

The Seely paper mills shut down tonight owing to a large surplus of stock on hand, and will probably remain closed for a month.

The work on South avenue through Fanwood is nearly completed and when finished will make a fine road.

The Town Committee met in the town rooms last evening. Routine business only was transacted.

A large stage load of Scotch Plains people are attending the football game at Dunellen this afternoon.

Miss Ada Miller, of Fanwood, was the guest Friday of her cousin, Mrs. Wilbur, of Plainfield.

The boys are practicing hard for the game with Dunellen this afternoon on the latter grounds.

Miss Ethel Marsh is spending a few days with friends in Newark.

Fred Hoagland and family have moved to Millstone, N. J.

New England supper in Excelsior Hall this evening.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 5—The revised election registry lists show that there are 954 voters in the township, 429 being in the first district and 525 in the second district This is the largest number that have registered in a good while.

The subject of the Epworth League meeting in the Methodist church tomorrow evening will be the "Childhood of Christ." Mrs. Samuel Burhans will be the leader.

The Woman's Association of the Congregational church will hold a regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T.H. Camp, on Kimball avenue.

WASHINGTONVILLE.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Washingtonville, November 5.—The Endeavor prayer meeting at Wilson Memorial chapel last evening was a very helpful one, and was made doubly interesting by the visit of a number of Endeavorers from the Plainfield societies. The leader was Richard Rogers.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Simon Brady, of Central avenue, has purchased a new delivery wagon.

—The wood-work on the exterior of the First Baptist church is being repainted.

—The Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns will meet Monday evening.

—On account of the fair the Loyal Temperance Legion will not meet for a lesson until Monday, Nov. 14th.

—The Spanish class of the Y. M. C. A. will meet Monday evening. All who are interested in the subject are invited to be present.

—The First Baptist church choir has commenced to rehearse for an elaborate religious cantata, which will be given some time next month.

—The Spanish class at the Y. M. C. A. will meet Monday night and prepare to settle down to work. Jose Machado, a graduate of Harvard College, is the teacher.

—An organization to be known as "The American Club" was formed at the Monroe Avenue church last evening. The object is to plan for historical reading and lectures during the winter.

—Dr. F. M. Hallock, who has been away on account of his health, has returned to resume his practice, and has moved his offices to 409 Watchung avenue, corner of Fifth street, where he will receive his patients.

—Woodhull & Martin announce another 6 o'clock sale tonight. Last Saturday night they could not wait on the trade. Tonight, however, they have an extra force of clerks for the occasion and a large time is promised.

—The members of the Loyal Temperance Legion, which meets every Monday at 129 East Front street, are asked to bring their parents and friends Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons to a fair, where entertainment will be provided for them.

—Monday evening, November 14th, H. K. Samuelian, of Constantinople, Turkey, will give an illustrated lecture on the subject, "Ancient and Modern Constantinople." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. The lecture is given under the patronage of a large number of the best people in Plainfield.

By Request the date of closing the VELOX Competition has been deferred to Saturday, Nov. 5th

THE BARD COMPANY, 133 NORTH AVE.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Chandler Riker, of Newark, was in town yesterday.

Miss Kittie Ramson, of this city, is visiting Elizabeth friends.

Miss DuBoise, of Park avenue, is visiting relatives at Whiteho use.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, is not improved from his critical illness.

Charles VanMiddlesworth, of Brooklyn, will spend Sunday in Plainfield with relatives.

Mrs. Chamberlain, of Westfield, has been visiting her relatives in this city for a short time.

Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, has returned from a visit with New Brunswick friends.

Mrs. Stutzman, of Westfield, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Brown, of Fifth street.

The condition of John Goff, of West Fourth street, who has been very ill, is reported as being about the same.

Mr. Neely and family, of the borough, have moved to Staten Island, where Mr. Neely has engaged in business.

Rev. Jackson, pastor of the Mt Olive Baptist church, has returned from a visit with New Brunswick friends.

Fred Moore, of West Front street, has about recovered from his recent illness, and is again able to attend to business.

The friends who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin, of Park place, have returned to their home in Pennsylvania.

Commencing with tomorrow Miss Charlotte Messersmith, of Washington street, will sing alto in the First Baptist church choir.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Feiring, of West Fourth street, was brightened this morning by the arrival of an eight-pound girl.

Mr. Albertson, of Crescent avenue, a volunteer in the late war, has recovered from his illness, and is now visiting relatives at Bangor, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Harding, of the borough, was discharged from the hospital yesterday, where she has been under treatment of Dr. Ard for eye trouble.

Miss M. Elizabeth Eycke and W. W. Rowley have just returned from Bedminister, where they went to attend the funeral of Miss Eycke's father.

Isaac P. Tolles, of Naugatuck, Conn, father of R. I. Tolles, of this city, died at his home yesterday morning. Death was due to old age. Mr. Tolles left Plainfield today for Naugatuck to attend the funeral services.

Jed. M. Smalley came home from Philadelphia, where he is now located, last evening, and his wife, Mrs. Smalley, who has been visiting relatives in Brooklyn, will join him today at the home of his father on Craig place. Mr. Smalley will return to Philadelphia Monday.

Harry B. Dennis, of Watchung avenue, has received a letter from the physician attending his brother, William Dennis, the young soldier who is ill in a Philadelphia hospital, saying that the crisis in his illness has been passed, and that he will be able to return home next week.

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Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:20 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA- Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3.00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:40 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—You can buy a man's cork sole shoe for $2 at VanAredale's.

—The case of Spangenberg against Bullock has been settled out of court.

—A regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held next Monday evening.

—The trucks owned by the United States Express Company have been newly painted.

—Old Glory Council, Daughters of America, will hold a fair in Washington Hall next week.

—Fred Endress, the butcher, has engaged a new butcher to help handle his increasing business.

—Business of great importance will be considered next Monday evening at the City Council meeting.

—There will be an important meeting of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., next Monday evening.

—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week the W C T. U. will hold a bazaar in their rooms on East Front street.

—The drivers of the Plainfield Fire Department would request all those holding tickets for their recent ball to return them to Fred Breem, secretary, at fire headquarters, so that the accounts can be settled up.

—An effort will be made next year to have more marshals for day duty. At present Chief Wilson is the only man on duty during the day and it is certainly too much to ask one man to cover the entire borough.

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DIED.

COCK—In this city, on Friday, Nov 4, 1898, M. Margaretta Cock, widow of Thomas Cock, M. D., of New York city, in the 97th year of her age.

Funeral services at Grace church, on Nov. 7th, at 3 p. m. Philadelphia papers please copy.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED—A good girl for general housework. 183 Martine Ave. 11 4 2

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HOUSE for sale or rent, 6 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—Cheap; two closed rockaways, good order; and four fine robes. Inquire Frank Hedden, 118 East Fourth street.

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Values crowd each other as the season advances; they clamor for a place in print; perhaps one in twenty gets it. Last month we broke a record, and the next 'twill be the same. We own the goods to do it with; we have the nerve to cut prices right through every department, not on half-a-dozen articles for baits, but every dollar's worth of goods in the store. It means much to you from a money-saving standpoint.

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In Silks among the manufacturers means Price Breaks here; you get the full benefit of it, and it means much. Over one thousand yards of Handsome Silks that were $1 to $1.75 the yard will go for 79c yd.

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We have too many of certain lots, a backward season is to blame for it, and when the values remain the same the prices are badly twisted. About 100 pieces of Skirt and Waist Lengths, were 40, 50 and 75c yd, now 25c yd. Fifty pieces of Fancies, were 50 and 75c yd, now 29c yd. Twenty-five pieces of Imported Novelties, were 75c yd, now 49c.

WHITE QUILTS.

About one hundred of them manufacturers samples, full size, handsome quilts, staple as wheat, but they go to you at half value—were $1.25 to $3, now 69c to $1.75.

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and Comfortables—many who read this will feel bound to buy blankets and comfortables. We sell for $2.49 a ten-quarter all-wool blanket; no one can match it under $3.50. 98c buys a full-size white cotton filled Comfortable.

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Children's natural wool shirts and pants 19c each.
Children's fleece-lined shirts and pants—
Size—18 20 22 24 26 28
8c 10c 13c 16c 19c 21c each.
Extra large bath towels 13c ea.
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Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, fleeced, 21c ea.

Ladies' Natural Wool Fleeced Vests 39c ea.
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Laundry Bags 10c ea.
Mantle Lambrequins 29c ea.
Linen Tray Cloths 27c ea.
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Ladies' Plaid Waists 65c.
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Smith's Finest Quality Velvet and Axminster Carpets, 95c yd., including making, laying and lining.

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Among the scenes Shown is—
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ROSES, carnations, violets and a large assortment of choice cut flowers, decorative and flowers, an immense stock of specimen plants for decorations, the largest stock of plants and cut flowers in this vicinity. Baskets, bouquets and floral designs made up at short notice. Store, 142 North avenue, Plainfield; greenhouses, South avenue, Netherwood, near depot.

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The Cutaway Coat.

The cutaway jacket, which is one of the popular forms of outdoor garments designed for this autumn, though a very severe garment, is extremely stylish in appearance and is a fad which not appealing to the generality of womankind will undoubtedly prove popular to the woman of exclusive tastes.

A jacket of this description built of castor colored Venetian cloth, moulded the figure like a gloe and fastened slightly to one side of the front with

six small velvet covered buttons. A soft fluffy feather boa encircles the neck and tends to soften the mannish aspect of the coat. A saucy little toque of satin and straw is trimmed in front with black velvet and wings.

Handsome Rugs.

Probably the most satisfactory inexpensive rug is one of body Brussels carpet. These are usually kept in stock at the large carpet-houses, made from remnants as they accumulate. They can be had in various sizes from a square of nine feet or even somewhat less to a size that will serve in a large room. They come, too, in beautiful Persian patterns, and well made as they are, with borders carefully matched and seams lined and pressed, they are both handsome and durable. A good domestic Smyrna costs a little more, and has the added advantage of use on both sides. The ingrain art squares are not to be recommended in a room where the wear is at all serious. They are useful and effective, as they come in excellent designs, for light service, their extreme cheapness being another advantage. The imported rugs of this character are more durable, as they ought to be, costing twice as much or more, but their patterns are rather dull, and their grade of colors limited and difficult to tone with furnishings. Jute rugs are to be found in most attractive patterns and in a variety of colorings, dark and light, and at a very low price. They should be purchased, however, with the knowledge that their wearing qualities are poor.

Dainty Sandwiches.

The scented sandwiches, such as clover, nasturtium, rose and violet, in vogue with very dainty people, are made by covering both the bread and butter with the leaves or flowers, allowing them to remain over night, and then simply serving the bread and butter sandwich. Thim the crusts from the loaf of bread, put it into a large soup tureen in a bed of clover or any highly scented flower; wrap the butter in a piece of cheese-cloth and put it also in a tureen; cover with clover. Next day the butter and bread will be filled with the flavor and odor of clover.

For afternoon teas nut sandwiches, mixed fruit sandwiches, or slices of chopped fruit which have been firmly pressed together, using no bread whatever, may be used.

Pignolias or pine nuts, black walnuts, almonds and pecans may all be put through a meat chopper, mixed, a very little salt added, and spread over bread.

"Wilhelmina" jackets, hats, ties, and blue in some of the most beautiful shades we have ever seen these dyes produced in appear among tailor cloths, velvets, etc., for autumn gowns, and the trace of white needed appears on the silk or satin revers, vests, guimpes, and plastron or blouse fronts of the waist or jacket. In millinery these colors are quite as prominent, and in the red shades particularly are some dahlia and damask tints with a military name that are superb examples of the dyer's art.

Old Fogy—I am pained to hear that you are addicted to poker playing, and that last night you lost $25

Young Fogy—The idea. Why, I don't even know how to play the game.

Old Fogy—So I am informed by the party who won the money.—Boston Transcript.

Midnight Burglar: "Fork out every farthing you've got or I'll——"

Jawer (half awake): "Look here Maria, this is coming it too strong. Didn't I give you all I had when I came home?"

Select Winter Gowns Early.

It is a question to many women whether it is advisable to select fabrics for winter gowns as early as this, in view of the fact that new designs and materials are constantly added to the importer's display during the entire autumn season. On the other hand, it is very certain that with so many different weaves put upon the market, the early shoppers have unlimited choice, which is not afforded them later on. This has been proved over and over again by women who have bought some stylish or handsome texture when it first appeared, and later on, wishing to match these same goods, have been unable to do so. No duplicates are imported in a single season or year. It is therefore a very good rule to make a purchase of an entirely satisfying pattern or weave when one finds it, be it early or late; to hesitate and decide to wait is generally to lose the fabric desired or admired, especially in a city where tons of material are sold in a single day.

Where Cyclists are Benefactors.

It is a strange idea to many folk that this could be so anywhere, but far away in Siam, where bicycling is the pleasure of princes and nobles, it seems likely to have an enormous effect for the benefit of the country.

Up till now the roads in Siam have been, excepting in the towns, few in number and very bad. It is clearly no good to be an enthusiastic cyclist without the roads on which to ride, and the Siamese aristocracy have fully realized the fact. The result is that new roads are to be made which will be practical for the pneumatic tire, and incidentally of the greatest service commercially, for hitherto an immense amount of the produce of the country has been wasted for lack of the means for taking it into the towns for sale. It is hoped that the fashionable bicycling craze may result in a good system of roadways throughout the country.

Egg Croquettes.

Egg croquettes were a decided novelty taught recently to her class by a cooking-school demonstrator. Six hard-boiled eggs were cut into small dice, about a quarter of an inch in size. With these were mixed a few mushrooms chopped fine. A white sauce made of milk, flour, and butter, with a little onion juice, had been provided, and into this the eggs and mushrooms were stirred carefully before being packed in a cold bowl and set on the ice to stiffen. When chilled the mixture was moulded into croquettes, dipped in egg and powdered breadcrumbs, and fried in a basket in hot fat. They were served on a folded napkin laid on a platter, and were garnished with parsley and slices of lemon.

Handy Tweed Costume.

Go where the shopper may, tweeds and cheviots, both smooth and shaggy, and of almost every conceivable color, thickness and quality, meet the eye. For utility costumes these materials are in as great demand as ever, and with good reason, for they are at once natty in effect, useful and stylish in pattern, and have the additional advantage of requiring but little trimming. Notwithstanding the rage for elaborate decoration, there is no radical change this season in the style of making the tailor gown, and good taste is still shown in the construction of both skirt and bodice. In the first place, elaborate effects would be out of place on a tailor gown designed for any sort of practical wear, and then there are certain limitations due to the weight of the fabrics composing them, even supposing that trimmings were allowable.

Excellent Polish.

A furniture-polish that may be made at home, and which is reliable, needs for a foundation half a pint of linseed oil. This should be boiled and put into a stone pipkin, two ounces of yellow wax, cut in thin shavings, being added. Set the pot in a saucepan of boiling water until the wax is thoroughly melted, then strain through muslin, and stir constantly until cool. Add a quarter of a pint of spirits of turpentine and a quarter of a pint of vinegar; mix thoroughly and bottle.

Fringes and Buttons.

Fringes of every width and buttons in every variety of shape and size are shown with other new things in the way of dress trimmings, and among the very old-fashioned revivals is a cape in long shawl-point shape, both front and back finished with a fringe about eight inches deep, with a knotted network at the top—a style in fashion when Queen Victoria was in her teens.

Lovely Color Effects.

Many beautiful dyes have been added to the season's color list, which are effective offsets to shades already familiar, notable Roman red, a superb color that will be much used for dress accessories and autumn and winter millinery. The color is neither crimson, cherry, nor geranium. Cranberry jelly, held up to the light in a clear crystal glass, gives the nearest reflection of its rich, beautiful tone.

Home-Made Ice Cream.

Home-made ice-cream sometimes turns out buttery, to the dismay and surprise of its producer. To prevent this condition, it is obligatory that the scalded and unbeaten cream should be put together and thoroughly chilled before the dasher of the freezer is turned.

Black gowns of lovely transparent or semi-diaphanous weaves over silk or satin, and in heavier materials for day wear, will take high place in the ranks of fashion for the two seasons before us.

A HAPPY MISTAKE.

"Daisy, did I hear you promise that—that fellow to go to the picnic with him next Tuesday?"

"What fellow?" asked Daisy icily.

"You know who I mean." Dick was pale with jealousy and wrath.

"I presume that I can go with whom I choose," answered Daisy, haughtily.

"So you can; and I want you now to make your choice; but I tell you, once for all, that if you throw me over for that Fenwick you will be done with me forever."

"What right have you to speak to me in that tone? I am not your slave, and I shall go with Doctor Fenwick to the picnic."

"Very well," he said shortly, and turning on his heel, walked off in the direction of the barn.

As Daisy entered the cool dining-room Miss Maria was standing at the window with her arms akimbo, gazing after Dick.

"That boy," she said solemnly, "that boy ain't himself. I shouldn't be surprised if he's driven to do something desp'rate," and she looked resentfully at Daisy.

"You don't eat anything, Daisy," kindly said Uncle Edward, who never saw much of what was going on right before his eyes. "Maybe you think the weather's too warm for hot rolls and cakes? Well, take some iced milk and berries. Why, bless me! What's the mater with the child?"

Daisy had burst into tears.

"Please, uncle—aunt—excuse me," she said, and hastily left the room.

She did not go up-stairs, but out of doors where she could relieve her heart by sobbing unseen and unheard. Passing through the garden and the orchard, she followed the little foot-path which led to a pretty strip of woodland, where in a cool ravine ran a narrow but rather deep stream between mossy banks.

There had been a little rustic bridge leading to the hillside beyond, but this had been lately washed away, after a heavy rain and—wasn't that Dick, his arms folded, with his eyes bent upon the deep pool which the rocks had just here pent in?

A sudden fear seized Daisy. Surely, surely, Dick could not be thinking of drowning himself. She stood still and breathless, watching him.

Presently he started, as if from a revery, and with his lips compressed into a firm look of resolve, picked up a coil of rope which lay at his feet. Then he walked round and round a tall, straight tree, growing close to the edge of the stream, loking up into its thick foliage as if for a convenient branch to which to attach it.

For a moment she felt paralyzed, but as she saw Dick carefully make a noose on one end of the rope, and prepare to climb the tree, the spell was broken. She rushed forward with a wild shriek and threw her arms about him.

"Oh, Dick—dear Dick—don't do such a dreadful thing. Don't hang yourself, Dick—for my sake, don't. Oh, forgive me, dear Dick, and I'll never tease or grieve you again."

He looked down into the white face of the sobbing girl, and his stern eyes softened. But then he said gloomily—

"How can I believe you, Daisy? You have as good as told me that you do not love me, and without you I don't care to live."

"Don't talk so dreadfully, Dick! I—I do love you."

"Answer me truly, Daisy. Do you really love me?"

"Yes," sobbed the girl. "Indeed I do, Dick! Please throw away that dreadful rope!"

"Not yet, Daisy. Do you love me above everybody else in the world?"

"Yes—oh, yes."

"And you will marry me, Daisy?"

"Yes, I will, Dick; indeed I will!"

Dick flung the coil of rope into a thicket of laurel on the other side of the stream, and drawing Daisy to him, kissed her solemnly.

"Remember you have promised to be my wife, Daisy."

"Yes," she answered meekly. And so, hand in hand, they returned through the orchard and the garden to the house.

Uncle Edward was sitting on the top step of the porch contentedly smoking his pipe.

"Well, Dick," said he, cheerfully, "have you fixed that tree with the rope all ready to pull it down in the right direction?"

"No," answered Dick, quietly, "I'll attend to it to-morrow."

"Well, don't forget it, for the sooner that bridge is finished the better, if we want to get the hay over in good time."

Daisy stopped and looked straight up into Dick's face.

"You have deceived me," she said, indignantly.

"No, Daisy, I haven't; you deceived yourself, dear, and I'm very glad of it, I assure you."

"Glad," said Daisy, reproachfully, and with her face all crimson with blushes.

"Because but for that I might never have gotten you to say 'yes;' and we might both have been forever miserable. But how happy we are going to be for all the rest of our lives."

"Still, it was a dreadfully mean trick," Daisy murmured, "and if you ever say a word about it to any one I'll never forgive you—never."

Teacher—Tommy, into how many classes is the human race divided?

Tommy—Five.

Teacher—What are they?

Tommy—Enlightened, civilized, half civilized, savage and Spaniards.—New York World.

Nurse—Tommy, there's some jam on your cheek.

Tommy (with interest)—There isn't any worth eating, is there?

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Oldenburg.

Vechta. Hier wurde ein 16jähriger Arbeiter von der Dampfmaschine in der Herrmann'schen Brauerei erfaßt und schrecklich verstümmelt. Der Tod trat sofort ein.

Mecklenburg.

Alt-Strelitz. Unsere Stadt ist die erste auf dem Kontinent, die ganz mit Acetylengas beleuchtet wird. Seit Kurzem erstrahlen sämmtliche Straßen und Plätze der Stadt im Glanze des neuen Lichtes.

Braunschweig.

Braunschweig. Vor der hiesigen Strafkammer hatte sich der Arbeiter Wilhelm Haase von hier zu verantworten. Haase, der noch nicht wahlberechtigt ist, hatte am Tage der Reichstagswahl einen auf den Namen seines Hauswirths lautenden Stimmzettel abzugeben versucht. Der Betrug wurde jedoch entdeckt und Haase zu fünf Tagen Gefängniß verurtheilt.

Großherzogthum Hessen.

Darmstadt. Nach dem Jahresbericht der Anwaltskammer ist die Zahl der Anwälte im Bezirk des hessischen Oberlandesgerichts von 127 im letzten Berichtsjahre auf 135 gestiegen, die höchste Zahl, die bisher erreicht wurde. —Die Eröffnung der Nebenbahnstrecke Bieber-Heusenstamm-Dietzenbach erfolgte am 1. November.

Alzey. Der freireligiöse Geistliche Buckfath erhielt auf Grund des Paragraphen 360 Absatz 8 des Strafgesetzbuches einen Strafbefehl, weil er, ohne dazu berechtigt zu sein, die Benennung „Pfarrer" führte, während er die entsprechende theologische Vorbildung besitzt und auch sein Examen absolvirt hat. Das Schöffengericht sprach den Beschuldigten frei, da er zur Führung der Bezeichnung „Pfarrer" berechtigt sei.

Mainz. Das städtische Arbeitsamt, das bereits mit verschiedenen Städten der Nachbarschaft verbunden ist, hat sich neuerdings mit circa 20 größeren Landgemeinden in Verbindung gesetzt, um den Arbeitsuchenden von dort Gelegenheit zur Arbeitsaufnahme zu geben oder um hiesige beschäftigungslose Arbeiter in die Landgemeinden zu verweisen.—Der mit 3,000,000 Mark Kosten erbaute Schlachtviehhof wurde feierlich eröffnet.

Wörrstadt. Wegen Gotteslästerung zu zwei Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt wurde der 24jährige Ludwig Barwig, der in Folge einer Wette, um die Mitternachtsstunde in die hiesige Kirche drang und sich dann in der „Geisterstunde" auf dem Friedhof erging.

Bayern.

München. Der Innungsverband deutscher Baugewerksmeister hat eine Tabelle für Normalprofile für Schnittholzer entworfen, nach welcher die Hölzer künftig von den Holzhändlern geführt werden sollen. In Folge Regierungsverfügung werden die Bauämter und Distriktsverwaltungs-Behörden künftig bei Bauentwürfen und Bestellungen thunlichst die Holzstärken dieser Tabelle verwenden.—An der Universität München wurde ein zahnärztliches Institut errichtet.—Ein 40jähriger ehemaliger Bauunternehmer starb hier, nachdem er ein ihm verschriebenes Medikament gegen Herzkrampf nicht tropfen-, sondern glasweise zu sich genommen hatte.

Bayreuth. Die Einjährigen-Prüfung hatte folgendes Resultat: Von den 15 Kandidaten, die sämmtlich erschienen waren, wurde einer von der mündlichen Prüfung zurückgewiesen, drei fielen durch, elf erhielten den Berechtigungsschein.

Freising. Eine überaus rohe That wurde an dem hiesigen Hausbesitzer S. Schreiber verübt, der auf einem Spaziergange auf dem Isardamm stehen blieb, um dem Treiben der Fische im Altwasser zuzusehen. Plötzlich krachte ein Schuß und Schreiber stürzte schwer verwundet über den Damm in das etwa drei Meter tiefe Wasser, wo es ihm nur mit Aufwendung aller Kräfte gelang, wieder an's Land zu kommen. Dem so meuchlings Angeschossenen ging die volle Gewehrladung (gehacktes Blei) direkt in den Rücken.

Hof. Bürgermeister Pöhlmann in Selb hat plötzlich sein Amt niedergelegt; die Ursache ist ein Kompetenzkonflikt mit dem Bezirksamt. Die Bürgerschaft tritt für Pöhlmann ein.

Nürnberg. Der Magistrat hat beschlossen, ein städtisches Statistisches Amt zu errichten, und es wird hierfür im Etat der Betrag von 15,000 Mark festgesetzt. Es soll ein wissenschaftlich gebildeter Statistiker angestellt werden.

Passau. Neulich Abends sprang ein Handwerksbursche, der sistirt werden sollte, in den Inn und versank in den Fluthen.

Plattling. Der hiesige Stadtpfarrmeßner hat dieser Tage einen Opferstockmarder auf frischer That ertappt und ihn der Gendarmerie übergeben. An den gestohlenen Münzen klebte noch theilweise Leim, womit er sich diese herausholte.

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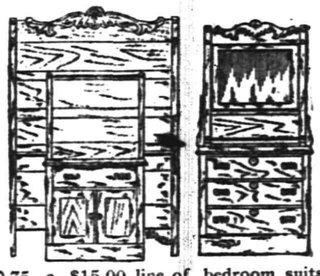

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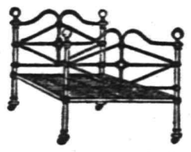

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 26 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 12, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 30 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at (10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 28, 2 28, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 9 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 37, 9 33, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 12, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 23, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 55, a.m. 2 08, 3 29 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 18, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 16, 6 35, 7 52, 8 08, 8 42, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 9 06 a. m.; 2 08 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh. Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaquua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 06 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, 3 46, 6 21 p. m. Sun days 8 52 a.m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 8 37, 8 13 a.m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a. m

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1898,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all those tracts or parcels of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being partly in the township of Warren, in the county of Somerset and State of New Jersey, and partly in the township of New Providence, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded as follow: The first tract being Lot No. 3 in the division of the real estate late of George Townley, deceased, and begins in the road running from the Union village to Thomas Coun's, at a corner of (No. 2) Enos B. Townley's lot, at a point sixteen links westerly from the centre of the well, and four links southerly from the corner of (No. 1) the Headly lot; thence in said road north forty-four degrees west on a line of the Widow Townley's dower lot, four chains and sixty six links; thence on a line of (No. 4) formerly belonging to Benjamin Moore, north fifty-five and a half degrees west, two chains and thirty links; thence on the same, in said road, north forty-seven and a half degrees west, passing close to the northeast side of two hickory trees near the river, six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of the Passaic river; thence up the bank of said river south sixty-seven degrees west three chains and seven links to Lines Tucker's corner; thence on his line south one degree east fifteen chains and thirty links to a stake at a corner of said Enos B. Townley's lot; thence on his line north fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees east, a hickory tree being in this line seven chains and forty-four links from said stake in said Tucker's line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to the place of beginning. Containing twelve acres and twenty-eight hundredths of an acre of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed by Squire Parrot and wife and Daniel Runyon and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated July 5th, 1845, and recorded in the Clerk's office in the county of Somerset, July 14th, 1845, in Book B. 2, page 549, etc.

The Second Tract, being lot No. 2, of the division of the farm late of George Townley, deceased, and which was set off in the said division to the said Enos B. Townley and begins in the road leading from Union Village to Thomas Couns, opposite the middle of the well and sixteen links distant from the centre of it; thence running south fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees west, a hickory tree being in this line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to a stake in Lines Tucker's line; thence on his line south one degree east eight chains and seven links to a basswood tree in William Titus' line; thence on his line and others, north eighty-eight degrees east twenty-seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said road; thence in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) set off to the heirs of Johanna Headley, north fifty-four and a half degrees west five chains; thence north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence still in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty links to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-five acres of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed to Christopher Zuchschwert by Enos B. Townley by deed dated March 28th, 1846, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Somerset county, in Book C. N. 2, page 160, etc.

The Third Tract, situate, lying and being in the townships of Warren and New Providence, in the counties of Union and Somerset, beginning in the middle of the road leading from Union Village at a corner of lands of David A. French, and from thence running south eighty-eight degrees, west two chains and fifty links to the middle of the mouth of the road leading to Townley's bridge over the Passaic River, at a corner of lands of said Christopher Zuckshwert; thence on his line (2) north forty-five and a half degrees west in said last named road five chains; thence (3) north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence (4) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty-four links to a point sixteen links distant from the middle of the well; thence (5) in the middle of said road and still on said line late of said Zuckschwert north forty-four degrees west four chains and sixty-two links to a point at a corner of a lot formerly of Benjamin Moore's in the road opposite the middle of the cider house; thence on his line to the middle of the cider house north thirty-eight and a half degrees east ninety-one links to the easternmost side of said cider house; thence (7) north sixty-two and a half degrees east, passing close to the north side of an Elm tree, marked, on this lot, twenty-one chains and fifty-two links on a line formerly of said Moore to line now or formerly of Ezra Wilcox, at a small birch bush; thence on lines now or formerly of said Wilcox and said David A. French, south two degrees east twenty-eight chains and thirty-four links to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-two and one-tenth acres of land. Being the same premises conveyed by Squier Parrot and wife, and Daniel Runyon and wife, to Christopher Zuckschwert, by deed dated May 17th, 1850, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book R, No. 2, pages 264, etc.

The Fourth Tract, situate in Warren township in the county of Somerset. Beginning at a stone at the edge of the Passaic River at a corner of a lot, now or formerly, belonging to Squier Parrot, and Daniel Runyon, on corner of Essex, now Union and Somerset; thence south nine degrees east on the line of said Parrot and Runyon, the Headley woodlot, and E. G. Townley's lot, fifteen chains and thirty-five links to a stake in the line of the dower of the Widow Townley; thence on her line south sixty-two and a half degrees west fourteen chains and fifty-two links to the middle post of the northeast side of formerly the cider house; thence still on the line of said Widow's dower lot south thirty-eight and a half degrees west ninety-one links to the line in the road of another lot, formerly of said Parrot and Runyon; thence in said road on their line north fifty-five and a half degrees west two chains and thirty links; thence on same north forty-seven and a half degrees west six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of said river; thence down the said river the several courses to the place of beginning. Containing seventeen acres of land more or less.

Fifth tract, situated in the townships of Warren and New Providence in the counties of Essex, now Union and Somerset, being No. 5 in the division of the real estate of George T. Townley, deceased, and set off to E. B. Townley, and begins at a small beach bush in line now or formerly of E. Griffing, at a corner of Widow Elizabeth Townley's dower lot; thence on its line south sixty-two and a half degrees west seven chains to a stake a corner of land late of Benjamin Moore; thence on his line north nine degrees west five chains and seventy links to a stake a corner of lot (No. 6) set off in said division to the heirs of Johanna Headley; thence on its line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said Griffing's line; thence on his line south two degrees east six chains and three links to the place of beginning. Containing four acres of land strict measure.

Sixth tract, situated in the township and counties aforesaid described as follows: beginning at a stone in the edge of the Passaic River at the corner of Moore's land, it being the point where the line between the counties of Essex now Union and Somerset strikes the river; thence running on said Moore's line south nine degrees east nine chains and sixty five links to a corner of C. Zuckschwert; thence on his line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to Ezra Wilcox's line; thence on his line north one and a half degrees west ten chains and fifteen links to the edge of said river; thence up the said river the several courses thereof to the place of beginning. Containing eight acres of land more or less.

The last three described tracts being the same premises conveyed by John R. Barnett and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated October 6th, 1864, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book Q. No. 3, of deeds for said county, on pages 204, etc. Excepting a tract of land twenty-five feet in width conveyed by William E. Lang and Julia Lang his wife, to Robert Cornish, by deed dated September 6th, 1892, and recorded in County Clerk's office at Somerville, Somerset county, December 6th, 1892, in Book of deeds L, No. 7, page 55, etc.

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AN ORDINANCE

for macadamizing Franklin Place between LaGrande Avenue and East Fifth Street.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the owners of lands, tenements or real estate fronting on Franklin place between the northwesterly crosswalk of LaGrande avenue and the southeasterly crosswalk of East Fifth street are hereby required to macadamize said portion of Franklin place above described on or before the fifteenth day of December, A. D., 1898, said macadamizing to be in every respect equal to the macadamizing on Madison avenue between West Sixth street and West Seventh street in said City.

Section 2. That said portion of Franklin place described in Section 1 of this ordinance shall be macadamized for a width of sixteen feet; that is to say, eight feet on each side of the centre line thereof, and a depth running from six inches in the center to four inches at the sides, and the macadamizing preparation shall be laid down to the grade already established by ordinance for said portion of said street.

Section 3. That said macadamizing shall be done by the said owners of lands, tenements or real estate under the inspection and supervision of the Street Commissioner, provided, however, that if for any reason the property owners of said portion of said street shall fail to agree with the contractor or contractors as to the price for which said macadamizing shall be done within a period of thirty days after this ordinance shall become a law, then it shall be lawful for the Common Council to make the contract with the contractor or contractors and order the work done in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance and cause the amount of expenses for doing said work to be assessed upon said lands, enements and real estate benefited by the same, in accordance with the valid statutes in such case made and provided.

Section 4. That all ordinances as far as they conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 24th, 1898, approved by the Mayor Oct. 27th, 1898.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

for Macadamizing East Ninth Street Between Park Avenue and Watchung Avenue.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the owners of lands, tenements or real estate fronting on East Ninth street between the Northeasterly crosswalk of Park Avenue and the southerly crosswalk of Watchung Avenue are hereby required to macadamize said portion of East Ninth street above described on or before the fifteenth day of December, 1898, said macadamizing to be in every respect equal to the macadamizing on Madison Avenue between West Sixth street and West Seventh street in said city.

Section 2. That said portion of East Ninth street described in Section 1 of this ordinance shall be macadamized for a width of sixteen feet; that is to say, eight feet on each side of the centre line thereof, and a depth running from six inches in the centre to four inches at the sides, and macamizing preparation shall be laid down to the grade already established by ordinance for said portion of said street.

Section 3. That said macadamizing shall be done by the said owners of lands, tenements or real estate under the inspection and supervision of the Street commissioner, provided, however, that if for any reason the property owners of said portion of said street shall fail to agree with the contractor or contractors as to the price for which said macadamizing shall be done within a period of thirty days after this ordinance shall become a law, then it shall be lawful for the Common Council to make the contract with the contractor or contractors and order the work done in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance and cause the amount of expenses for doing said work to be assessed upon said lands, enements and real estate benefited by the same in accordance with the valid statutes in such case made and provided.

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Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 24th, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 27, 1898.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

for macadamizing East Sixth Street between Watchung Avenue and Richmond Street excepting where already macadamized.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the owners of lands, tenements or real estate fronting on East Sixth Street between the Northeasterly curb line of Watchung Avenue and the Southwesterly curb line of Richmond Street, excepting that portion of said street already macadamized between Washington street and Franklin place, are hereby required to macadamize said portion of East Sixth Street above described on or before the fifteenth day of December, A. D., 1898, said macadamizing to be in every respect equal to the macadam zing on Madison Avenue between West Sixth Street and West seventh Street in said City.

Section 2. That said portion of said East Sixth street described in Section 1 of this ordinance shall be macadamized for a width of sixteen feet, that is to say, eight feet on each side of the center line thereof, and a depth running from six inches at the centre to four inches at the sides, and the macadamizing preparation shall be laid down to the grade already established by ordinance for said portion of said street.

Section 3. That said macadamizing shall be done by the said owners of lands, tenements or real estate under the inspection and supervision of the Street Commissioner, provided, however, that if for any reason the property owners of said portion of said street shall fail to agree with the contractor or contractors as to the price for which said macadamizing shall be done within a period of thirty days after this ordinance shall become a law, then it shall be lawful for the Common Council to make the contract with the contractor or contractors and order the work done in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance and cause the amount of expenses for doing said work to be assessed upon said lands, enements and real estate benefited by the same in accordance with the valid statutes in such case made and provided.

Section 4. That all ordinances as far as they conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 24th, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 27th, 1898.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

to vacate an unnamed and unaccepted street on property of William H. Moore on West Front Street.

Whereas, It is alleged that the hereinafter described unnamed street shown only by parallel lines on a map filed in Union County Clerk's office, although never opened or accepted by the City, was in fact dedicated as a street; and

Whereas, William H. Moore is the sole owner of the fee and of all property abutting anywhere on said proposed street, and has applied to the Common Council of said City to vacate said street, pursuant to Chapter CXXXIII, P. L. 1888, and other laws governing the matter, and it is to the interest of the City that such street should be vacated:

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

That the unnamed street, marked on map entitled "Map of West End Park, City of Painfield, N. J., property of Moore and Rogap, Mar. 1894," on file in the office of the Clerk of Union County, New Jersey, in Map Box No. 117, which street begins on property of said William H. Moore, at a point in the Northwesterly side-line of West Front Street two hundred and three and ninety one-hundredths feet (203.90) along said side-line of West Front street, Northeasterly from the property belonging to Christian Sprich, and thence running Northwesterly and curving Westerly until it strikes the property-line of said Christian Sprich, three hundred and ninety-four and sixty-four one-hundredths feet (394.64), measured along his boundary line from the side-line of West Front Street, said street being about fifty-one feet (51) wide, be and the same is hereby vacated, pursuant to the Acts of the Legislature in such case made and provided.

Adopted by the Common Council Oct. 24, 1898.

Approved by the Mayor Oct. 27, 1898.

CHAS. J. FISK, Mayor.

Attest: J. T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

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MY MATCH MAKING.

My scheme was that a marriage should be arranged between Uncle James and Miss Stubbs.

We met Miss Stubs while we were traveling in Switzerland. She was a little, timid, washed-out old maid.

"My dear," she said to me one day when we had become intimate with each other, "dont say you want to see life—seeing is dreary work. I never wanted to see life, I wanted to live life; but I have never done either.

I took her thin little hand in mine and stroked it.

"Were you unhappy when you were young?" I asked.

"Oh, no, not unhappy, my dear; but not happy, either. I am not complaining, for everyone was very kind to me, and ready to give me little scraps of their lives to share; but no one seemed to realize that I wanted a life of my own."

"Poor Miss Stubbs!" I whispered.

"It is very kind of you to be sorry for me, my dear Madge, but really I am not complaining. I have had a very peaceful compared with many women!"

"But did you never fall in love?" I asked, with extreme boldness.

The pale blue eyes filled with tears.

"Yes, dear Madge. And I should like to tell you about it, only there is nothing to tell."

"Do tell me what happened," I urged.

"Nothing happened. I once met, some one whom I loved very much, and I think he loved me; but I am not even sure of that. I sometimes feel I'd give everything I have is I could only be sure of that, but I am not. He was a young man who had his way to make in the world, but my dear father—as I have told you before—thought a great deal of our family and position, and considered the man I loved was not good enough for me. So he just put a stop to our friendship."

"And you tamely submitted?"

"What else could I do? My dear father was a very stern man and I dared not disobey him."

"What was your lover like?" I asked.

"Oh, my dear, he was the handsomest man I ever saw, with such attractive manners," she replied.

"Was he tall?" I asked. (Being five-foot-nine myself, I had a profound contempt for little men).

"Yes, dear, and such a fine figure; nice broad shoulders, you know, and a splendid carriage."

I was filled with pity for poor Miss Stubbs; it seemed so sad to go through life without ever really living, as she had done; and thus it was that my great scheme occurred to me.

What a good thing it would be if Uncle James would marry Miss Stubbs, and so give her some comfort at the end of her life.

Uncle James was a worthy, middle-aged bachelor—rather short and increasingly stout—and was the apotheosis of commonplace respectability.

He possessed a kind heart and a dogmatic manner; and he lived chiefly at his club, and thought a great deal too much about things to eat.

I divulged my scheme to mother.

Mother laughed.

"I should be very glad for your uncle to marry," she said, "as it worries me to think of him all alone, especially when he is gouty. But how could you expect him, or any other man, to fall in love with that faded old maid?"

"Oh! I don't expect him to fall in love," I replied; "he is far too old. But I should like to see Miss Stubbs comfortably settled, and I am sure she would be a good, peaceful, little wife. Besides, Uncle James isn't exactly the sort of person to win a beautiful princess for his bride."

"Poor James! And yet he had his beautiful princess once, like other men."

"Tell me about it mother. You don't mean that that prosaic old uncle of mine was ever in love?"

"I do, though; he was dreadfully in love once, years and years ago. He used to tell me lots about the girl, and how happy he would be if only he could win her, though he hardly dared to hope she would ever look at him. I never knew exactly what happened; but he wrote to me, saying that the thing was finally at an end, and begging me never to mention Annie Lorimer's name to him again. And I have never done so."

"What a pretty name! And was she pretty too?"

"I never saw her," replied mother, "but James used to say she was lovely; a dainty, exquisite, fairy-like girl, as fragile as a bit of china, with golden hair and blue eyes and a lovely complexion. She danced beautifully, and was just the type to attract James, who had always been accustomed to big strong women." (Mother is quite as tall as I am, and my grandmother was even taller.)

"Poor Uncle James!" I said. "It is funny to imagine his caring for anything except pork, chops and safe investments."

"He cared enough for Annie Lorimer five and twenty years ago," replied mother.

When our Swiss trip was over and we were settled at home again, I induced mother to invite Uncle James and Miss Stubbs to pay us a visit at the same time.

She said it was an absurd arrangement and would lead to nothing, but she sent the invitations, nevertheless.

So Uncle James and Miss Stubbs came to stay with us. My uncle arrived first; and as he sat with mother and me in the morning room, he asked,—

"Is anyone else staying with you, Jane?"

"Only Miss Stubbs," replied mother; "and she arrives this afternoon. We met her at Lucerne you know."

"Oh! some girl that Madge took a great fancy to, isn't she?"

"I took a great fancy to her," I answered; "but she isn't a girl. She is quite old."

"What a nuisance!" said uncle James, in his sharp manner. "I hate old women, and old maids especially."

"You won't hate her, James," said mother, soothingly; "she is so quiet and unobtrusive that you'll hardly know she is in the house." Then she smiled slyly at me, and I felt my matrimonial plans foredoomed to failure.

At that moment Miss Stubbs arrived, and mother and I ran into the hall to meet her. She looked as faded and washed-out as ever, and as I followed her and mother into the morning-room I sighed over the futility of my well-meant scheme.

"Let me introduce my brother to you," mother began. "James, this is——"

But before she could finish her sentence Uncle James jumped up and seized Miss Stubbs by both hands; crying,—

"Why, Annie! you don't mean to say that it is you, come back to me after all these years?" And

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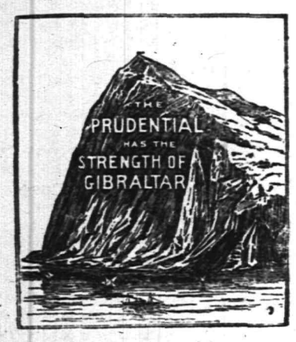

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SPORTING.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

The question of the backs for the Plainfield eleven for the election day game is about settled with the exception of quarter. Harry L. McGee, captain of the team, is a fixture at full back. He runs well, hits the line heavily, and is the best punter Plainfield possesses. George Cathcart has decided to play after all, and will play one half back. He is the best line bucker on the team. Thos. U. Smith will play the other half back. He excells as a running back. Louis Darling is playing a strong game at quarter and seems a likely candidate. There is a chance that Chas. Denice, the famous E. A. C. quarter back, may return from college for the game. Auguste Saltzman, Jr., is also a candidate for quarter.

GOLF.

The opening of the Park golf grounds will take place Tuesday, election day. This is now the best season of the year for the game. To those who come by car, it might be said that the entrance to the grounds on that side is on Hudson lane and that a broad walk leads from the gate all the way to the grounds.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Miss Horner, of Cleveland, O., is the guest of Mrs. Nelly Udele Smith, of Madison avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, are spending to day on the links of the Baltusrol Golf Club, where they frequently visit.

POLITICS FOR COLORED VOTERS.

Gathered at Home of One of Their Leaders and Heard Addresses.

There was a gathering of a number of the colored voters of the city last evening at the home of William Fisher, 838 West Third street. During the evening some two hundred were present and were addressed by prominent local workers of the Republican party, among whom were Former Councilman William A. Westphal, Justice William Newcorn, Frank H. Smith, W. H. Drayton, Eli Odam, D. W. Brown, D. Norwood, William Pride, William Connett, William Fisher, William Kline, William Wilson, Mr. Huff and Mr. Mayhew.

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OUR NEWEST CITIZENS.

Education as Applied to Cubans and Porto Ricans.

With Porto Rico and Cuba under the protection of the United States, the colored populations of those islands will derive benefits and receive rights which unjustly were withheld from them by the Spaniards. The negro of Cuba, in particular, is a sadly demoralized creature, worse in habits and surroundings than was the Afro-American before generous-hearted Lincoln taught the slave holders a lesson in history. The average negro of Porto Rico and Cuba knows little or nothing. He is obliged to work hard on the sugar, coffee and tobacco plantations and in the rice fields, but he knows nothing of the higher class of industries, because nobody has taught him. He does not fear God, because nobody has shown him the wisdom of doing so. There is nothing absolutely new in stating these facts, but there is something new in saying that a number of influential Americans have determined to lift the negro of both islands from his lowly surroundings by teaching him not only the value of learning a trade scientifically, but also the necessity for acquiring some knowledge of the Christian world.

At the head of this benevolent corps is William H. Baldwin, Jr., the president of the Long Island Railroad. Mr. Baldwin for several years has been interested in the good work of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute of Tuskegee, Ala. This institution is devoted exclusively to the advancement of the colored people of both sexes and has done much to make the negro of the South and West independent of others and the creator of his own finances.

The Tuskegee Institute being recognized as the most successful of its kind in the world, it has been suggested that when the United States finally takes hold of Porto Rico and Cuba some provision be made for the immediate education of the negroes of both islands. Those who have given the subject deep thought, and Mr. Baldwin is one of these, think that if the government import from both islands a certain number of colored people of each sex, particular attention, of course, being paid to the more advanced kind, and give them, at the government's expense, the benefit of the various branches of learning at Tuskegee, they will be able, when finally graduated from that institution, to go back to the islands and instruct their less favored brethren in the trades and industries they have learned.

NEED OF GOOD ROADS

Uncle Sam Has Still Much to Accomplish Along This Line.

Although much has been done to improve the condition of the roads on this side of the Atlantic, there is still a great deal to be desired. This is made especially manifest when the roads here are compared with the highways in nearly all the European countries. Were the government of the United States to expend millions every year it would still be a long while before Uncle Sam could rank his roads in the same class with those of John Bull. In addition to the advantages generally recognized as inseparable from good highways, methods of communication would be cheapened and bicycles become an ordinary means of conveyance in the country as well as city. Machines driven by electricity would gradually come to supersede the horse. This would require more elevating manual labor in the manufacture of all the machinery needed to replace the horse. In England, France and Germany the roads already admit of the use of electrical vehicles, which are becoming more and more popular each year. In some parts of Germany it is said that farm produce is now being transported on electric wagons. The use of electricity as a motive power is as yet but imperfectly understood and the construction of horseless carriages is still in its merest infancy. Great developments may confidently be expected here in this line, but American ingenuity will be hampered until highways are constructed over which it will be feasible for such vehicles to travel.

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THE PULPIT SUBJECTS.

SERVICES IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES TOMORROW.

What Plainfield Ministers Will Talk About for the Elevation of the Minds and Morals of Their Congregations.

St. Mary's (R. C.) church, Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor.—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; evening devotions at 8.

St. Joseph's (R. C.) church, Rev. William H. Miller, pastor.—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; evening devotions, 8.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

Wilson Memorial chapel—Evening, J. F. Parker will speak; cornet solo by Robert Davis.

Salvation Army—Evening, Rev. G. W. Gardner will speak, and Capt. Norma Thompson, of Salvation Army Headquarters, New York city, will sing with guitar accompaniment.

First M. E. church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor — 10:30, Communion service and reception of members; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth Leage devotional service; 7:30, public service.

Grace M. E. church, Rev. G. W. Gardner, pastor—10:30, short sermon followed by the sacrament of the Lord's Supper; 2:30, Sunday school; 7, union consecration service of the Senior and Junior Epworth Leagues; 7:45, sermon by Rev. J. O. McKelvey, of Warren chapel.

St. Stephen's church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector — 7:30, Holy Communion; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11, Holy Communion and sermon; 7:45, evening prayer and sermon.

Grace P. E. church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, and Rev. F. Appleton, curate—7:30, Holy Communion; 10:30, litany, sermon and Holy Communion; 2:45, young men's Bible class; 3, Sunday-school; 3:15, parish Bible class; 4, children's service; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon.

Calvary Baptist church, Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor—11, sermon by Rev. W. Crainy, of New York, subject, "I Am With You Ever to the End, Amen;" 2:30, laying of corner-stone of the new church, a number of clergymen will take part in the exercises, text, "Behold I Lay in Zion a Corner Stone;" 7:30, sermon, text, "The Stone Cut Out of the Mountain With Hands."

Filmore Baptist church, Rev. W. D. Johnson, pastor—Morning, Covenant meeting; evening, song and praise service and communion.

Park Avenue Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor — 10:30, morning topic, "What May Be Expected of the Minister," sixth anniversary sermon; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, evening topic, "The Queenly Young Woman." All sittings free.

Congregational church, West 7th street, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "Listeners Unto Death," the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper will be adminstered; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, Christian Endeavor consecration service.

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor—Morning subject, "The Prayer for Laborers;" 2:45, Sunday-school; evening topic, "The Story of Madagascar."

Mt. Olive Baptist church, Rev. E E. Jackson, pastor—11, sermon and reception of members; 3:30, baptism; 7:30, reception of members and Holy Communion. Robert Terrell will speak at this service.

Monroe Avenue church, Rev. Wm. C. O'Donnell, pastor—"Triumph Services," morning subject, "The German Emperor at Jerusalem;" evening subject, "The Lord Triumphant."

Al Souls' church, Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—Morning subject, "The Duties of Christians Toward One Another;" 11:50, Sunday-school, the pastor will give the next in the series of talks to the adult class on early Christian history, subject, "The Persecution of the Christians."

Y. M. C. A.—4:15 p. m., the boys' meeting will be addressed by Harry Gee.

Bethel chapel—8 p. m., sermon by Rev. A. W. Alexander, D. D., of Brooklyn. All are very cordially invited to attend.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—At the meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men, last evening, ten propositions for membership were received.

—Garrett P. Serviss will deliver the second of his series of illustrated lectures at the Casino Thursday evening. His subject will be "Spain, the Land of the Bull Fight and the Alhambra."

—The Primary Teachers' Institute will be held in the First Baptist church Thursday, November 17th, at which time a celebrated Sunday-school teacher from Philadelphia will be present and make an address. This teacher has a class in the Quaker City of one thousand children.

WHERE LITTLE THINGS COUNT.

The Trouble for Bank Clerks if Their Accounts Are Two Cents Short.

Bookkeeping has been reduced to such an exact science in the big metropolitan banks that the clerks are expected to strike a correct balance at the close of each day's work no matter if the transactions run into the millions of dollars. When the books fail to balance, the whole force of the bank is put to work to discover the error, and no clerk starts for home until it is discovered whether it amounts to two cents or $2,000. Generally a quarter of an hour will bring the mistake to light, but sometimes the hunt is kept up until late into the night.

Such a search was being conducted in a New York bank located in the vicinity of Wall street. Forty-five cents were missing. At 6 o'clock not a trace of the errant sum had been discovered. Dinner was sent in for the whole force from an adjoining restaurant, and after half an hour's rest the search was again taken up. Midnight came, but still no clew, so sandwiches and coffee were served.

"Hello!" said a clerk. "The Blank National people are working to-night, too. Guess they're in the same box."

Sure enough, the windows of the bank across the street were brilliantly lighted. The incident was soon forgotten when the wearying hunt after that elusive forty-five cents was resumed. Shortly after 1 o'clock in the morning, as they were about to give up for the night, a loud rapping was heard at the front door of the bank.

"Hello! Hello! What's the matter?" called the cashier through the keyhole.

"Matter, you chumps. Why, we've got your blamed old forty-five cents! Come along home to bed!"

Outside stood the crowd of clerks from the neighboring bank. It appeared that, in making a cash transaction one of the banks had paid the other forty-five cents too much. As a result half a hundred men had worked for nine hours, and the search was only ended then because a bright clerk, noticing the light in the bank opposite, shrewdly guessed the cause, hunted up the cash slip, and discovered the error.—Harper's Round Table.

A Religious Compromise.

A certain Governor of Rhode Island, who lived in Newport and was a member of the Congregational Church, married a woman who was a Baptist, without any understanding as to the arrangement of religious matters. The first Sunday morning after the marriage the pair started out at church time together. They walked side by side as far as the corner of Church and Spring streets, where their accustomed ways to church diverged, and there they stopped. He stood with a little dogged leaning toward his church, she with the same leaning toward hers. "Well, wife," said the Governor, "which way shall we go?" She made no answer, nor did she make any sign of going his way. The Governor looked up at the beautiful spire and cheery door of Trinity Church, under the shadow of which they stood. "Ha!" said the Governor, "let's throw up both our churches and go in here!" And into Trinity they went, and were devout Episcopalians ever after.—Boston Transcript.

Snakes as Great Rat Catchers.

According to an account in the "Journal d'Hygiene," rats have become so abundant in Brazil that a domestic snake, the giboya, which has about the circumference of the arm, is sold in the marketplace in Rio Janeiro, to be kept in the house as a protection against rodents. It would seem that the serpent pursues its prey more for the pleasure that there is in it than from a sense of hunger, since it is said t rarely eats the rats caught. Similar in its habits and attachments to the domestic cat of our more northern latitudes, the giboya will, it is said, find its way back to the house of its master even if transported to a considerable distance.—Medical Record.

Nothing Odd About That.

Madam," said Meandering Mike, who had been pleading in vain, "ef nothin' else'll move ye, I'm willin' to do anythin' yer say in the way of odd jobs fur me breakfast."

"All right; there's some wood that needs chopping."

He looked at it for a moment, and then, turning away, said:

"No; I'm a man of my word, an' I sticks to the letter of me proposal. I said 'odd' jobs; an' there ain't nothin' more common an' ordinary than choppin' wood."

He Celebrated the Event.

The woman who in a fit of anger had deserted her husband wrote him, after a week's absence:

"Dear John—I'm tired stayin' away. Can I come back home?"

She presently received the following reply, in a strange hand:

"Your John ain't here. He's off somewheres enjoyin' of his honeymoon."—Atlanta Constitution.

The Cannibal Lobster.

Lobsters cannot be persuaded to grow up together peaceably. If a dozen newly hatched specimens are put into an equarium, within a few days they will be only one—a large, fat and promising youngster.

The Difference.

Hogan (watching the golfers)—"Oi don't see any difference becuse thot an' wor-rk." Dacy—"Yez don't, eh? Well, yez would whin pay day kim around, begorrah!"—Puck.

She—"They tell me, Professor, that you have mastered all the modern tongues."

He—"All but two—my wife's and her mother's!"—Judy.

GREATEST OF TABLE TALKERS.

Volubility of the Iron Chancellor While at His Meals.

When in the course of his tour round the world, Gen. Grant went to Berlin and had an interview with Prince Bismarck—then at the height of his power—he carried away with him the impression that the German Chancellor was the most interesting conversationalist he had ever met. Carl Schurz, who subsequently came to Berlin and was entertained by the Chancellor, said that the best table talkers he had ever known were Mazzini and Oliver Wendell Holmes, but that Bismarck was better than either.

It was a strange anomaly that one of the wisest men and best table talkers of modern times should have been born on "All-Fools' Day"—the best of talkers, because the greatest man of action, of modern times. And how infinitely more interesting must ever be the talk of a man who has done great things than that of a man who has only thought great thoughts? Bismarck himself never published his autobiography, if he ever wrote one. But when his own memoirs come to see the light it will be found that much of their interest has been discounted by the autobiography which he has already spoken. For, in addition to being the greatest acter of his time in the literal meaning of the word—doer, achiever, author of events, maker of history—he has also been one of the greatest talkers in the sense employed by Gen. Grant and Carl Schurz, and much of this talk has been about his own accomplishments. Indeed, there might now be written an ingeniously compiled book entitled "Bismarck, By Himself," in which nothing would be used but the Prince's own words.—Review of Reviews.

HEARD HIS OWN PRAISE.

Dr. S. Wier Mitchell Had an Interesting Experience in Paris.

A Detroit friend of Dr. Weir Mitchell, the eminent author and famous medical specialist of Philadelphia, tells the following story on the doctor which he says he relates himself, whenever the occasion permits, with the keenest relish of its humor.

It appears that some years ago Dr. Mitchell was troubled with a nervous ailment, induced, it was thought, by his unflagging energy in his two lines of work. His condition became so serious that he went abroad, thinking that a change of scene and a giving up of his labors might tend to make a well man of him. In Paris he suffered an attack of the old trouble and deemed it well to call upon a certain specialist with whose name he was familiar, as being that of a man famous on both continents.

He visited the physician purely as a patient and did not even give him his name.

During the conversation preliminary to the examination, the Parisian said: "I see you are an American."

"Yes," answered Dr. Mitchell, "I am an American."

"Which is your home city?" he was asked, and replied "Philadelphia."

The French physician held up both hands and exclaimed: "What, a man come to me here in Paris to be treated for a nervous ailment when his own home is in Philadelphia, where resides the most famous nerve specialist in the world!"

"To whom do you refer?" asked the author.

"Ah, you have never heard? Why, to Dr. S. Weir Mitchell, of course."—Detroit Free Press.

Machine-made Flower Pots.

An industry carried on by an English company is the making of flower pots, and this is done in a manner quite new to this country, the entire article being made by machine instead of by hand, as has been the custom hitherto.

The clay is first of all dried by being exposed on the floor of a suitable room and prepared; it is then passed into a press, which forms the quantity of clay into a shaped lump, technically called a "clot." This is carried on to a mould, into which it is pressed by a plunger or bolt, which forms the clay into the familiar shape. The edge of the pot is then trimmed by hand, and the article is ready to be partially dried and then passed on to the kiln. The whole process is remarkable in its simplicity and ingenuity, nothing but a little oil being used to lubricate the clot before being placed in the mould.

In these machines, which make pots of all sizes, the difficulty of getting the pots to leave the dies without breaking has been overcome. The articles are turned out at an average rate of fifteen to sixteen a minute, and the time required to make the complete pot is two and a half days, instead of four days to a month, as when done by hand. Two-thirds of the ordinary amount of burning only is required, and the resulting pot is claimed to be more true to shape, lighter, firmer and stronger than the ordinary.

Getting Hobson's Perquisites.

"That Sergent Bunker is certainly a terror."

"What has he done now?"

"As soon as we got off at the station he rushed up and kissed the three prettiest girls in the crowd—all perfect strangers."

"What did they say?"

"They said, Oh, George, when are you coming home again?"—Cleveland Plain dealer.

Jones—For a while Jones was clean out of his mind about that girl.

Smith—And now?

Jones—Oh, now, the girl is clean out of his mind.—Boston Globe.

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Men's melton cass fall suits that are sold in any and every store at $12 to $14, can be had here at $4 75. English diagonal dress suits worth $18 go at $7.50. Elegant imported worsted Prince Albert silk and satin lined suits at $8.90, worth $22. Men's business suits, strictly all wool, latest designs, worth $10, at $3 50. Men's fancy silk striped trousers worth $4 50, at $1.90. Men's fancy dress trousers at $2 50, worth $6. Boys' suits worth $4 at $1 45. Men's elegant fall overcoats, some silk and satin lined, $4.50 and $5 50, worth $13. Nobby youths' suits $4, worth $9 50. English fall top coats, silk or satin lined, $6 75, worth $18. Men's cheviot sack suits worth $14 at $4.75. Imported Vienna English box fall and winter overcoats, lined with heavy twill silk, $7.25, worth $19. Foreign wide wale worsted dress suits, silk faced, worth $22, at $8 50. Double or single breasted cheviot suits at $5.90, worth $12. Men's elegant cassimere frock suits at $7.50, worth $17. Men's heavy blue cloth double breasted suits at $8 40, worth $16. Men's blue kersey overcoats $6 90, worth $15. Young men's dress suits $5 75, worth $14. Men's melton cassimere pants 90c., worth $2. Men's imported clay diagonal dress suits, silk lined, worth $21, at $8 50. And thousands of other extraordinary bargains not mentioned here to be sold in the next 8 days at less than 50 per cent of the cost of making.

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DOWNED WESTFIELD ON THE GRIDIRON.

Alis Football Eleven Won By the Score of 16 to 0.

PLAYED AT MARTINE FIELD.

SUPERIOR TEAM WORK AND INTERFERENCE WON THE VICTORY.

First Game of the Alis Team This Year—Some Changes in the Lineup—Long Runs Made Around the Ends—Cuming Scored First Touchdown—Woolston Made Two—Great Line Work.

Rivalry on the football field between Plainfield and Westfield has been of a long standing. The contests each year have been watched with more than the usual interest in the game. Saturday afternoon the rival teams met and the Plainfield eleven, the Alis team, defeated the Westfield contingent by a score of 16 to 0. The game was one of the hardest fought of the season, and only the superior team work of the Alis boys won the game for them. The match was played on Martine field.

It was the first game of the season for the Alis team, but showed that they had not forgotten their skill. Experts who witnessed the game from the side lines say that the team work and interference of the Alis eleven was the best ever done on a local gridiron. It was certainly deserving of great praise. The Alis team can no longer be counted among the junior teams of the county but, now that the Plainfield eleven will only play one or two games this season, they will represent Plainfield on the gridiron.

Plainfield had the kickoff toward the western goal and sent the ball well down in the field. From the start it was evident that the teams were pretty well matched. Superior interference by the Alis boys more than overcame the greater weight of their opponents, however. The Alis boys took the offensive at once and forced the play in Westfield's territory. Taylor, at left tackle, did some great work breaking through Westfield's *line and spoiling play* after play. The Westfield backs showed a tendency to fumble that proved very disastrous to them.

The first half was nearly over when Fred Overton was sent around left end under strong interference. He covered fifty yards before he was downed on Westfield's five yard line. Harry Cuming then went through guard for the first touchdown. Dumont missed the goal. Score, Alis 5, Westfield 0.

At the opening of the second half, Westfield kicked out of bounds. Another trial sent the ball to Overton who advanced fifteen yards before he was downed. Then Overton, Cuming and Phillips made various gains and the ball was advanced into Westfield's territory. The excellent interference made the end plays effective and the advance was steady despite Westfield's desperate struggles. At the fifteen yard line, Woolston circled the left end and dodged over the line for a second touchdown. Dumont kicked a difficult goal. Score, Alis, 11; Westfield, 0.

Again the ball was advanced into Westfield's territory. Cuming ran for forty yards. Then Plainfield lost ten yards for off-side play. Westfield obtained possession of the ball but failed to gain. The play was then in the vicinity of Westfield's thirty-five yard line. A Westfield back fumbled and Woolston broke through the line, picked up the ball and was going down the field before he was noticed. Another touchdown was the result. Dumont missed the goal in the darkness. Score, Alis, 16; Westfield, 0. The game was then called on account of darkness.

The teams lined up as follows:

ALIS.		WESTFIELD.
Woolston	right end	Kimball
Badford	right tackle	Windsor
Schuyler	right guard	S. Voight
Leal	centre	Clark
Smith	left guard	VanBoskerck
Taylor	left tackle	Manning
Overton	left end	Lind
Dumont	quarterback	Lightburn
Finch	right halfback	Jones
Cuming	left halfback	Moody
Phillips	fullback	E. Voight

Referee Louis Darling, of Plainfield. Umpire—J. W. Voight, of Westfield. Timekeeper—Edgar I. Serrell, of Plainfield. Linesmen—Harold Phillips and Claude Edwards. Touchdowns—Cuming, Woolston, (2). Goals from touchdowns—Dumont, (1).

Baptized Seven New Members.

Special services were held all day yesterday in the Mt. Olive Baptist church, and in the afternoon Pastor Jackson baptized seven new members as a result of the special services that have been held in the church of late. In the morning Pastor Jackson preached an excellent sermon and in the evening he preached again. All of the services were attended largely and a large amount of money was raised for the benefit of the church.

THE COLORED VOTERS

URGED TO STAND BY THE REPUBLICANS TOMORROW.

Assemblyman Murray and ex-Judge Codington Addressed Them—Two Colored Men on City Executive Committee.

The colored Republicans held a mass and ratification meeting Saturday night in the hall over Boehm's store on West Front street under the auspices of the State and county committee, aided by the city executive committee. The speakers of the evening were Hon. Roger F. Murray, Hon. W. R. Codington, Rev. E. E. Jackson and P. W. Ross.

E. W. Brown was chairman and called the meeting to order. The first speaker was Rev. E. E. Jackson, of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, who gave a strong address upon the need every voter has to stand by the old party tomorrow. The clergyman's speech was listened to with attention and was highly applauded.

Hon. W. R. Codington and Hon. Roger F. Murray both occupied seats in the front of the hall and responded to the calls for a speech. Ex-Judge Codington spoke of the different candidates in the field on the Republican ticket and urged their election. Mr. Murray declared himself a friend to the colored man and said also that the party which made them free was the party to stand by them forever afterwards.

Mr. Murray had just left a meeting of the city executive committee a few moments before he spoke, and told his hearers that at that meeting a resolution had been presented and acted favorably upon that hereafter the city executive committee enroll among its members at least two men from the colored voters of the city. This statement of Mr. Murray's met with approval, and the colored voters will chose their representatives at once.

The last speaker was P. W. Ross, of Scottsville, Va., a school teacher who is visiting friends in town. Mr. Ross had prepared a long address but owing to the lateness of the hour, spoke only a few words instead.

REVIEWED CHURCH WORK.

Rev. J. W. Richardson Yesterday Noted the Progress of Christianity.

Rev. J. W. Richardson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church, preached an anniversary sermon yesterday morning to his people in which he went over a part of the history of the church during the past twelve months. The Spiritual work in the church has resulted in the addition of fourteen members by baptism and eleven by letter. The sum of $3,649 was raised for general expenses and $993.93 for benevolences. Only seven out of thirty-two churches in the East New Jersey Association showed a better record than this church. During the year the pastor officiated at four funerals, solemnized six marriages, preached 120 sermons and made 505 pastoral calls.

A REPUBLICAN MEETING.

Borough G. O. P Met in Spencer's Hall—Candidate Cooper on Hand.

A Republican mass meeting was held last Saturday evening in Spencer's Hall on Somerset street, and was largely attended by many old-time supporters of the party. Former Mayor Charles Place was chairman of the meeting, and addresses were made by Assembly nominee E. E. Cooper, Lawyer Robert Clark, H. D. DeMott, H. N. Spencer and many others. The audience was also favored with several vocal selections by Lawyer Clark. Chairman Place also made a good address and everyone present was urged to stand by the Republican ticket and work for it. The meeting aroused plenty of enthusiasm and everyone had a good time.

OUTLOOK IN UNION COUNTY.

G. O. P. County Committee Believes it will Give Voorhees 2,500 Plurality.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 7—A meeting of the Republican county executive committee was held in the county headquarters Saturday afternoon. Reports were made from all over the county and the G. O. P. men were much satisfied with the outlook for tomorrow's election. It was figured that the county would give Voorhees from 2,000 to 2,500 plurality.

A Cornet Solo.

B. F. LaVere favored the Trinity Reformed church people with a cornet solo during the offertory yesterday morning and last evening, using his beautiful silver cornet, which he says is the finest instrument he ever owned. His playing was very much enjoyed by all.

—The Newark Division, No. 118, Order of Railroad Telegraphers, will hold their annual reception in Elizabeth Thanksgiving Eve.

OSCAR AGAIN IN TROUBLE

THE LOVE-LORN YOUNG MAN NOW ACCUSED OF THEFT.

Rented a Room in Bayonne, and the Landlady Alleges That He Stole a Diamond Ring—Now Reposes in Jail.

Oscar Vaughn, of the borough, butcher's clerk, comedian and night-watchman, is locked up in jail again, this time charged with stealing a diamond ring from a lady in Bayonne City. Vaughn will be given a hearing today.

The arrest was made Saturday. Chief Grant received a telephone message during the afternoon from the Chief of Police in Bayonne City asking if he knew a young man here named Oscar. The Chief racked his brain for an Oscar, and thought of Vaughn.

"Has he a bad arm" asked Grant. He received an answer in the affirmative, and then concluded it must be Vaughn.

A little questioning drew from the Bayonne City Chief of Police the following story. Vaughn had come to town early Saturday morning and began a search for lodgings. He went to one address and engaged a furnished room for a week. He told the landlady that he would go to the depot after his valise, and would also get a money order cashed, then he would pay her a week's board in advance.

Vaughn talked so smoothly that the landlady agreed to all this, and left him alone for awhile while she looked after something down stairs. During her absence Vaughn went out. Shortly afterwards the lady went upstairs and claims a diamond ring worth $100 was gone. The police were notified at once. Vaughn wore a blue uniform when acting as watchman in the borough, and had that on Saturday. Therefore he was an easy mark for the police who soon had him in a cell.

Vaughn denied all knowledge of the theft, and gave a ficticious name, but admitted that he was from Plainfield. The police say the ring was found on him.

LITTLE MONEY LEFT.

Appropriation for Improvement is Nearly Exhausted.

The year is rapidly drawing to a close, but the fine weather will last long enough to permit the street committee to do considerable work on the streets yet this year if it wasn't for one thing—the appropriation is about exhausted. A little is left, but only sufficient to pay for the hire of a few men in the repair gang.

The people living in the West End have been complaining to the Council and especially to the street committee because more work has not been done on their streets this year—such as Plainfield avenue and West Third street. Last winter West Front street from Grant avenue out was a genuine boghole. The street committee promised to repair that street and put it in good shape this year and they have done so. Now they make a similar promise to the people in the West End, and will strongly recommend to the Council that this work be done with next year's money.

Good Time for Old People.

Tomorrow will occur the annual harvest home reception of the Baptist Home Society of New Jersey. Several members of this denomination from this city will be in attendance at "The Home," No. 285 Roseville avenue, Newark. The old folks have delightful accommodations there, where they can spend their declining days in comfort and happiness. These yearly gatherings of their friends are a source of great enjoyment to the aged inmates. The reception is a very informal reunion and extends from 11 o'clock to 4 p. m., with a luncheon served to any visiting friends at 25 cents each.

Last Call for Colored Men.

The colored Republicans have called another mass meeting for tonight in Reform Hall which will be addressed by Rev. E. E. Jackson, pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

CORNER-STONE OF NEW CHURCH EDIFICE LAID.

An Auspicious Occasion For Calvary Baptist Society.

OWN HOUSE OF WORSHIP.

STONE SQUARE LODGE TOOK AN IMPORTANT PART.

Preliminary Services Held in Reform Hall Where Rev. John Harris Preached a Sermon, and on the Site of the New Edifice Preached the Dedicatory Sermon—Stone Laid by Colored Masons.

The corner-store of the new Calvary Baptist church was laid yesterday afternoon with appropriate exercises and the affair was attended largely by colored folks from this city and other nearby places. There was also present a delegation from Stone Square Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., and they assisted in the laying of the store.

The services commenced at 2:30 o'clock in Reform Hall and were in charge of Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, and after the devotional exercises, the sermon was preached by Rev. John Harris, pastor of the colored Baptist church at Orange. The sermon was full of good advice and suggestions to those present.

The members were congratulated for their earnest labors, and were told to push forward in the work of saving souls. Following the sermon a collection was taken, and the receipts were most gratifying to the pastor and officers of the church. In the hall the services were assisted with music by a choir of mixed voices.

All adjourned after this meeting to the new church, directly back of the hall, where the corner-stone was laid. At this time Rev. Mr. Mitchell, of this city, read the Scripture lesson, and Rev. Mr. Johnson, pastor of the Fillmore Baptist church, offered prayer. There was singing by the choir, and another collection was taken up. This time all present, including the crowd that assembled on the street, were asked to contribute to the cause, and there was a liberal response.

After the collection Rev. John Harris preached the dedication sermon. The corner-stone was then laid by the delegation from Stone Square Lodge, F. and A. M., under the direction of Mr. Douglass, who was in charge of the delegation. Among those who assisted were Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor; Rev. Mr. Groves, pastor of the Mt. Zion A. M. E church; Rev. Mr. Morris, of Belmar, N. J.; Rev. Mr. Matthews, of this city, and several others. A number of interesting and valuable documents were placed in the corner-stone, including the history of the church, deeds, etc. The services throughout were of great interest and marks a new era in the history of this body of believers.

MARTIN CYCLE COMPANY TO MOVE.

Their New Headquarters Will be on East Fourth Street Near Park Avenue.

The F. L. C. Martin Cycle Company will change its headquarters with the beginning of the new year. A five-year lease has been signed for the two well-equipped stores on East Fourth street, just off Park avenue. One of the stores will be devoted to the storage department and repair shop and the other wil be used as a salesroom. The usual line of wheels, Clevelands and Crescents, will be continued, and, in addition, a complete line of golfing goods will be kept.

City Republicans Meet.

The Republican city executive committee held a meeting Saturday evening and transacted routine business. Nothing of particular importance was done. The committee adjourned to meet again tonight, when the final arrangements for the election will be made.

Frank Ianson, formerly of this city, who was injured in a railroad accident recently in the west, is improving.

THE RIGHT TIME TO STOP.

W. E. ELDRIDGE WILL RETIRE FROM THE BICYCLE BUSINESS.

He Thinks There is No More Money in It and Will Close His Numerous Stores, One of Which is in Plainfield.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Newark, Nov. 7—W. E. Eldridge, president and manager of the Eldridge Bicycle Company, in Central avenue, has decided to abandon the bicycle business. December 1st he will close up his branch stores located in Paterson, Jersey City, Elizabeth, East Orange and Plainfield, and after closing out the stock of these stores he will shut up his big Newark store and rest on his laurels. Mr. Eldridge, after a careful study of the future of the cycle trade, has decided that it will be more profitable to take this step than remain in the business another year. He thinks that in the future there will be little or no profit in selling bicycles.

After winding up his affairs he will probably make a trip around the world. In the days of the high wheel Mr. Eldridge was one of the most enthusiastic riders in this vicinity. He started in the bicycle business in 1891, the first year after the event of the "safety," as the present style of wheel was then called, and met with success from the start. He is one of the few retailers of bicycles to retire with what is commonly called a "small fortune."

TWO HAPPY COUPLES.

Cupid Still Continues to Make Business For Hymen.

Last evening at the home of the bride, No. 25 Howard street, occurred the marriage of Miss Louisa Sprigg, daughter of Louise Sprigg, to Frank B. Dranke, of Metuchen. The marriage was performed in the presence of just the immediate relatives by Rev. T. Logan Murphy, pastor of the Church of the Holy Cross. After the ceremony an informal reception was held and supper was served to the guests. The happy couple is now enjoying their honeymoon. They will reside at Metuchen.

The marriage of Miss Love, of the borough, to Christopher Wise, also of the borough, took place last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, who performed the ceremony. The couple were unattended, and after the ceremony they left at once for Brooklyn to spend their honeymoon. On their return they will reside at the home of the groom in the borough.

DUNELLEN DEFEATED THE PLAINS.

Dunellen Won 5 to 0 On Her Own Grounds After an Exciting Game.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, November 7.—The Scotch Plains football eleven came to Dunellen Saturday afternoon to meet the local team and was defeated by a score of 5 to 0. Dunellen scored in the first half on a forty yard run by Peters.

In the second half the visitors braced up and forced the contest for a time, then Dunellen recovered and carried the ball back to the Scotch Plains four-yard line. Allen, of Scotch Plains, was injured in the play, and as Scotch Plains had no substitute, they gave up the game with ten minutes more to play.

The teams lined up as follows:

DUNELLEN.		SCOTCH PLAINS.
Carpenter	right end	Flannery
D. Richardson	right tackle	Marsh
Morgan	right guard	Robison
Brandon	centre	Day
Craig	left guard	Edwards
B. Richardson	left tackle	Albert
Maltby	left end	Baldwin
Churchill	quarterback	Chapin
Peters	right halfback	Schenck
Thomas	left halfback	Allen
Hardingham	fullback	McGuire

Roll of Honor.

The roll of honor in the Sunday-school of the Church of the Redeemer for the month of October is as follows: Infant Class — Lyman Hibbard, 15; Alice Demarest, 14 2-3; Louisa Demarest, 14 2-3; boy's department—A. E. Moore, 14¼; W. H. Hepburn, 14¼; girl's department—Edna Moore, 15; Hattie Edwards, 14½.

—Press want ads bring results.

AN EXCITING RUNAWAY.

WAGON OVERTURNED AND DRIVER THROWN UNDER IT.

Luckily, the Reins Were Dragging Near Him and He Succeeded in Grasping Them so as to Stop the Fractious Horse.

E. D. Barrett, the East Fifth street plumber, is nursing an injured hand and shoulder as a result of an exciting runaway yesterday afternoon. Mr. Barrett was called to a house near Metuchen yesterday to do some work. He had just climbed into his business wagon when the horse, recently clipped and consequently frisky, started off on a run. The reins were out of Mr. Barrett's reach and he was carried off on a run.

The wagon met with some obstacle and was completely overturned. Mr. Barrett fell directly underneath and was dragged along in a moving prison. Luckily the reins were close by and he caught hold of them and finally brought the runaway to a stand. Then Mr. Barrett righted the wagon and climbed out.

The harness was somewhat broken while the wagon was also slightly damaged. The skin and flesh was scraped off of one of Barrett's arms and the bones bruised. His shoulder was also injured while he was generally bruised about the body.

DRUNKEN ESCAPADE CAUSES ARREST.

Theodore Wilson Accused of Breaking Into French's Mill.

One Saturday night last August Theodore Wilson was intoxicated. He was so drunk that when he got to French's mill on Somerset street he imagined that it was his house and he tried to get in. Finding the doors all locked Wilson grew angry and broke open a window and climbed in.

When Wilson gained admittance he threw himself upon a pile of soft bags and fell asleep. Here he was found next morning. He was told to get out, which he did, but when P. M. French heard of the occurrence he had a complaint made by Isaac Giles, one of his workmen, and a warrant was sworn out for Wilson's arrest on a charge of breaking in with intent to steal.

But Wilson steered clear of the city Two or three times he was seen in the borough, but managed to elude the constable. Then he left town and stayed away until Saturday night, when, supposing the matter had blown over, he came back and was arrested at once by Roundsman Frederickson and Officer Mattox.

Wilson spent yesterday in the lock-up and was arraigned before Justice Nash this morning. There was so little in the complaint that the defendant was released on his own recognizance.

A Busy Contractor.

John H. Milligan, the Dunellen contractor, is unusually busy this fall. He has just completed the erection of a house in Metuchen, and has another one there under way. Saturday he began work on a residence in Bound Brook, and this morning started the erection of a new barn for Mahlon Vail, of South Plainfield, whose old barn was recently destroyed by fire.

Prize Choristers.

The prize choristers at the Church of the Holy Cross for the month of October were Everett Sherwin, Kenneth Stuart, Louis Gardiner, Henry Kemph and Robert Sherwin. Each has the right to wear a silver medal during services in the month of November. Everitt Sherwin won the silver cross for improvement in singing.

A Farewell Surprise.

A surprise party was tendered to Clarence Rogers, of Central avenue, Thursday evening, by some fifty of his friends, previous to his departure at Mt. Jewett, Pa. The surprise was a complete one. The evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Came Home to Vote.

A. M. Laing, who has been for twenty years an employe of the Government printing office in Washington, is visiting friends in town. Mr. Laing formerly resided in this city. His voting residence is in Rahway and tomorrow he will go there and deposit his ballot.

Mr. Yates in Critical Condition.

The condition of J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, continues very critical. He passed a comparatively comfortable night owing to the temporary decrease in his temperature.

To Close Tomorrow.

The local grocery stores and meat markets will be closed all day tomorrow. The drygoods stores will close at noon and remain closed for the rest of the day.

—J. W. Gavett, G. Q. Packer and Powlison & Jones will close all day tomorrow.

GUESSES AS TO HOW THE VOTES WILL GO.

Figuring on the Election Returns in New Jersey.

PROPHETS NOW AT WORK.

DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS ARE BOTH CONFIDENT.

Democrats Expect to Elect Crane By a Decisive Majority and Gain Control of the Legislature—Republican Managers Predict Voorhees' Choice and a Very Large Legislative Victory.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Nov. 7—One of the shortest, sharpest and most exciting political campaigns that ever occurred in New Jersey is about to close, and none are prouder of the relief afforded thereby than the Gubernatorial candidates, whose mental and physical powers have been put through such a trying ordeal.

The Republicans, while sanguine of a victory, yet do not seem as enthusiastic as they were three years ago, when John W. Griggs was elected by such a decisive majority. They do not give figures in detail, but content themselves by saying that Voorhees will be elected by from 10,000 to 12,000 majority; that seven of the eight Congressmen will be Republican; that the same ratio will prevail with regard to the State Senate, and that there will be at the least 35 Republican members of the House of Assembly. They feel certain that Essex county will go Republican. That is the prediction, anyhow, of Franklin Murphy, chairman of the Republican State committee. One prominent Republican ventures the prediction that Essex county will give a majority for his ticket of not less than 3,500, and another goes as high as 6,000.

A Republican State Committeeman elects Mr. Voorhees by a majority of 7,100, according to the following estimate:

Republican majorities — Atlantic, 800; Bergen, 500; Burlington, 1,200; Camden, 2,500; Cape May, 200; Cumberland, 1,500; Essex, 2,500; Gloucester, 600; Mercer, 1,000; Morris, 800; Ocean, 900; Passaic, 2,000; Salem, 100; Somerset, 300; Union, 2,000. Total, 16,900.

Democratic majorities — Hudson, 6,000; Hunterdon, 800; Monmouth, 1,000; Middlesex, 800; Sussex, 200; Warren, 1,000 Total, 9,800.

The same prophet says that the only Democratic Congressman will be William D. Daly; the only Democratic Senator, Allan L McDermott and that the only Democratic Assemblymen will be 11 from Hudson, 3 from Middlesex, 3 from Monmouth, 1 from Sussex and 2 from Warren, a total of 22 altogether.

The Democrats have never been more confident of achieving a victory than they are this year.

And here is a Democratic prophecy; Democratic majorities—Bergen, 300; Cape May, 200; Essex, 1,500; Hudson, 7,500; Hunterdon, 1,200; Middlesex, 1,200; Monmouth, 1,500; Salem, 200; Somerset, 200; Sussex, 600; Warren, 1,500. Total, 15,900.

Republican majorities—Atlantic, 400; Burlington, 800; Camden, 2,000; Cumberland, 1,200; Gloucester, 500; Mercer, 600; Morris, 200; Ocean, 700; Passaic, 800; Union, 1,200. Total, 8,400. This estimate elects Crane by a majority of 7,500.

The Democrats predict they will elect Congressmen in the Third, Fourth and Seventh districts, and that they have a good fighting chance in the Sixth. They believe they will elect State Senators in Bergen, Morris and Hudson, and probably in Atlantic. They pretend to be sure of the following Assemblymen: Bergen, 2; Cape May, 1; Essex, 11; Hudson, 11; Hunterdon, 2; Middlesex, 3; Monmouth, 3; Morris, 2; Passaic, 2; Salem, 1; Somerset, 1; Sussex, 1; Warren, 2. Total, 42. Thus they give the Republicans only 18 Assemblymen. And even they incline to the belief that they may get a Senator in Mercer county.

Barring a landslide on one side or the other it would seem to an impartial observer that the result will be very close, and that the successful candidate for Governor cannot boast of a majority of more than 5,000.

Firemen Not Needed.

A quantity of wood burning in the oven of a stove in a house on Sycamore street opposite the Fillmore Baptist church, occasioned an alarm of fire to be sent in from Box 21, corner of Watchung avenue and East Third street, today noon. It was at first thought that the chimney was on fire. The department turned out promptly, but was not needed, as the fire was put out before they arrived.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

ELECTION RETURNS.

The Daily Press will throw election returns, local, county, State and National, by stereopticon views on a monster screen on North avenue tomorrow night from 8 p. m. till late the next morning.

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

A QUESTION OF MONEY.

No Longer Talk of Spanish Honor but How Much Islands Are Worth.

Madrid, Nov. 7.—Senor Sagasta said yesterday that the commissioners were not able to agree.

In political circles it is assured that peace will be declared this week.

An important politician here says, in reference to the question of the Philippines, that there exists an official note from Spain to the United States in which the former demands recognition of her sovereignty over the islands.

At heart Premier Sagasta is glad to get rid of the expense, trouble and drain of life which the Philippines have continuously been to Spain, and in his mind the future government of the country will have been rendered infinitely more easy when her ever-rebellious colonies have been disposed of.

Madrid, Nov. 7.—The government has received a new dispatch from the Spanish peace commissioners at Paris. M. Patenotre, the French ambassador to Madrid, and Premier Sagasta later held a long conference.

Washington, Nov. 7.—"It is no longer a question of Spanish honor; the position of the Spaniards is—how much money will you give?

This statement was made by a high official of the administration acquainted with the contents of the cablegram sent by Mr. Day, chairman of the American commissioners, regarding the reply he and his colleagues had received to their demands respecting the Philippines from Senor Rios and his associates.

According to the state department's information the Spanish reply is forty pages in length, and the president has directed that the entire paper be cabled to Washington in order that he might familiarize himself with the arguments used by the Spanish government in defending its position with respect to the far eastern islands.

It is believed, however, that the Spanish commissioners will suggest something like $200,000,000 as the sum which should be paid to their government, but the American commissioners will not agree to a sum greater than $40,000,000, the amount of the debt contracted by Spain for improvements in the islands.

Harvard 10; Pennsylvania 0.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 7.—The first championship football game of the season resulted Saturday afternoon in the victory of Harvard over Pennsylvania by the score of 10 to 0.

It was perhaps the most exciting game ever played in Cambridge, and in some respects the most remarkable. Harvard's first touch down came in the first play after the kick off. Coombs fumbled the ball and a Harvard player fell on it within the five yard line.

On the next play Donald shot across for the down. This happened within a few seconds of play, and gave Harvard the prestige of the first scoring. Although Harvard had a streak of Yale luck in that first kick off, the crimson fairly earned its victory by heady generalship, superior punting and cleaner handling of the ball.

Sixteen thousand people, including the fashionables of Boston, witnessed the great struggle on Soldier's field.

The Dreyfus Inquiry.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The Gaulois says the court of cassation has decided to hear the minister of war, M. De Freycinet, testigation into the Dreyfus case, and that the court will content itself with his statements, without insisting upon seeing the secret documents in the case.

The Fronde says the case against Colonel Picquart, who was charged with communicating to unauthorized persons the contents of important military documents, in his defence of Dreyfus, has been quashed and that he will be released from prison.

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You get nourishment and rest at the same time because these Tablets will thoroughly digest all wholesome food taken into the stomach whether the stomach works or not. A cure is certain to result because the digestive organs are given a chance to rest and recover their natural vigor and tone. The Tablets are then no longer required.

To show the manner in which the remedy acts on different people and how quickly and effectually it cures stomach troubles we present a few recent cases.

Mr. J. O. Wondly, of Peoria, Ill., writes: I was unable to eat anything but the plainest food and even that often distressed me, but since using one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I can eat anything and everything I want.

Mrs. Samuel Kepple, of Girty, P., writes: I have been entirely relieved of my stomach troubles by your Tablets. I suffered three years with sour stomach and gas at night. I am thankful for them.

Mrs. A. E. Bowen, Barnard, Vt., writes: I think Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best thing for dyspepsia I ever took. I will recommend them to anyone troubled as bad as I was.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will not disappoint because they cure Dyspepsia surely and lastingly by causing the food to be properly assimilated, and cure constipation by producing the proper quantity of bile. Sold by all druggists at 50 cents per package. Send for free book on stomach diseases to Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

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TERESA LOST IN A GALE

Spanish Cruiser Raised by Hobson Lies in 300 Fathoms of Water.

CREW FAILED TO SAVE HER

Full Particulars of the Disaster Contained In Commander Harris' Report. After Many Hours of Hard Work in a Terrific Gale The Crew Abandon the Ship Then Fast Sinking.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 7.—Full particulars have now been received in regard to the sinking of the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa off San Salvador, Bahamas, on the morning of November 1.

The news of the disaster came with a depressing shock to everyone connected with the navy department.

A thrilling story of the loss of the Teresa is given in the official report of Lieutenant Commander Harris to the secretary of the navy, received by telegraph at the navy department late on Saturday evening. It is dated aboard the wrecking steamer Merritt, fifty miles off Charleston, on November 4, and says:

"I have the honor to make the following report of the loss of the Infanta Maria Teresa: On November 1, at 1 a. m., I found that it was blowing hard and went on the lower bridge. We had left Watling's island light abeam at 10 o'clock and up till midnight the weather was pleasant and all went well with the ship, although we had trouble in keeping the pump in the forward fire room from being choked with coal.

"The wind continued to increase in force until perhaps three a. m., when it reached its height, although there were times all day when it blew as hard as ever. The direction was about northeast. The sea continued to rise until about six p. m. There was a heavy sea all the following day. Pumps were reported every hour.

"Soon after I came on deck I relieved the second mate, Mr. ohnson, so that he could go below to fight the water. About half past three the first mate, Captain LeCato, came up and he also went below to work. Captain Chittenden, who was on deck almost as soon as I, gave his attention to the pumps, and especially to priming the centrifugal pump in the forward fire room.

Captain Chittenden Hurt.

"There were many new leaks. When a heavy sea struck the sides the plates leaked at the bitts and seams, showing that after the fire they had resumed their former appearance, but were not tight. There was at the mainmast an inch of thwartship vibration, and only half an inch longitudinal vibration.

"While making this examination, about half past four a. m., Captain Chittenden was thrown down and fell on the chain, hurting his side and back enough to temporarily disable him. He continued to give us valuable advice. At three a. m. we made signal to the Vulcan and Merritt to go to windward, which they did as well as they could. Up to one o'clock a. m., we were running the starboard main engines and had steam on the two central boilers and three of the short forward boilers, but the trouble in the forward fire room caused the steam to run low and we lighted fires under the starboard after boiler and stopped the engine so as to run the steam up for the pumps.

"The pump for keeping the water from the forward compartment was driven by a belt, and when the sea broke over the bows, the belt became wet and slipped. As soon as the water was up to the floor place in the forward fire room the rolling of the ship swashed into the coal bunkers and carried the coal out choking the pumps, and carrying the floor plates about, which made it difficult and dangerous to work there.

"About eight o'clock I called for volunteers to hoist coal and water into the ash hoist. Everybody responded, and the work was continued as long as it seemed of any use. About half past three a. m. it was reported that water was coming into one of the starboard forward coal bunkers and running into the fire rooms. When the water came from we do not know. At about two o'clock the 11-inch gun in the after turret ran out and in, twice. When it recoiled the second time something gave way, and it settled to extreme elevation and remained stationary.

"About half past eleven o'clock we signalled the Vulcan to ask the Merritt if we could be turned safely to run safely for the lee of Watling's island. To this Captain Wolcott replied 'No.' and as Captain Chittenden thought we would sink if we tried to turn, this idea was given up.

Both the Vulcan and Merritt could with difficulty keep up head to the wind and the sea was running so high that the Vulcan's bitts started or the two lines parted. The ship would fall into the trough of the sea. At one p. m. Captain Chittenden asked me to signal the Vulcan to cast off the Merritt's tow lines and have the Merritt come alongside.

"I then assumed command, told the men what was to be done and assigned them to stations. I told the chief engineer to start the engine to aid the Vulcan in keeping our head up. He did so, but it could not run but a short time with the steam we had. We signalled the Vulcan:

Wanted to Stay Aboard.

"'We are about to abandon ship. Try to keep us head to wind.'

"I ordered Captain Lecato to take charge of the lee surf boat, and when it was lowered to the rail ordered Cap. Chittenden into it against his repeated protests. He was placed in the boat with his son. This boat was unable to reach the lines we had astern, but the Merritt picked it up, and after taking Captain Chittenden aboard, towed the boat to our lee quarter, and repeated this manoeuvre each trip, forming a lee for the boats to come here and then towing them back. She was splendidly handled.

From two until five the work of transferring the crew continued. Captain Lecato made two more trips, when his arm being disabled his place was taken by Mr. Johnson, who also took two boat loads. The life raft was got over and capsized, but was righted.

"It was put in charge of James Bashford, ordinary seaman of the Illinois naval militia. He and his crew took six Cubans to the Merritt. The smaller surf boat, stowed inboard on the lee side, was then gotten out and I put in charge of it Charlesh A. Dunne, quartermaster first class. I gave him nearly all the good seamen left for a crew. It was launched very handsomely and made two trips.

Oil Used on Waters.

"In all these trips we poured oil from the ship on both sides and the Vulcan also used oil to make it smooth where the embarking was done. I doubt if we could have worked without it. The ship labored more and more heavily.

"Before I left the bridge she rolled her sponsons under, which I should estimate to be thirty degrees, and her patching was enough to show her rudder, propellers and perhaps twelve feet of her keel. She was about four feet by the head. She fell into the sea very heavily and shuddered as she rose. There was no water aft.

"The Vulcan did her best to keep our head up, steering starboard and going to full speed while the sea beat the Teresa's head to port. Throughout the day the Vulcan did everything possible and we were constantly signalling.

"With the exception of three men who got drunk and gave much trouble, all the crew behaved well. Every man did his duty and my orders were instantly obeyed by wreckers and men of the navy.

"When the fires were low I called for volunteers, and the donkey boilers were at once fired up. Twice I asked C. F. Smith and James F. Brien, chief machinists, to oil the steering engine, and it ran till we left. When I took Dunne from the helm to lower the small surf boat his place was taken by William C. Morehoff, machinist, second class, who steered the wreck until we left the bridge together, when he lashed the wheel amidships.

"Willard Crossett, bugler, was signalman and was as cool as possible. He made no mistakes and was very useful to me as a messenger. About half past four he made signal, 'Hang to the wreck until you are sure she is sinking.' To which the Vulcan replied: 'We will hold on until she sinks or parts the tow line.' The last signal he made was: 'These two boats will take all.' After that I had to go aft to force the two drunken men overboard, and about five we were all off.

"The boats were hauled under the steam as near as it was safe, where the oil and lee of the ship made it smooth, and were held by one line, while another line, with a ladder attached, floated the stern on this line. Two double bights were stopped on the right side to go over a man's shoulder. The end was slacked from the ship and when the two men jumped they were hauled into the boat.

"A very fine fellow named Olsen attended to this. When all had gone but he and me, he cut the line and we jumped together. It was perhaps half past five when we reached the Merritt.

"While she was getting in the surf boats the Vulcan slipped the hawser of the Infanta Maria Teresa. I expect that the wreck, dragging off to port, brought all the strain on the port bridle, and started the bitts. When the boats were in, the Merritt, at my request, started to speak the Vulcan, but was unable to reach her, and she apparently did not hear our whistle. The Merritt then returned to find the wreck, but could not do so. The search continued until one p. m. the following day, when she headed for Charleston.

"IRA HARRIS,
"Lieutenant Commander, U. S. N.

The greatest regret was expressed in official circles regarding the loss of the Maria Teresa. Secretary of State Hay said that he was very sorry indeed to hear that it had been found impossible to bring the vessel to the United States, when everybody was so much interested in her.

Acting Secretary Allen of the navy said the loss was much greater than any intrinsic value represented in the ship. She was the link that connected the great naval victory with the United States. It was a sentiment bred in this country that succeeded in raising her and it was the wish of the whole country that she might be refitted and added to our navy.

McKinley to Vote in Canton.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 7.—The president expects to leave for Canton today, where he will cast his vote. He will be accompanied by Assistant Secretary Cortelyou, and with the departure of the chief executive almost the last high official connected with the government will have left town.

It is probable that more government officials and employes have gone home to vote this year than for many years past.

Any number of clerks have taken advantage of the leave or absence granted by Secretary of War Alger and Secretary of the Navy Long to all who wanted to go home and vote.

The same rule applies to the treasury, postoffice and other departments, although official orders to this effect have not been officially issued by them.

The two congressional committees have been busy issuing railroad tickets to men who were unable to pay the fares to their homes, and several hundred voters were taken care of in this way.

It was stated yesterday that the advance sale of cut rate election tickets had been larger this fall than for the past ten years.

Killed In a Colliery.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 7.—Seven men were killed and three fatally injured at the Exeter colliery of the Lehigh Valley Company, in West Pittston, near here, Saturday. The accident was due to the alleged carelessness of David Price, engine driver, who, acting in disobedience to positive orders, caused three cars to run into the top of a shaft. These cars, loaded and weighing eleven tons, fell down the shaft, a distance of three hundred and sixty feet, and crashed with frightful force upon the carriage carrying ten men.

Williams Has Yellow Fever.

Havana, Nov. 7.—Colonel Williams, the chief quartermaster, is now pronounced to be suffering from yellow fever.

He was removed Saturday morning from the Pasaje Hotel to a house at Vedado, near the Trotcha Hotel, rented by the American commission as a fever hospital.

Major Almy takes charge of Colonel Williams's duties during the latter's sickness.

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Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 100 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

J. A. MARTIN,
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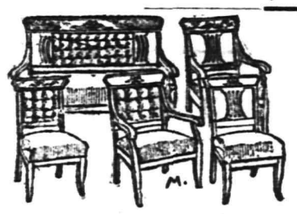

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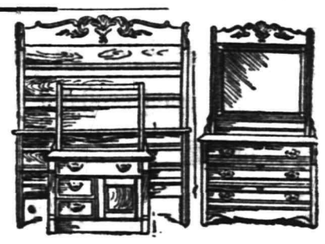

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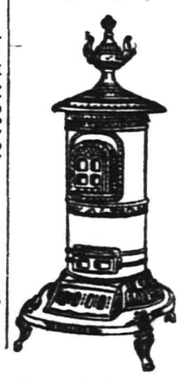

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Salisbury's Declaration not Quite Satisfactory.

WAR PREPARATIONS GO ON

Feeling in London That France Must Now Withdraw from the Bahr-el-Ghazal Region. Probable Character of the Final Arrangement. Warlike Feeling in London.

London, November 7.—The Marquis of Salisbury's declaration on the subject of the withdrawal of the French mission from Fashoda, made at the Manison House banquet in honor of General Lord Kitchener, is not regarded here as being wholly satisfactory. The entire absence of any reference to the extraordinary naval preparations is considerably commented upon, and it is remarked how careful the British premier was to explain that the evacuation of Fashoda was only in the nature of oil on troubled waters, and that British diplomacy had not yet weathered the storm which the Marchand mission had conjured. It is recognized that the French premier, M. Dupuy, and his colleagues intend to carry out what they have promised, but a factor which must be reckoned with is the fact that there are influences at work in Paris which render the existence of any ministry precarious and which might at any moment, in the event of certain contingencies, provoke a general upheaval.

In such an event the Fashoda business, which has been more or less carefully kept in the background would be rushed to the front, in order to distract attention from other things, and would be used as a rallying cry for all parties and classes of Frenchmen.

The English papers point out that the evacuation of Fashoda is only an installment of the satisfaction expected by Great Britain, and that France has yet to swallow the pill of withdrawing from the Bahr-el-Ghazal region.

Under these circumstances the debate in the French chamber of deputies on Fashoda next week is eagerly awaited, as the French government is then expected to explain its intentions regarding the remainder of the French posts in the Nile valley, established by Major Marchand.

In diplomatic circles a reassuring impression has been made by M. Dupuy's declaration of yesterday evening that the French government's policy will be based on well understood interests and that its efforts will be measured by the value of the objects in view.

This is held to imply that the present government will show a conciliatory attitude on the remaining points in dispute.

It is understood that General Kitchener has prepared and placed before the Marquis of Salisbury a scheme defining the frontier of Bahr-el-Ghazal, and the positions he regards as vital to the proper protection of the Soudan and Egypt.

An indication of the probable character of the final arrangement of the question is found in a map drafted by Major Marchand himself, which has reached Paris, and in which he sketches his route from the river Oubangui as far as ort Dessaix.

This map demonstrates that the town of Tambura, which is close to the recognized frontier between the French and Egyptian possessions, is in navigable communication with the Nile. The French officer established five other posts on the Egyptian side of Tambura. These the British premier insists France must abandon, but she can retain Tambura and the country westward of that place. Thus France will have an unobstructed water run from the Congo to Lower Egypt, without encroaching upon the Bahr-el-Ghazal province.

British Ultimatum to Khedive of Egypt

The attitude of the Marquis of Salisbury toward the commercial side of the question is explained by the London Times, which, after reiterating Great Britain's determination not to allow the French a foothold in the Bahr-el-Ghazal province, says:

"A French outlet to the Nile, for commercial purposes, is secured by our general commercial policy and may be doubly assured by a treaty, provided she grants to Egypt reciprocal commercial facilities in the French Congo."

The attitude of the sultan of Turkey and the Khedive of Egypt on the Egyptian question is being closely watched and it is said the British foreign office has received proofs of attempts upon the part of France to influence both of them against Great Britain. The intrigues at Constantinople, it is added, were greatly checked by the present relations between Great Britain and Germany and the British diplomatic agent in Egypt, Lord Cromer, has taken the khedive in hand and is understood to have put before him a sort of ultimatum, which may have involved his disposition in favor of his brother, whereupon the khedive became submissive and indicated as a token of his submission, his willingness to visit England and pay his respects to Queen Victoria, a duty which he had hitherto evaded, although he had paid prolonged visits to several European capitals.

A majority of the people here have been convinced that war between England and rance is inevitable sooner or later, and many expressions of regret have been heard at the military and other clubs that the conflict apparently is not to take place in the near future, as it is the general belief that the army and navy are in a perfect state of preparedness. The general feeling in the country is such as would indorse any warlike action upon the part of the government. In any case, work at the arsenals and dock yards actively and silently continues and information on the subject has been curtailed to an unprecedented point. All the officials have strict orders not to talk. The British admiralty has suspended its daily announcements of the movements of British ships abroad and the naval men express the opinion that such far reaching preparations mean something far more than a naval demonstration.

The whole reserve squadron has assembled at Devonport and is now completely fitted out and ready to sail at a few hours' notice.

DAVID A. WELLS DEAD.

An Account of His Career as a Public Man and a Writer.

Norwich, Conn., Nov. 7.—David Ames Wells, the noted economist, died at his home in this city Saturday afternoon. His death was not unexpected, though until Friday it was thought that he might rally from his illness. Mr. Wells had experienced a general breaking down of the system for upward of two years, but he was about during the summer and was able to drive out until two weeks ago. Then he contracted a slight cold. For twenty-four hours he had been in a comatose state.

David Ames Wells, the distinguished economist, was born in Springfield, Mass., June 7, 1828. He was graduated at Williams College in 1847, and was for a time associate editor of the Republican. While in that office he first suggested the idea that the printed sheets of books and newspapers might be folded by machinery; he subsequently became associated in the invention of the first machine devised for that purpose.

He then entered the Lawrence Scientific school, where he was a special student under Louis Agassiz, and from which he graduated in 1851. He continued at Harvard for a time as associate professor, meanwhile publishing with George Bliss the "Annals of Scientific Discovery." During 1857-'58 he was a member of the publishing firm of G. P. Putnam & Co.

Plague and Smallpox in Cuba.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 7.—Dr. Woodson, medical inspector of the military department of Santiago, who arrived recently on the United States cruiser Cincinnati, after visiting Holguin, Gibara, Baracoa, Sagua de Tanamo and Guantanamo, reports that on his arrival at Gibara with Col. Hood's regiment, he discovered more than half of the population suffering from plague and smallpox. There were also many cases of typhus and dysentery. He went immediately to work and systematically isolated the houses, insisting on the regiment (the Second Immunes) being encamped in a healthful locality near the sea.

Greatest Whaling Catch for Years.

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—Four more whalers, with catches aggregating in value $750,000, have arrived from the Arctic. The steamer Norwhale was the first to put in an appearance. She was 14 days from Fox Island and had in her hold 42,600 pounds of whalebone and 548 barrels of oil. The Kariuk, 13 days from Unalaska, brought 5,000 pounds of bone and four bear skins. The Grampus had in her hold 40,000 pounds of whalebone and the whaling bark California, from the Behring sea, brought 1,600 barrels of sperm oil. This is the greatest catch for many years.

McKinley Receives 4th Ohio.

Washington, Nov. 7.—The 4th Ohio, which passed through this city Saturday on its way home from Porto Rico, got the unusual compliment of a reception at the White House. Headed by Colonel Colt and staff, dismounted, the regiment first passed in review, marching in columns of fours.

After the review arms were stacked in a nearby street and the soldiers filed through the White House doors, moved to the left and entered the east room. Marching in single file, the men passed by the president, who shook hands with each one.

Chinese Affront to Russia.

London, Nov. 7.—A dispatch from Shanghai says a telegram from Tien-Tsin reports that 40 Russian sailors, an admiral and M. Pavloff, the Russian charge d'affaires in China, have been detained there, permission to proceed to Pekin not being forthcoming, and that there is strong official opposition to their going to the capital.

This, it is stated, is a forerunner of a probable affront to Russia.

Against Ocean Racing.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—The German government officials have ordered an investigation into the reported ocean racing between the White Star line steamer Teutonic and the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Friedrich on their last trip to New York.

As the Kaiser Frederich belongs to a subsidized company the government will also be interpellated in the reichstag on the subject by Herr Richter, the Radical leader.

The Kaiser at Beyrout.

Beyrout, Nov. 7.—The emperor and empress of Germany arrived here Saturday, but they remained on board the imperial yacht until to-day, when they started for Damascus.

The heat is tropical. Before embarking at Jaffa, Emperor William promised his protection to the German colonists at that place, who cheered his majesty enthusiastically.

To Abandon the Colon.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 7.—Captain Chester of the United States cruiser Cincinnati, and a board of officers having visited the wreck of the Spanish cruiser Cristobal Colon and spending several hours at the scene, finally decided that work on the sunken warship should be abandoned, as in their opinion there is no possibility of a chance of raising her.

Schley Sails for Home.

San Juan de Porto Rico.—Admiral Schley and his staff will return to the United States on the cruiser Newark, which will sail to-day and will be in New York on Friday next. Judge Russell will also sail on the Newark. Admiral Schley bears with him the full report of the American evacuation commission.

For President of Oberlin.

Chicago, Nov. 7.—The Rev. John Henry Barrows of this city has been offered the presidency of Oberlin College. Dr. Barrows, who is now in Oberlin, has not yet decided whether to accept or not. Dr. Barrows is one of the leading Presbyterian clergymen in the West.

Prince George to Govern Crete.

Paris, Nov 7.—The appointment of Prince George of Greece as head of the new administration in Crete is imminent. His title will be commissioner general of the European powers in Crete.

EXPLOSION IN CAPITOL

Supreme Court Room and Library Badly Damaged by Fire.

VALUABLE RECORDS LOST

Lower Part of the Building Wrecked by Concussion. Gas Escaping from a Large Main the Cause of Explosion. Valuable Works of Art Destroyed. Damage Cannot Be Estimated but Will Probably Reach 200,000

Washinton, Nov. 7.—An explosion and fire at 5.13 yesterday afternoon wrecked the supreme court rooms and the rooms immediately adjoining it on the main floor of the United States Capitol. The damage is extensive. The entire central eastern part of the great marble pile from the main floor to the subterranean basement practically is a mass of ruins.

The force of the explosion was so heavy that the coping stones on the outer walls, just to the east of the point where the explosion occurred, were bulged out nearly two inches; windows in all that part of the building were blown out, and locked doors were forced from their hinges at least 150 feet from the scene. Fire followed the explosion so quickly as to seem practically simultaneous with it.

The explosion shook the immense structure to its foundations, and was heard several squares from the Capitol. It occurred in a small room tightly enclosed by heavy stone walls in the subterranean basement, immediately below the main entrance to the old Capitol building.

In this room was a five hundred light gas metre, which was fed by a four-inch main. Little gas is used in that part of the building, but at the time of the explosion the gas had not been turned off at the meter.

The meter itself was wrecked, and the gas pouring from the main caught fire.

The flames originating from the explosion darted up the shaft of the elevator, which had been completely destroyed by the force of the explosion, and communicated with the record room of the supreme court, the office of the marshal of the court, and the supreme court library.

Before the flames could be subdued the priceless documents in the record room had been almost totally destroyed and serious damage had been done in the marshal's room and some minor rooms.

The library of the supreme court, immediately beneath the supreme court room, was damaged badly by fire, water and smoke, practically destroying the great collection of law reference books. The library contained about thirty thousand volumes and was used not only by the justices of the supreme court, but by members of Congress and lawyers practicing before the supreme court.

Justice Harlan said last night that the library was extremely valuable, many of the works it contained would, he thought, be difficult to replace. Librarian Clarke, after a cursory examination, made by the light of lanterns, expressed the opinion that many of the books could be saved, although they had been drenched by water from the stream poured into the library for two hours or more after the explosion.

The most serious damage in the opinion of the justices of the supreme court is to the records stored in the subbasement.

These included all the records of the supreme court from 1792 to 1832. The room contains records of cases and opinions handed down by the fathers of the judiciary of the government.

Apparently the documents in this room are either totally destroyed or so badly damaged by fire and water as to be useless.

Justice Harlan said that while the loss of the records was irreparable, it was fortunate that the later records of the court, which were kept in the office of the clerk on the main floor, were not injured.

James McKenny clerk of the supreme court, expressed the hope, after making an examination of the old record room, that some at least of the documents could be saved.

The supreme court room was damaged principally by water and smoke, the fire not reaching that point. Adjoining the court room, however, both the marshal's office and the senate barber shop furnished food for the flames.

While many theories are offered as to the cause of the explosion, it seems beyond doubt to have been due to escaping gas.

At 5.07 Lieutenant Leison of the Capitol police detected an odor of gas in the corridors adjoining the supreme court room. Not being able to locate it, he proceeded to Statuary hall—the old hall of the House of Representatives—thinking the gas might be escaping from a burner there.

While he was searching the explosion occurred.

Only a few persons, principally officers of the Capitol police, were in the building at the time, but several of them had narrow escapes.

Among the losses which will be regretted most sincerely are those of the busts of Chief Justice Marshal and other distinguished members of the supreme court, which were arranged on small pedestals about the supreme court chamber.

In the smoke and ruin which followed the explosion these valuable works of art were either badly damaged or wholly destroyed, and with their destruction the country has suffered an irreparable loss.

The Capitol building has been damaged a number of times before by fire, but it is believed that last night's fire will prove to be the most disastrous in the history of the building.

On two occasions prior to this fires have been started by explosions of gas.

Seventeen years ago a large amount of damage was done to the same part of the building by an explosion of this kind, and in 1876 there was an explosion of gas that killed one man and came near killing another.

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NOMINATIONS.

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.
For Governor, Elvin W. Crane, of Essex county.	For Governor, Foster M. Voorhees, of Union county.
For Congress, Eighth District, Edward H. Snyder, of Essex county.	For Congress, Eighth District, Charles N. Fowler, of Union county.
Third District, Patrick J. Convery, of Middlesex county.	Third District, Benj. F. Howell, of Middlesex county.
Union county. For Senator, George A. Ford, of Elizabeth.	Union county. For Senator, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth.
For Assembly, D. C. Collins, of Elizabeth. Mulford Scudder, of Westfield. F. T. Higgins, of Linden.	For Assembly, George A. Squire, of Elizabeth. Robert G. Houston, of Elizabeth. Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield.
Somerset county, For Assemblyman, Samuel S. Childs, of Bernards.	Somerset county. For Assemblyman, E. E. Cooper, of Warren.
For Sheriff, Selah Schoonmaker, of Hillsborough.	For Sheriff, P. V. VanDoren, of Hillsboro.

COMING EVENTS.

November 7—Union Bible class will be addressed by Rev. D. M. Stearns at Y. M. C. Hall in the evening. Free to all.
November 7—Meeting of Common Council.
November 7—Meeting of the Board of Education.
November 7—"The Sunshine of Paradise Alley" at Music Hall.
November 7—Basket ball game in Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.
November 7—Fair in W. C. T. U. rooms.
November 8—University Extension lecture in Y. M. C. A. Hall.
November 8—Opening of Park Club golf course.
November 8—Football game on Martine field at 3 p. m.
November 9—Sociable at Seventh-Day Baptist church.
November 10—Warren Engine Company's entertainment in Saengerbund Hall.

Trolley "Bluffing."

At the last meeting of the Westfield Township Committee the Elizabeth and Westfield Street Railway Company secured a six months' extension of time for the completion of their road, which makes the franchise in that place good until June 1st, 1899.

In connection with this action it will be remembered that Adrain Riker, of the Plainfield Street Railway Company, when he appeared before the Common Council two weeks ago, said that without the link between East Fifth street and the city limits in this city the proposed line of the Elizabeth and Westfield Street Railway Company would be utterly useless and would never be built.

In a very few minutes after that it will also be remembered Mr. Riker withdrew the application for this pivotal franchise, as he admitted it was. The impression that he wished to convey was that the company would abandon their plan of extending the city lines, and necessarily thereby, by his own confession, the project of a through county line.

Such being the case, what does the action taken by the Westfield officials mean?

It means, of course, that Mr. Riker's move in the Common Council chamber was nothing but a "bluff," and that the withdrawl of the application was but part of a policy by which they hoped to delude the people of Plainfield.

It is accepted as a common fact about town that the Plainfield Street Railway Company will renew their application for the franchise over Second street, and that very soon Perhaps they will do it this evening at the regular meeting of the Common Council. Their action in Westfield shows their true position.

The ideas of road improvement held by the Newark Call are strong and logical. They are as follows:

The development of good roads throughout Northern New Jersey has been remarkably rapid, and it should be encouraged as much as possible. The Legislature has spent a great deal of money on new armories, on public buildings and upon petty schemes in which members were interested; but notwithstanding the enormous income and the surplus of a million, it has cut down the State appropriation for roads. This was excused at the time by some scandals in the management of the funds; but the remedy for this should be the removal of the scandals, not niggardiness in regard to necessary improvements. If the State is to take a lot of taxes which should go to municipalities, let it at least spend its extra money to help municipal needs. In the last twenty years the number of those who live in the country and do business in the city has increased tremendously, and these people are especially in need of good roads.

After being without a theatre for over a year New Brunswick people are bestirring themselves now and talking about putting up a handsome and model playhouse. The cost of such a project is calculated to be $50,000, one-half of which the New Brunswickers will be asked to subscribe. Local pride rather than expectation of financial return for their investment is usually the incentive for the subscription to such an enterprise in a city the size of New Brunswick. If there are any who invest their cash in such stock with the hope of getting great returns they will undoubtedly be greviously disappointed. Such, at least, have been the experience in Plainfield and scores of other towns.

Forty-two States will hold elections tomorrow. Three States, Maine, Vermont and Oregon, have already held their elections. The following States will elect Governors: California, Colorado, Connecticut, Idaho, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Jersey, New York, Nevada, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, North Dakota, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Tomorrow being a holiday, Street Commissioner Gavett suggests that after depositing their votes, those who do not care for golf, football or a trip to Bound Brook over the new trolley line, should pay a visit to the sewage disposal beds and judge whether they are the oderless models of perfection claimed by some, the complete and dismal failures as portrayed by others, or something between the two.

The total Republican vote in this city last year was 1,562, and the total Democratic vote 631. It will without question be much higher on both sides this year. Assemblyman Murray received the highest majority—822. The Democrats were then without workers of any kind around the poles and the Republicans made only spasmodic attempts to get out their vote.

The Democratic and Republican candidates for Governor in New Jersey will keep up the fight to the very opening of the polls. Today Candidate Crane will push through Hudson county and speak at several meetings tonight. Candidate Voorhees will devote the day to Ocean county.

We await with some interest to see if the Plainfield Street Railway Company will get that ten thousand foot pole, which Mr. Riker so sarcastically spoke of at the hearing two weeks ago, to touch the trolley franchise with again.

Complete and authentic election returns of the city, county and State will be published in Wednesday's Daily Press.

The people will settle the claims of the politicians tomorrow.

It is said that life's side show costs more than the real circus.

The promises are good for fair election weather.

The Daily Press will be published tomorrow.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

A Plainfielder was fined $60 for bringing game into New Jersey that had been legally shot in New York. G-r-racious, what blue laws we have! —Westfield Republican.

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Harry Green, who has lately taken up his residence in the borough, was on a hunting trip in New York State and returned last Saturday week with seven rabbits. Percy Ohl and Freeholder Lutkins made complaint to Game Warden Sebring and Green was brought before Justice Mattison who fined him $60 for bringing game unsealed into the State before the law was up. A law passed by a Republican legislature makes it a penalty of $20 fine for each rabbit exposed. If $120 could be omitted why could not all the fine have been done so? Twenty dollars of the fine goes to the complainants, $20 to the warden and $20 to the game society. There has been a great deal of indignant comment of this case by the citizens of the borough. A Democratic legislature will repeal this obnoxious law next winter. Of course, no sane person admits its constitutionality. — Borough correspondent in Bound Brook State Center.

—Tonight the City Council will meet in regular session and it is said that the trolley matter will be introduced for the consideration of the members.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

That delightful new play of Denman Thompson's, "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," which is now in its third season of success, and which has been endorsed by the press, public and clergy, wherever seen, as clean and ennobling in its language, and containing nothing in its construction to jar the feelings of the most fastidious, will be given its first local presentation at Music Hall tonight. It is by the author of "The Old Homestead," and was written for the people who enjoyed that beautiful play. The original scenic and electrical effects will be used on this occasion, and the cast will include many of those who were in the original New York production.

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"The Finish of Dr. Fresh," Davis & Keogh's new farce-comedy, is the excellent attraction at the Star Theatre, Broadway and Fourteenth street, New York, this week. The plot is founded upon new and original lines, while the situations and climaxes are said to be exceedingly funny. One of the scenes is a faithful representation of a manicuring establishment, with its bevy of pretty girls and its odd and sometimes eccentric customers. It is here that the plot is hatched, fun runs riot, and the audience is given a taste of the sweet morsels of gay life as it exists in the metropolis. The cast is a large and capable one, including such names as Al H. Wilson, George W. Day, Lew Carroll, John and Mollie McCarthy, May Montford, Katharine Klare, Stewart Sisters, Chas. B. Ward and Chas. Hagan.

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In "The Sleeping City," which will be at Music Hall Friday night, is found the latest exposition of New York life. It is a story with high dramatic effect and unflagging interest. The scenes are realistic and the big features are a thrilling escape from Sing Sing and a burning asylum, which necessitates elaborate stage effects. The company presenting this play is said to be first-class in every respect. There are bright specialties, and everything is clean, clear-cut and up-to date.

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Frank Maeder, business manager of the "Where is Benson" company which appeared at Music Hall Saturday night, was one of the firm of Rich & Maeder, who formerly were managers here.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—This evening there will be an important meeting of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T.

—The Union Bible Class, taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns, will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening.

—Next Friday afternoon the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will meet for sewing.

—Tomorrow the regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will be held at 3:30 p. m.

—All interested in the study of Spanish are invited to meet at the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock, at which time the first regular session of the class will be held.

—Judging from the crowds of people in Woodhull & Martin's store Saturday night, their special 6 o'clock sale was a howling success. This firm has evidently come to stay, and the people are learning to know the bargains they offer are genuine money savers.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE NEWCORN.

Cases settled—McIntyre against Macaroni, on contract; Miller against Macaroni, on contract.

Adjourned to November 12th—Laird against Macaroni, on contract; Swartz against Macaroni, on contract; Ruklunski against Macaroni, on contract.

Beware of Pasted Ballots.

The Borough has been flooded by the democratic managers with spurious republican tickets, many of which have been sent out by mail, and are pasted with the name of one or more democratic candidates.

Our voters are cautioned to vote no ticket except such as they obtain from the election board or some equally reliable source.

Voters are earnestly requested to VOTE IN THE MORNING, and assist in getting out the full vote.

B. A HEGEMAN, Jr.,
J. G. McLAUGHLIN,
Executive Committee.

Tomorrow We Close At 12 o'Clock.

Present indications point to colder weather. We would cordially invite you to look at our line of

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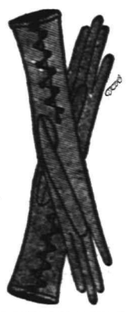

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5¾c. yd.	Dwight Anchor " " " "
4½c. yd.	Extra heavy unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide.
10c. yd	10-4 unbleached Sheeting.
4c. yd.	Outing Flannels, regular price 7c.
3½c. yd.	Shaker Flannels, " " 5c.
3c. yd	Best quality soft finished Cambric.
2½c. yd	Dark colored Prints, regular price 5c.
4c. yd	Indigo blue, Simpson's black and silver grey Calicoes, regular price 6c.
49c. a pr.	Lace Curtains, 3 yards long.
15c.	Ladies' heavy ribbed Underwear.
10c	Ladies' fleece lined black Hose.
39c.	Men's 50 per cent natural wool Underwear.
25c.	Men's heavy grey Underwear.
18c.	Men's all-wool 1-2 Hose.
6c.	Children's natural wool Underwear, size 16; rise 2c. a size.
25c.	Boys' heavy fleece-lined Underwear.

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Ladies' Regent Toe Button	-	1.50.
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" Manish Shape Shoe	-	3.00.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Oct. 7.—A meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Holy Innocents' church will be held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. O. Sutton. Mrs. White, of Elizabeth, who has been a missionary to Japan, will speak upon that country.

The schedule for the running of the trolley cars to Bound Brook has been made out and hung up in the cars. They leave here every hour in the day beginning at 6:15 o'clock in the morning.

The total number of names registered this fall is 328. Of these only four or five were added last Tuesday, which was registration day.

Mr. Douglass, of The Call, spent Sunday at his home on Staten Island. He will not return until after he has voted tomorrow.

The shrubbery about the depot park has been trimmed and the park has been put in good condition for the winter.

Miss TenEyck, who has been visiting Miss Margaret Sutphen, has returned to her home in Madison.

Miss Jessie Mark is building a house on Prospect avenue adjoining the residence of Joel DeGroff.

The Board of Education will hold their regular monthly meeting tomorrow night.

Mrs. C. D. Taylor is visiting her mother, Mrs. William Demarest, of Paterson.

Mrs. M. C. Bowyer is spending a month with her sister in Camden.

Miss Lizzie Carpenter has recovered from her serious illness.

W. R. Larkin has had his house shingled.

The new Sutphen house is nearly finished.

The Council will meet tonight.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 7—Joseph Faulkner has moved his family to Brooklyn, where they will spend the winter.

The cases of diphtheria on the New Market road are progressing nicely. The little Eick boy is slowly recovering.

The old Alberti property has been sold to Plainfield parties and is undergoing repairs.

Miss Adele Cozzen, of Colorado, has been a guest of her cousin, Miss Faulkner.

Miss Hannah Danz has moved to Brooklyn, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. W. J. Davis leaves shortly for the south, where she will go for her health.

The circulating library has been enlarged by the addition of a number of books.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 7.—For several years the leading church people of the village have been agitating a movement towards organizing a Young Men's Christian Association in town. One evening last week, at the invitation of Dr. J. Ackerman Coles, who had become deeply interested in the matter, representative men from the Baptist, Methodist and Episcopal churches met at his home, "Deerhurst," to formulate plans for the long-desired association. Dr Coles presented plans which made it possible to organize an association at once, offering the use of the old school building, rent free, to the association, and also offering to subscribe a liberal amount towards its support. It was decided to accept the doctor's generous offer and affect an organization at once. A. D. Beekon was elected president; George E. Hall, vice-president; A. D. Shepard, treasurer, and H. P. Robison, secretary. A board of directors was also appointed, and Sunday evening next a public meeting will be held in the Baptist church, when W. D. Murray, of Plainfield, a prominent worker in Y. M. C. A. work, will make an address.

The funeral services of the late Joseph Hayes will be held from his son's residence in Morristown, Tuesday morning, at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made in the cemetery of this place at as near 1 o'clock as possible. Mr. Hayes was well-known by some of the residents of this town, having resided in the village a number of years ago.

Mrs. Ira Gage Walker of the Epworth League led the union service of the Epworth League and Christian Endeavor Societies in the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Joseph Schmidt, of Co. I Twenty-second New York, stationed at Fort Slocum, enjoyed a short furlough and spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in town.

Rev. Mr. Lewis, of Pennsylvania, spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Rev. Mr. Woodruff, of the Methodist church.

The ladies of the Methodist church realized about $50 at the New England supper held in the hall Friday evening.

Wm. H. Turton has accepted a position with a grocery house in New York city.

Samuel Messler and family, of Rahway, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Miss Hattie Wilcox, of Brooklyn, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 7.—A large crowd was at the Broad street grounds Saturday afternoon to witness the football game between the Rahway team and the Lincoln High School. The game was close and exciting from start to finish but in the last half the home team braced up and sent Howe through the center for a touchdown and Bogert kicked the goal The game ended in favor of the school boys by the score of 6 to 0.

The Township Committee has extended the time in which the Westfield and Elizabeth Street Railroad Company must put their line in operation to June 1st, 1899. The franchise read that they must have everything in working order by the first of the coming December.

There will be a reception and entertainment at the rooms of Fireside Council, Royal Arcanum, Thursday evening of this week. Visitors will be present from Old Lodge, of Brooklyn.

Bon Ami

The New Cleaner

DOES THE SAME WORK AS SCOURING SOAPS BUT DOESN'T WEAR OUT SURFACES SO MUCH.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Jacob Long, of the borough, who has been very ill, is no better.

Mrs. A. Willett, of Craig place, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

E. J. Cooley, of Watchung avenue, is detained at home with a serious illness.

Mrs. Harry Marshall, of Fifth street, has returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lunger, of this city, have been entertaining company from Hunterdon county.

Adolphus Giles, of East Second street, has secured a position with the Central Railroad Company at Jersey City.

Dr. Hallock is now residing at the corner of Watchung avenue and East Fifth street, where he will continue to practice.

Mr. Conover, of High Bridge, spent yesterday in Plainfield with his son, Charles Conover and family, of Elmwood place.

Miss M. E. Eycke, of Summit avenue, has returned from Lamington, this State, where she went to attend her father's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sofield, of Mariners Harbor, S. I., spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Adams, on Netherwood avenue.

Rev. Andrew Armstrong, of Avon, Monmouth county, for over fifty years a minister of the Gospel, and uncle and godfather to Druggist Armstrong, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, of Duer street.

Rev. W. C O'Donnell and wife have taken possession of their new home adjoining Monroe Avenue M. E. church, of which church Mr. O'Donnell is the pastor. In a short time a house-warming will be given.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Weisman, of Asbury Park, has been visiting in Plainfield for a few days.

William Ashton and family, of Lincoln, have taken up their residence in this city.

Theodore Ayres, of Brooklyn, spent Sunday with Walter Bennett, of West Fourth street.

Miss LaForge, of New Brunswick, is visiting her cousin, Miss VanFleet, of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Samuels, of Duer street, spent Sunday visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. William Bennett, of West Fourth street, spent Sunday as a guest of relatives in New Brunswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Wolfinger, of Madison avenue, are spending a few days with relatives in New York.

Mrs. Waters, of East Third street, has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Haven, of Washington.

James E Martine was in Rahway last Saturday evening and made one of his enthusiastic Democratic speeches.

Former Mayor and Mrs. W. L. Saunders, of Washington Park, entertained company from New York over Sunday.

Allan Laing, of Craig place, who has been critically ill with typhoid fever, continues to improve and will soon be able to sit up.

Mr. Male and family, and Mr. and Mrs. William Ross, of Putnam avenue, will move this week to a farm near Warrenville.

Eugene Clark, son of Lawyer Alvah Clark, of Somerville, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles A. Reed, of Washington Park.

Miss Ellen E. Niles has left her former boarding place and is now stopping at the home of Mrs. Green, of West Eighth street.

Robert Davis, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A, rendered a cornet solo last night at the meeting in the Wilson Memorial chapel.

Miss Charlotte Messersmith, of Washington street, sang alto at the First Baptist church yesterday morning and evening, and her work was very acceptable. She will continue as a member of the choir.

Mr. Stricklett, of New York, formerly the tenor in the quartette at the Crescent Avenue church, has returned again, and his voice was heard yesterday. Mr Lenox, who occupied Mr. Stricklett's position, has returned to New York, where he has secured a more lucrative position.

Joseph Murphy, the efficient and obliging drug clerk at Horsely Barker's drug store, received notification last Saturday that he had successfully passed his examination taken two weeks ago before the State Board of Pharmacy. Mr. Murphy passed a creditable examination and is now a registered pharmacist.

Among those who passed the examination before the State Board of Pharmacy two weeks ago is Edward F. Randolph, the druggist at the corner of Liberty and West Fourth streets. Heretofore Mr. Randolph has been assisted by C. E Hepburn, a registered druggist, but the latter has now severed his connection with Mr. Randolph.

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NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E H. BIRD, P. M.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The November meeting of the Common Council will be held tonight.

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—A. C. LaBoyteaux led the meeting in the East Third Street mission last night.

—Big special sale of men's, women's, boys' and girls' shoes at Doane & Edsall's tonight.

—A telephone has been placed in the residence of A. W. Powell, of East Sixth and Washington streets.

—The Laire Hardware Company advertise a special sale in today's Press. Prices are low and goods first-class.

—The regular meeting of the Plainfield Board of Education will be held this evening at the Stillman building.

—The finance committee of the Borough Council will present their report at a Council meeting to be held after election.

—The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue church will give a birthday sociable in the church Saturday afternoon.

—The members of the W. C. T. U. will hold a fair in their rooms on East Front street for three evenings, commencing with tonight.

—A birthday party will be given next Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue church under the auspices of the Sunshine Mission Band.

—The work on the Grace M. E. church parsonage is progressing favorably, and if the present weather continues it will be completed at an early date.

—Last evening Rev. J. O. McKelvey, of Warren chapel, and Rev. G. W. Gardner, of Grace M. E. church, exchanged pulpits. Both divines delivered powerful sermons.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will celebrate its tenth anniversary Friday evening. Dr. Brett will speak and there will be other interesting features.

—There will be no session in the public schools in city and borough tomorrow. Election day, when there are State and Congressional canditates to be elected, is a legal holiday in New Jersey and the public schools are closed.

—At the grand masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club Thanksgiving Eve at the Crescent Rink, there will be a grand cake-walk, for which the lady and gent who prove to be the best walkers will receive a handsome cake and a gold-headed cane. A very handsome feather fan will also be awarded the lady wearing the finest costume.

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University Extension Lecture IN Y.M.C.A. HALL.

First Lecture.

Tuesday, Nov. 8th, 1898, at 8 p. m.

By Prof. Albert H. Smyth.

—Subject—

American Literature.

TICKETS for the COURSE $1.50.

May be obtained at Armstrong's drug store.

New Church Members.

Two were admitted to the membership of the Congregational church yesterday morning. One was received by letter and the other by confession of faith.

MAKING IT PLAIN.

Values crowd each other as the season advances; they clamor for a place in print; perhaps one in twenty gets it. Last month we broke a record, and the next 'twill be the same. We own the goods to do it with; we have the nerve to cut prices right through every department, not on half-a-dozen articles for baits, but every dollar's worth of goods in the store. It means much to you from a money-saving standpoint.

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The Young Women's Christian Association, of New York, graduated its first class of trained attendants a short time ago, and requests for their services poured in so fast from the doctors that every graduate was placed immediately.

Miss M. D. Nesmith, who is in charge of the class department, was seen, and spoke enthusiastically about what she called "a new occupation for women." "The purpose of this department," she said, "is the training of women to be attendants in the care of convalescents, feeble or elderly persons and sub-acute and chronic cases. There are many intelligent women who are unable to give to study the length of time required to become a trained nurse, and there are many families who, for economic reasons, are obliged to do without trained assistants in times of illness. It is to enable such homes to obtain better aid at a moderate compensation and to offer an honorable means of livelihood to women that this work is established. It will in no way interfere with the regular nurses' occupation, because one is a trained nurse, the other a trained attendant.

"The course of instruction embraces a period of eight weeks," she continued, "and is devoted to practical nursing among the poor and class work, including forty lectures." The course of study is personal hygiene, sickroom hygiene, methods of ventilating, sweeping, dusting, care of utensils, temperature of room, bed-making for bed patients and for convalescents, lifting, moving, arrangement of pillows, care of patients, frequency of bathing, care of teeth, hair and nails and prevention of bedsores. The attendants are taught all about footbaths, when, and how to use hot-water bags, hot bottles, flannels, salt bags, poultices, mustard plasters, stupes, iodine and liniment, and particular attention is given to the preparation and serving of food, the temperature of the body, and to r[illegible] aloud. Writing notes and [illegible]ks are a part of the last [illegible]e.

"[illegible]rs want our graduates," [illegible] said, "and we are hope[illegible] future. Our attendants [illegible] accept more than $7 a week and their board for the first year, nor more than $10 and their board for the second year. Diplomas permit them to register in the employment bureau of the association. We have had several telephone messages within the last few days from physicians who wanted attendants, and we were unable to supply them."

VERY TALL KNEELING

Explained Why "Little Mack" Disobeyed His Officer's Command.

One of the officers of the rebellion had a private in his company whom the boys jestingly named "Little Mack," because of his bigness. He was the tallest man in the company, about six feet three inches, and one of the bravest in the regiment.

On one occasion, when the men were ordered to kneel down behind a stone fence in preparation for an expected assault, the officer, who was preparing a surprise for the enemy, on inspecting the line was astonished to see one large serene face above the top of the fence. He shouted out angrily: "There you—you man with the head up—kneel down, sir." The man did not move, and again the officer thundered: "Why don't you kneel down sir?"

Oblivious to any danger and blind to the significance of his head being exposed, Little Mack answered: "I am kneeling down." "Then," shouted the officer, "put your head down, or you'll have it shot off, confound you." Thereupon Little Mack curled down behind the fence, grieving because the captain had howled at him.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Protection for Depots.

"It's perfectly disgraceful," she exclaimed.

"What's the matter?" inquired her husband.

"Here's a description of a woman who gets up in public and declares herself an anarchist."

"Well," was the rejoinder, "maybe it's all for the best. I believe I'd like to see women crowd the males out of the anarchist business. When they throw bombs they would not be so likely to hit anybody." Boston Traveler.

His First Duty.

"What is the first duty of a war correspondent?" asked the managing editor of one of the "new" journals.

"To have his picture taken showing how he looks when equipped for his work in the field."

The answer was so satisfactory that the only question that remained to be answered was whether he should be sent to Cuba or China.

The City Man's Mistake.

City Boarder—"What occasions such an awful racket on the part of that hen?"

Farmer—"Oh, I gues she has just laid another egg."

City Boarder—"Laid an egg? Why, one should suppose from the noise she makes that she had laid the cornerstone of a church."—Chicago News.

'Raustus, Jr.—"Poppie, is we gwine toe hab turkey fo' mah birthday?"

'Rastus, Sr.—"'Pends on de moon, chile, de night befo'. 'Pends on de moon."

A MOTHERS SOLICITUDE.

How She Wanted Her Son to Qualify for a Pension.

"The interest of parents in their soldier sons is exhibited in various ways," said a clerk in the Adjutant General's office to a Star reporter, "and while some of these exhibitions are grand and beautiful, some are otherwise, and I am sorry to say that the otherwise kind are painfully frequent. A recent case will explain what I am getting at. A young soldier applied to the War Department for a discharge. He, like thousands of others, had seen no service, except camp service, and, tiring of this, there being no immediate prospect of service in the field, he applied for a discharge. The fond parent, in this particular case a widowed mother, hearing of the son's application for a discharge, came to this city and objected to the discharge giving a half a dozen good reasons for her objection, which, boiled down, meant that the son was a ne'er-do-well and that about the only job her boy ever held was his job in the Army, since May last. When told that the War Department was not particularly anxious to keep soldiers in the service who only stayed in it as a means of livelihood, where they could get their food and clothing, and that there was a strong chance that the discharge would be granted, she begged that the son be kept in the service long enough to get a hospital record, and that, while he was not sick now, and had not been, she had every reason to suppose that he would be, for lots of stronger men had succumbed to camp diseases, and in the natural course of events her son would share the same fate if his exposure continued, though she did not expect or desire that he would be seriously affected, as he had never made effort enough in his life even to get a serious illness. 'Discharge him now,' said the mother, 'when he has not been in the hospital an hour and therefore has no hospital record, and it will be almost out of the question for him ever to get a pension!" At this the official she addressed closed the interview by saying that the son would undoubtedly be discharged, and that the government was not engaged in making hospital records for the accommodation of worthless soldiers or speculative parents."—Washington Star.

PITS IN THE PHILIPPINES.

A Fondness for the Rooster Which Takes the Place of Dogs and Cats.

Speaking of roosters, they are the native dog in the Philippines. The inhabitants pet and coddle them, smoth down their plumage, clean their combs, or pull out their tail feathers to make them fight, to their heart's content, and it is a fact that these cackling glass-eaters really seem to show affection for their proprietors in as great measure as they exhibit hatred for their brothers. Every native has his fighting cock, which is reared with the greatest care until he has shown sufficient prowess to entitle him to an entrance into the cockpit. In case of fire, the rooster is the first thing rescued and removed to a place of safety, for babies—common luxuries in the Philippines—are a secondary consideration and more easily duplicated than the feathered biped.

It is almost impossible to walk along any street in the suburban part of the town without seeing dozens of natives trudging along with roosters under their arms, which are being talked to and petted to distraction. At every other little roadside hut an impromptu battle will be going on between two birds of equal or unequal merit, the two proprietors holding their respective roosters by the tails in order that they may not come into too close quarters. The cock-pits, where gatherings are held on Thursdays and Sundays, are large enclosures covered with a roof of thatch sewed into a frame-work of bamboo; they are open on all sides, and banked up with tiers of rude seats that surround a sawdust ring in the center. Outside the gates to the flimsy structure sit a motley crowd of women, young and old, selling eatables whose dark, greasy texture beggars description, while here and there in the open spaces a couple of natives will be giving their respective roosters a preliminary trial with each other. As the show goes on inside, shouts and applause resound at every opportunity, and at the close of the performance a multitude of two-wheeled gigs carry off the victors with their spoils, while the losers trudge home through the dust on foot.—Chicago News.

The Catcher Caught.

A clergyman addressing those who go to church to stare about and then complain that others stare at them, lately said:

"When I was a boy we had a schoolmaster who had odd ways of catching idle boys. Says he, one day: 'Boys, I must have closer attention to books; the first one of you that sees another boy idle I want you to inform me and I will attend to the case.' 'Ah,' thought I to myself, 'there's Joe Simmons, that I don't like; I'll watch him, and if I see him look off his book I'll tell on him.' It was not long before I saw Joe look off his book, and immediately I informed the master. 'Indeed,' said he, 'how did you know he was idle?' 'I saw him,' was the reply. 'You did; and were your eyes on your book when you saw him?'

"I was caught, but I didn't watch for the boys again."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Soulful Youth (at the piano)—Do you sing "For Ever and Ever"

Matter-of-Fact Maiden—No; I stop for meals.

A PUGILISTIC DOMINIE IN RAMONA.

A Novel but Effective Manner of Saving Souls.

California has a minister who occasionally varies his routine of sermons and prayer-meetings by putting on the boxing-gloves and knocking down any local pugilist who cares to enter the ring with him.

The Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Ramona, Cal., bears the unique distinction of being the only educated minister who has gone into pugilism and knocks out big prize-fighters for the purpose of winning souls to salvation.

Ramona is a rough mining town of only a few thousand inhabitants, and up to a few months ago did not possess a single clergyman of any denomination amony its citizens. The only attempts that were ever made to convert the people of Ramona to any kind of religion were irregular and infrequent trips made into that neighborhood by traveling ministers who hadn't previously been warned of the unsual toughness of the majority of its citizens, so that these stray visits were never repeated by the same clergyman.

But the citizens of Ramona have nearly all experienced a change of heart since the advent of Rev. Mr. Wilson. Mr. Wilson is a thoroughly refined young minister who belongs to one of the best families of San Francisco. He had never seen a boxing match in all his life, and scarcely knew what boxing-gloves looked like, although he had the strength of an ox and an arm like steel. It was as an ordinary traveling preacher that the Rev. Mr. Wilson first ventured into Ramona. The first day he was there the whole talk of the town was about the big prize-fight between Corbett and Lanky Bob, and when Mr. Wilson tried to get a crowd together for a prayer-meeting they only broke up into knots to talk about the fight.

This gave the daring young minister an idea and he at once set about securing a course of lessons in boxing from a local pugilist. In a few weeks word was sent around the town that the Rev. Mr. Wilson was ready to knock out any miner of his weight who cared to put on the gloves with him after the prayer-meeting that evening, but that no one would be admitted who had not come in time to attend the prayer-meeting.

This announcement had the desired effect. That night the music hall of Ramona was jammed to suffocation at the time services were to begin and three times as many more men were clamoring for admittance. That decided the success of the pugilistic preacher's prayer-meeting and every week since that time the popularity of the clergyman has been on the increase, as at none of the weekly meetings which have followed the first has there been found a single fighter in Ramona who could stand up before the onslaught of the mighty man of God for four rounds.

Mr. Wilson has not only succeeded in building a little brick church—which is the first regular house of worship in Ramona—but he has also started a weekly paper called the Sentinel. After his sermon on a recent Sunday a local bully named Dave Putnam, about whom an item had appeared in the last issue of the Sentinel, walked up the centre aisle of the church and demanded that the minister take back what he had published about him. The pugilistic preacher-editor declined to do as was demanded, so Putnam pulled off his coat and prepared to "wipe the minister off the face of the earth," as he termed it. The bully was a great deal heavier than the clergyman and his record as a prize-fighter was so good that the congregation sprang to his rescue. But the assistance was unneeded. The preacher sent the bully to the floor with a single blow on the jaw, and as Putnam tried to rise, smashed him on the nose and threw him out of the church. This was the last attempt that was made to whip the pugilistic preacher.—New York World.

A TENDER COURTSHIP.

Ceremony Was at a Discount Way Down in Tennessee.

Haweis, in his reminiscences, tells of an extraordinary courtship in Union county, Tenn. "I was in the 'frog-pond' district of the country, when a young man rode up in front of the cabin where I was stopping and spoke to a girl who was dipping water from a spring. 'Howdy, Sal?' 'Howdy, Tom?' 'Come jump on the hess an' go to Erwin with me.' 'What fur?' 'Ter git married.' 'But yo' hain't done co'ted me yit.' 'I know I hain't, but I've been too pestered with work. I allus intended to marry yer, though.' 'But I ain't got no clo's,' remonstrated the girl. 'Well, we'll ride on yon side of Erwin to Sister Mag's in the cove, and I'll git yer a dress.' 'Sho'ly, Tom?' 'Sho'ly, Sal. 'What kin' of a dress?' 'Best thar is in Lowe's sto'.' Not another word was said. She dropped the bucket and jumped upon the horse, shouting to her mother, 'Mam, me an' Tom is goin' ter git married at Erwin. We'l be by here in tha mornin'.' The mother started as if to call her back, but the horse was galloping down the lane, and she went and carried off the bucket of water without comment."

Reading Character.

Dribbler—"In my opinion a man who writes an illegible hand does it because he thinks people are willing to puzzle over it. In other words, he is a chunk of conceit."

Scribler—"Not always. Sometimes a man writes illegibly not because he is conceited, but because he is modest"

Dribbler—"Modest! What about?"

Scribbler—"About his spelling."

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Aus der Rheinpfalz.

Speyer. Aus dem Jahresbericht der Diakonissenanstalt, die unlängst hier ihr Jahresfest feierte, ist zu ersehen, daß die Thätigkeit des Instituts äußerst segensvoll war. Die Zahl der Schwestern beträgt zur Zeit 229. Auf den Stationen wurden 10,857 Kranke in 11,037 Tagen und 8952 Nächten verpflegt, in den acht Spitälern 14,023 Tag- und Nachtpfleger gezählt. An Geldunterstützungen wurden durch Schwestern allein 14,996 Mark gewährt. In der Ambulanz des Spitals zu St. Ingbert wurden 5673 Kranke behandelt, im Viktoriastift zu Kreuznach 870 Kinder verpflegt u. s. w. Die Jahreseinnahme betrug 122,082 Mark, die Ausgabe 98,791 Mark.

Neustadt. Ein Beamter der Firma Eckel-Deidesheim verlor auf dem Wege von der Reichsbank zur Bayerischen Notenbank 18,200 Mark in Papiergeld und Wechseln.

Württemberg.

Stuttgart. Neulich Früh wurde in zahlreichen Ortschaften Oberschwabens ein vier Sekunden andauerndes Erdbeben verspürt. In vielen Häusern wurden Gegenstände umgeworfen, ein erheblicher Schaden ist jedoch nicht angerichtet worden. — Anläßlich der Vermählungsfeierlichkeiten im königlichen Hause fand hier ein von der hiesigen Schützengilde veranstaltetes Festschießen statt. Auch der König betheiligte sich daran. Pokale wurden bei diesem Festschießen nicht herausgeschossen, nur Schützenthaler, die auf der Vorderseite die Reliefporträts des Brautpaares, auf der Rückseite das württembergische Wappen mit entsprechender Inschrift zeigen.

Heilbronn. Das Gerücht, Oberbürgermeister Hegelmaier habe in Folge seiner Erwählung zum Abgeordneten des 3. Württembergischen Reichstagswahlkreises die erbetene Erlaubniß erhalten, die Landwehrhauptmannsuniform wieder tragen zu dürfen, wird von keiner Seite widerrufen. Es scheint also begründet zu sein. In Heilbronn schmunzelt man nicht wenig. —Der Herbst fällt quantitativ so gering aus, daß die Hauptkelter der Stadt nicht geöffnet wird. Das war seit Menschengedenken nicht mehr der Fall, das ganze Quantum wird auf etwa 100 Eimer geschätzt, während in manchen Jahren 10,000 bis 12,000 Eimer geherbstet wurden.

Neresheim. Der erste Gewinn der Kirchberger Kirchenbaulotterie mit 15,000 Mark fiel einem Maurer Namens Karl Ziegler in Aufhausen zu. Der glückliche Gewinner ist Vater von neun Kindern und lebte bisher in den dürftigsten Verhältnissen.

Oberndorf. Ein taubstummer jähzorniger Bewohner des Krankenhauses hatte den Armenpfleger thätlich angegriffen. Als man die Polizei herbeiholte, stieß der Taubstumme derartig unartikulirte Laute aus, daß der anwesende Mitinsasse des Krankenhauses vor Schrecken todt umfiel.

Rottweil. Der hiesigen Getreideverkaufs-Genossenschaft hat der König einen einmaligen Beitrag von 6000 Mark verwilligt.

Ulm. Im Chor des hiesigen Münsters wird gegenwärtig der Fußboden aufgegraben, um die Heizkanäle durchzuziehen. Hierbei fand man einen kunstvoll gearbeiteten Zinnsarg, der nach der aufgravirten Aufschrift die Gebeine eines Töchterchens des Herzogs Friedrich Philipp von Württemberg enthält. Das Kind starb 1¾ Jahre alt hier und ist am 3. Juni 1633 im Chor des Münsters beigesetzt worden. Die Gebeine, ein Leichentuch von Seide und die Ueberreste einer kleinen Perlenkrone sind noch wohl erhalten.

Weinsberg. Hier erschoß sich der 13jährige Stiefsohn eines Friseurs mit dem Jagdgewehr seines Vaters.

Baden.

Karlsruhe. Wegen der hohen Fleischpreise beabsichtigen die der Städteordnung unterstehenden badischen Städte, eine Petition an die Regierung zu richten, zwecks Erleichterung der Schweineeinfuhr aus Holland und Frankreich.

Heidelberg. Schon seit längerer Zeit wird von einer größeren Anzahl von Einwohnern Handschuhsheims die Einverleibung dieses 3400 Seelen zählenden Ortes in die Stadt Heidelberg erstrebt, doch sind die Meinungen noch getheilt. Dieser Tage ging eine Petition für die Eingemeindung an das Bezirksamt ab.

Konstanz. Hier stürzte Elektrotechniker Walker so unglücklich vom Rad, daß er bald darauf an Gehirnerschütterung starb.

Ladenburg. Unter großen Festlichkeiten beging kürzlich die Stadt die Feier ihres 1800jährigen Bestehens.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 26, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 48, 7 33, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 56, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 23 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St., at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m., 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 06, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 55, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 5 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 26, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 56, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 23 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 15, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 06 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 38, 5 03, 5 35, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m; 2 05, 3 36, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 38, 7 55, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 3 20, 4 30, 5 26, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 5 55, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 3 27, 5 35, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 5 08 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

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WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaquua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 35 p. m. for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.- For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 06 p. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 00 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 8 27, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 48, 10:37, a. m; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22, 6 21, 6 50, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 5 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8 27 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22 p. m.

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If Texas Had Seventy Million People, It Would Have Only the Density of Population of Our New Island Colony, Porto Rico.

While it is undoubtedly true that an enormous amount of development of one sort and another is possible in every one of the island colonies which yesterday were Spain's but to-day are ours, if anybody's, it is also true that there is much misapprehension regarding them.

For instance, there has been a great deal of talk about the undeveloped agricultural resources of Porto Rico, and more than one ordinarily level-headed American has dreamed dreams of fortunes to be made there by raising certain crops. But these dreams are generally regarded as delusive by the well informed, for Porto Rico is already over-cultivated, if anything. Certainly her soil is far more assiduously tended than that of any state in this Union. There may be some sections in a few of the older states that have reached a grade of agricultural development approaching that of Porto Rico, but they are few and small. And there is no comparison whatever between the high state of cultivation attained there and the agricultural development of the greater part of the available farming land in this country.

This statement is made primarily on the evidence of travellers in Porto Rico who speak with wonder of the thorough subjugation of the soil there, but it need not rest on their evidence alone. It is fully borne out by figures, which sometimes lie, but are perfectly trustworthy in this instance. Porto Rico, with an area of only 3,550 square miles, less than one-thirteenth the area of the state of New York, has a population of about 800,000, or 225 to the square mile, and most of this population is agricultural at that. The United States, with an area of 3,609,990 square miles, has a population of about 74,500,000, or only 21 to the square mile, a much larger proportion case in Porto Rico.

There are, in truth, only two states in our Union that support a larger population to the square mile than Porto Rico. These are Massachusetts and Rhode Island. Massachusetts, with an area of 8,315 square miles, has a population of 2,238,943, or 269 to the square mile. Little Rhode Island, with 1,250 square miles, has 345,506, or 276 to the square mile. But neither of these states is chiefly agricultural—in fact the bulk of the population in both is supported by the mills and factories in the cities and towns. The farms of neither Massachusetts nor Rhode Island are cultivated with anything like the care bestowed upon the Porto Rican acres, nor will they be until the United States is desperately crowded, much more desperately, perhaps, than it will be in the lifetime of anyone who reads this article.

No state besides these two approaches Poro Rico in density of population. New Jersey, largely a manufacturing and suburban community, supports 184 persons to the square mile; Connecticut, chiefly by manufactures, supports 149 to the square mile; New York supports 132, vastly more than half by commercial and manufacturing enterprises, and Pennsylvania, with the third largest city in the Union, and her myriads of miners, 116.

These figures are enough to show that the enterprising American, desirous of winning wealth by agricultural pursuits, would find far more room for his ambitions in some of the most thickly populated states of the Union than in Porto Rico, to say nothing of California, with its vast territory, embracing 158,360 square miles, whereon dwell about 1,300,000 souls, or eight to the square mile; or Texas, extending over 265,780, with 2,236,000 inhabitants and about the same density. There is, in fact, a better chance for agricultural expansion in Michigan or Missouri, or Illinois or Indiana or any other state in the country except those which are too arid or too mountainous to cultivate profitably.

It is a little different with Cuba, and yet the population of that fair island, though not to be compared as to density with that of Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey or Connecticut, is still greater than that of the United States as a whole. Before the beginning of the insurrection, which was followed by the Spanish-American war, Cuba had a population of more than 1,500,000, which was supported on 43,220 square miles, or about 34 to the mile. Allowing for all probable decrease, Cuba must still contain 1,000,000 souls.

This, however, is by no means dense enough to preclude a great degree of agricultural expansion, especially as the soil of Cuba is wondrously productive; there is no arid area and nearly every square foot of territory can be cultivated. Aside from climatic drawbacks, Cuba should, and, in spite of them probably will, furnish a field for the agricultural exploitation of much American capital. It is within the knowledge of the writer that the promoters of at least half a dozen schemes of this sort are now endeavoring to float stock and bonds in New York to carry them on. Some who invest will probably make money, but there isn't the slightest doubt that others—particularly among those who make primary investments, will lose their funds with neatness and dispatch.

Still another sort of condition exists in the Philippines, where with an area of 114,326 square miles, the population is about 9,500,000, or 83 to the square mile.

This is really denser than it seems, since the proportion of arable acres in that group of oriental islands is much smaller than in either Cuba or Porto Rico. The density in the Philippines is almost the same as in Delaware, where the area is 2,050 square miles and the population 168,493, or about 82 to the mile. Yet, should the Philippines finally fall under our dominion, there will undoubtedly be some cultivation of their soil by American capital, though it is highly improbable that laborers from America or any other country of a temperate climate can be employed on the plantations because of the climate.

The same will undoubtedly hold good with regard to the West Indian islands. Thus, while American capital may be profitably employed in the agricultural development and surely will find a place in the commercial development of the Spanish islands, they will afford little or no outlet for the surplus labor of this country. American managers will undoubtedly direct whatever American enterprises are established in any of the islands and a few Americans may find employment as clerks, but even they will be few, since men of native birth, who can stand the climate better, may be hired for smaller wages in both Cuba and Porto Rico than Americans would demand, while in the Philippines the Chinese—in some respects the finest clerks in the world—may be had for stipends that would seem pitiful to the most modest occidental. But this is trenching on a problem which is sure to be taken up by the labor organizations of the country and over which more than one pitched political battle is certain to be fought.

The total population of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines is 11,800,000, or a little more than one-seventh as large as the population of the United States and almost identical with that of New England and the State of New York combined. The population of the Philippines is about once and a half as large as that of New York.

The total area of the Spanish islands is 161,096 square miles, about one-twenty-second of the area of the United States, which is 3,602,990 square miles, a little more than the area of California, while the entire Philippine archipellago, with Cuba and Porto Rico crowded alongside, would have ample room in a sea as big as Texas, with more than 100,000 square miles to spare for water space.

TROUT FISHING.

Live Bait, Used Instead of Flies, Lures Them to Deeply Cast Hooks.

A party just returned from a fishing trip in the trout region of upper Ontario reports excellent luck there. They made their headquarters on the York branch of the Modawaski River, a section of the province which is still unsettled. The river connects innumerable lakes, and is fed by all sorts and sizes of brooks and streams. Dense forest lands prevail, and the conditions generally are ideal for trout. Elephant Lake, one of the largest sheets of water in the region, with Elephant Creek, its biggest feeder, are places of refuge for the fattest of brook trout in the warm season. Elephant Creek is full of deep holes and the water in it is always cold, coming from countless springs and being shielded from the sun by the forest banks.

Here it was that the Americans got most of their fish. A six-mile paddle from camp brought them to the creek. Singularly enough all rules of trout fishing were set at naught. The fish took the bait as well in the hot sun of high noon as in the early morning or evening hours. Noises of various kinds, such as are ordinarily tabooed by trout experts, seemed to make no impression on the trout of Elephant Creek. They took the worms or grasshoppers in eight to ten feet of water readily, despite hilarity and loud talking on the surface.

The fishing was done from canoes, two men to each canoe, the boats being either anchored or held in position by grasping the bushes along the shore. Ordinary ground worms proved to be the best bait, with an occasional small grasshopper as a change of diet. One of the fishermen used a fly—a "Silver Doctor"—as well as live bait, attaching the fly about eighteen inches above the hook with the worm. In several instances he hooked two fish at one time, a trout taking the fly in deep water after another had been struck below on the worm-baited hook. The trout ran from eight ounces to a pound and a half in weight, the larger ones invariably making a stiff fight for liberty.

The big fellows seemed to flock together. In one instance twenty trout were taken out of one hole in Elephant Creek within half an hour, only one of which weighed less than fourteen ounces. The water at that point was twelve feet deep and was sheltered by a big mass of fallen dead timber. It was a difficult spot to fish in because of the constant danger of entangling the tackle, but great care was exercised and not a fish was lost once he was hooked.

In other places only the smaller trout could be hooked. They made the best pan fish, even if the sport of catching them was less exciting than their bigger brothers furnished.

Trolling in the deep channels of the lake resulted in a few strikes of grandfather trout, averaging two or three pounds in weight. They were caught in from forty to sixty feet of water and invariably gave a hard battle when reeled to within a few feet of the surface. Eight-ounce bass rods were used for the trolling, with tiny spoons weighted with shot for the bait. These big fellows were dark in color and their spots were not nearly so brilliant as those of the smaller trout caught in the streams.

The daughters of a South African Kaffir patriarch are a source of wealth to him, inasmuch as at their marriage they bring him from ten to twenty head of cattle. The mother likewise gains, for she invariably receives a cow from her son-in-law-elect.

CAIN'S WIFE.

Where did he get her?
Who was her brother?
Had she a sister?
Had she a mother?
Was she pre-Adamic—
Born before history—
With her identity
Shrouded in mystery?
Maid of Phoenicia,
Egypt, Arabia,
Africa, India,
Or sun-kissed Suabia?
Who was her father?
Was he a viking
Cruising about
Just to his liking;
Out of the Whenceness
Over the water
Into the Where
Bringing his daughter?
Native of Norway,
Denmark or Sweden,
Lured by the charms
Of the garden of Eden?
Blonde or brunette?
Rounded or slender?
Fiery or frigid?
Haughty or tender?
Why are her graces
Unknown to fame?
Where did Cain meet her?
What was her name?
Tell me, ye sages,
Students of Life,
Answer my query—
Who was Cain's wife?—S. T. C.

THE ARTIST'S PUPIL.

It was the Lady Clara Curzon's first London season. Six months before, she had romped in the nursery adorned with a pinafore and pigtail but now she was bursting the bud and developing into a society rose of the fairest blush. To effect this development her mother, the Duchess of Bracering, a celebrated beauty in her time, had sacrificed much, though, like the Spartans of old, she concealed the troubles which gnawed at her vitals with quiet dignity and considerable tact. Every one hazarded that a break-up of some kind must sooner or later take place, for the ducal estates were heavily encumbered, and the financial position of the noble family was becoming more and more rotten at the core. Of this little Lady Clara knew nothing. Her buoyant young heart was entirely free from the weighty considerations which engaged her unfortunate parent. The pinafore and pigtail had been good enough for her, and beyond a childish appreciation of fine feathers, she had treated her court attire with little respect. She had inherited romance—an affliction worse than the gout, her mother said—from wayward ancestors who had wedded where eyes and heart and not reason had dictated; hence the fragile state of the family purse from which the duchess, herself veined with spotless tracings of effete blue, had now to suffer.

"I mean to marry some one who is talented and artistic," Lady Clara announced, when suitors were talked of. "not a popinjay who will divide his affections between me and a racing stable."

She echoed this from her friend Eldred Raymond, a clever girl whose poems had entitled her to a prominent position among the select coterie known as "Souls."

The allusion to the racing stable poked at a jaunty young duke who was first favorite in her mother's calculations. Second in the running came a millionaire, son of a prosperous manufacturer, whose name was ignored by Lady Clara, in spite of its oft-repeated emblazonment on boardings and advertisement sheets. The youth himself, who was not "in society," was privately known to the Duchess of Bracering, in consequence of certain mortgaging transactions wherein the aristocratic signatures of the lady and the clerklike autograph of his father sat cheek by jowl. Mr. Blakewell junior was in fact a solicitor, though a sleeping partner in the paternal concern, and he was professionally aware of one or two harrowing details in the Bracerings' financial history. Painfully aware, too, because alas! he had, like the cats who look unreservedly at kings, taken in every beautiful line of Lady Clara's young beauty; because he had gazed on her from afar—at the opera, the Savoy, Niagara; because, wherever money could carry him, there he had been for the express purpose of feasting his eyes on the one object he had ever looked upon to love.

When, therefore, the contumacious Clara twisted her pert little nose at the horsey duke, her parent's distressed thoughts rebounded to the manufacturer, for his calling of the law she looked upon as merely a seemly veil to cover the aggressive complexion of the world-famed trade.

"You might marry a wealthy parvenu who would set the old house on its legs again," the lady ventured to hint. "Remember that your face is your only fortune, my darling."

"And a very nice face, too. I mean to marry some one who'll appreciate it—paint it, or sing odes to it—anything but plant it at the head of a table like an idealized 'Aunt Sally' for people to fling compliments at;" and Lady Clara danced off with Miss Raymond to sit for a picture that Selwin Forrest, A. R. A., was in act of retouching.

Between the artist and Eldred, Lady Clara's views were taking a Bohemian turn, highly disconcerting to her unhappy mamma, and, during the Duchess' next interview with the solicitor, she made haste to bemoan her daughter's vagaries. She has almost promised an introduction, and in the present state of affairs was duly aware that the manufacturers' son stood little chance, and, moreover, that any attempts at coercion might make the already restive little filly totally ungovernable.

"It was the greatest mistake having her portrait painted," she groaned; "my child has picked up the studio jargon, and raves about 'values,' and all that kind of rubbish."

The solicitor blushed deeply; he understood his client's timely hint—the almost apology for his disappointment that lurked in her speech.

"If Lady Clara should change," he said, passing his fingers through the crisp crinkles of his hair, and looking earnestly across the table.

"I should be happy to ask you to Ringtowers, to introduce you—"

"As a friend?" he questioned.

"As a friend," the lady echoed.

"And if"—he blushed again—"if," he stammered.

"If," said the Duchess, composedly, lifting her eyes from a—to her—odious box that contained some documents relating to family debts, "if then you succeeded in winning my daughter's friendship, affection, well, you would have my good wishes."

She held out her hand, and the young man—he was romantic and in love—bent and kissed the thin gloved fingers.

"Thank you," he said simply.

"But she won't change," the Duchess said, in parting; "my suggestion was purely hypothetical. She is on guard; the bare suspicion of trade or money sets her off at a tangent."

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Some weeks later the august lady condescended to eavesdropping. She was driven to it by the marked change in her daughter's manner, by the lengthy confabulations which invariably took place between the girl friends after their periodical visit to the studio—visits which seemed to have been repeated unnecessarily often of late.

"He said he admired my picture from the first day it was outlined in charcoal," Lady Clara was explaining to her chum; "he tried to copy it before he knew me."

"Mr. Forrest ought not to have introduced him. Your mother would be horrified."

"But he didn't; I remember well, it is just three weeks ago—the day you weren't well enough to go with me. Mr. Forrest apologized, explained that his pupil ought not to be there, had made a mistake in the day, and he was sending him away. Then I said there was no reason why he should go, and so Jock stayed and painted in a distant corner."

"And how did you know his name was Jock?"

"Oh, because I heard him called so. You know the picture 'Jock o'Hazeldine'? He sat for it to oblige Mr. Forrest. He is my Jock, now—I am sure of it; if only we were alone, we might tell each other all that our eyes have been saying."

"Oh, eyes talk quite enough," said Miss Raymond; "too much, I should say, from what I saw this morning."

The eavesdropper did not wait to hear more. She rushed down stairs, intending to write to Mr. Forrest and make a pretext by which the sittings should be abandoned. But, pen in hand, she changed her mind. Any such action would prove the eavesdropping; she must act openly and surprise the situation. The next morning nearly an hour after her daughter's departure for the studio, the ducal carriage arrived at the artist's house. The irate parent sped through the doorway, and made straight for the studio. She meant to confront the wretched upstart who had undermined her daughter's heart and give the painter—old enough, she had thought, to be trusted—a lesson to be remembered.

As she swept into the room, her angry eyes focussed the tableau in an painter at his easel; Eldred by a stove; draperies—on the model's throne; the instant. Her child—exquisite in lawn reading; and hunched up on a low stool, with his velveteen clad back turned, and his knees supporting his water-color block, the hateful pupil.

At the burst of the opening door the painter and Lady Clara simultaneously looked up, and the latter grew pale to the lip. She saw the pent storm on her mother's eyebrows, and, by an unreasoned impulse, jumped from the throne and placed herself before the object of her adoration with an air of protection—of defiance.

Suddenly Her Grace of Bracering stood transfixed, and the art pupil, who had hurriedly risen, blushed and bowed with difference.

Mr. Forrest came to the rescue.

"This gentleman is my pupil. As his time is limited, your daughter was good enough to say he need not discontinue his work on her account."

To Clara's amazement her parent smiled.

"Very considerate my daughter," she said; "her love of art overrides the convenances. Fortunately M. Blakewell and I are acquainted—though I was not aware of his talent," she pointedly added.

Then they shook hands.

"I was scarcely aware of it myself," Blakewell said, awkwardly, "till—till about three weeks ago. My friend Forest advised me to rake up my paints and go on with, some early work and with—with kind encouragement"—he threw a worshipful eye on Lady Clara—"I"——"

"The object of my visit," the dutchess interrupted, "is to say that we are onexedly called to Ringtowers; we leave to-night."

Clara's face, which had partially cleared, became gray with consternation.

"But Mr. Forrest's picture," she cried, tremulously.

"It can be brought down there if he likes."

"Thank you," the artist accepted, uneasily.

"And Mr.—Mr."—Clara began, with big tears magnifying her eyes—"what will he do?"

"Oh, Mr. Forrest is welcome to bring his pupil with him. Mr. Blackwell, will you accept Lady Clara's invitation to Ringtowers?"

The best husband on earth is none too good.

SPORTING.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

Street Commissioner Gavett and H. C. VanEmburgh have kindly surveyed the football for the players tomorrow. Dr. J. T. Fritts will be the attending physician and the ambulance will be within easy call.

The Alis third played an exciting game of football with the Bryant School team Saturday morning and defeated them 16 to 5. Phillips, the young captain of the Alis third, distinguished himself by his brilliant running and tackling.

The eleven of the Norwood Athletic Club went to Westfield Saturday morning and defeated the Westfield Grammar School team there by a score of 6 to 0. Kendall Mason made the touchdown for the victors and Gardner kicked the goal.

The Alis second is now putting up a good game and doing excellent work for a junior team. At first the interference was rather ragged, but under the coaching of Fletcher Hallock, T. U. Smith and several of the big team, it has greatly improved.

Several hundred people gathered at Martine field Friday afternoon to witness a game between the Alis second and the second team from Pingry's School, Elizabeth. It was a return game, the Plainfield boys having defeated their rivals from Elizabeth on the latter's grounds by a score of 6 to 0. The Alis team was there on time, but the Elizabeth boys failed to appear. After waiting most of the afternoon in vain, Captain Harold Phillips, of the Alis second, learned that the Pingry eleven was not coming. The rest of the time was spent in practice.

There is every prospect that Plainfield will see a great football game tomorrow afternoon at Martine Field. It will be the first appearance of the season of the Plainfield team, for which the boys have been practicing for the past three weeks. The San Remo team of the New York Athletic Club, the visitors, are coming with the idea that they will have an easy thing with a team that has not played before this season, but they don't take into consideration the fact that the players have been carefully preparing for the event. The teams will be about evenly matched and an exciting game will be the result. It will begin at 3 o'clock. The admission fee for men will be 25 cents; 15 cents for ladies. Special arrangements have been made to have a grand stand, capable of accommodating several hundred people, erected close to the side lines. A small extra charge will be made for this. The stand will be erected under the supervision of Building Inspector T. O. Doane and will be perfectly substantial. The lineup of the two teams, with the weights of the players, is as follows:

PLAINFIELD.

POSITION.	NAME.	WEIGHT.
Right end	Serrell, (Carey)	165 (160)
Right tackle	Shaldecker	185
Right guard	Brown	200
Centre	Cuming	155
Left guard	Milne	200
Left tackle	Lewis	175
Left end	Hallock	155
Quarterback	Darling, (Phillips)	150 (145)
Right halfback	Smith	155
Left halfback	Cathcart	165
Fullback	McGee	160

Average weight—169½ pounds.

SAN REMO.

POSITION.	NAME.	WEIGHT.
Right end	Mitchell	155
Right tackle	Zimm	175
Right guard	O'Donnell	180
Centre	Morris	190
Left guard	Arnold	195
Left tackle	Sloan	185
Left end	McMillen	140
Quarterback	deCasanova	130
Right halfback	Huntington	170
Left halfback	Gilham	165
Fullback	Luders	155

Average weight—167 pounds.

GOLF.

The formal opening of the Park Golf Club will take place tomorrow, and it will be an auspicious occasion.

There will be playing on the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club links tomorrow for the championship Chapman cup.

At the formal opening of the Park Golf Club tomorrow a silver cup will be offered for the best score. There will also be a ladies' prize. The competition is open to all comers.

The delightful weather of last Saturday afternoon attracted a very large number of players to the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club who enjoyed the popular sport exceedingly. The feature of the day was the preliminary play for the Chapman cup for the championship of the club. There were sixteen entries, but only eight of that number qualified as follows: A. R. Fisk, 93; J. H. P. Wharton, 95; W. L. Glenny, 95; C. W. Fisk, 96; W. R. Richards, 96; Reeve Stockton, 98; H. D. West, 98; R. M. Shepard, 100.

The above players will meet on the links tomorrow morning and play the first round for the same cup, and in the afternoon the second round will be played. Next Saturday the finals will come off.

After Saturday's play an informal tea was given in the club house which was largely attended. If the weather is good tomorrow no doubt the course will be crowded all day by members of the club. The grounds are now in fine condition and improving continually under the direction of the greens committee.

Are Your Clothes Wrinkled

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—The prize choirister of Grace church for the month of October was Lynn Adams.

—This is the weather when oysters are the best, and we are the people that have them. Rogers.

—This evening Old Glory Council, Daughters of Libery, will open a fair in Washington Hall. It will continue during the week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker, of West Front street, which to extend their thanks to the many kind friends who assisted them during the days of their late bereavement.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will be held next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church parlors.

—Readers are reminded that the first of the University Extension Society lectures will be given tomorrow night. Subscribers who have not yet procured their tickets can do so at Armstrong's drug store.

—Inadverdently the name of Fletcher Hallock was omitted from the list of entertainers to be present at Pastor Richardson's reception Thursday evening. Mr. Hallock will render imitations on the banjo, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Harry Johnson.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. John Bangham, of Paterson, is visiting relatives in this city.

The young naval apprentice Robert M. Edwards, son of manager Maze Edwards, of Music Hall, reported for duty at navy yard this morning, his furlough and leave of absence having expired. It is presumed he will be assigned to one of the vessels intended for foreign service.

AT THE TRAPS.

The Independent Scheutzen Corps will hold a shoot tomorrow and many interesting events will be presented on the programme.

Northern Seas Frozen Over.

St. Johns, N. F., Nov. 7.—The mail steamer Virginia Lake has returned from a trip to the farthest northern points on the Labrador coast. She reports that the entire ocean in that vicinity is blocked by ice floes and that there is not the slightest prospect of Lieutenant Peary's steamer the Windward getting free from the Arctic regions this season.

Financial Success of Omaha Fair.

Omaha, Nov. 7.—The Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition Association have begun paying back 75 cents on every dollar of stock that was subscribed for its construction. After this is accomplished money will remain in the treasury to more than pay the remaining 25 per cent. and fulfill all obligations.

The Sailing of the St. Louis.

Southampton, Nov. 7.—A great demonstration here yesterday signalized the departure for New York of the American line steamer St. Louis and the reopening of the American line service. The mayor of Southampton attended in state and large crowds of people vociferously cheered the American steamer.

Ohio Bank Ordered Closed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 7.—The controller of the currency has ordered the First National Bank of Flushing, Ohio, to close its doors. Bank Examiner J. W. Delap has been appointed temporary receiver. Dry rot is said to have caused the failure.

100 Deaths on Voyage.

Malago, Nov. 7.—The Spanish transport steamer Gran Antilla, Capt. Bayon, from Havana, October 13, via Porto Rico, with repatriated Spanish troops, has arrived here and reports that there were 100 deaths among the soldiers during the voyage.

Offer of $50,000 to Monmouth College.

Monmouth, Ill., Nov. 7.—James Law, a wealthy citizen of Chicago, has offered to give $50,000 to the trustees of Monmouth College on condition that they raise a like amount by commencement day next June.

Cold Inventor Disappears.

London, Nov. 7.—Claude Vautin, a metallurgist and inventor known on the Pacific coast, has left London after a financial coup by which he secured 20,000 pounds in Bank of England notes and American railroad securities.

EAT BEFORE GOING TO BED.

This Is a Good Rule for Thin People Who Wish to Grow Stout.

Here is good advice to thin people who want to grow fat. It seems contrary to all our early training, but is full of good common sense, and comes from a prominent physician. His suggestions follow:

"If you are thin and want to put flesh upon your bones, eat before going to bed for the night. Physiology teaches us that there is a wasting away of tissue while a person sleeps, as well as when he is awake, and this being so there should be continuous nourishment. Food taken at dinner or in the early evening is always digested at the time of retiring, and the activity of the process of assimilation continues until long after we are asleep.

"If the tissues are not nourished they are pulled down by the wasting process, and as a result sleeplessness ensues. On a full stomach, however, or with some food to sustain the system, there is a building up of the tissue.

"Man's the only creature I know of who does not deem it proper to sleep on a full stomach. The infant, in this respect, instinctively cries to be fed at night, showing that food is necessary during that time as well as through the day, and that, left too long without it, causes a discomfort which it makes known by crying.

"There is no need for rest in the digestive organs, provided the quantity of food eaten is not above normal during the twenty-four hours. Too long intervals between meals are bad for the stomach, from the fact that the cessation and resumption of work by the digestive organs tend to enfeeble them.

"A moderate working of the organs through the twenty-four hours is much more beneficial. I would advise those suffering from insomnia to take something to eat before going to sleep always. A glass of milk and bread, meat, or any digestible food will do."—New York Journal.

Anecdote of "De Brudders."

Every great language has its mock lingoes and clipped dialects. Darky English, like the grotesque blunder words of the supposed Mrs. Partington, nearly always has a phonetic suggestion that makes the speaker's meaning laughably clear. The fat old cook in Lynchburg, Va., who complained that her son "Sam's goin's on is conjurin' his institution and disriptin' us all," had the word "disreputable" echoing round somewhere in her head. She made herself understood and there was piquancy in her new verb. The Rev. Egerton R. Young describes one of his evenings in an African church in Florida, where the minister announced "de fus' chapter of the Epistle o' David,' and proceeded to read the First Psalm. One fiery young exhorter in the meeting, with exemplary good taste, confined his remarks to those of his own age.

"I's nuffin to say to-night," said he, "to disrupt de feelin's o' yous ole daddies an' mammies, but I's jes' goin' ter consummate dem sinners back dar by de do'."

At the close of one service a pastor called attention to the rain soaked and stained plaster in the recess behind the pulpit, which he had long tried in vain to persuade his shiftless parishioners to fresco, and he pronounced his ultimatum in this wise: "Bredren, de suvices in dis church will all be discontinnered ontil yo' fricassee de abscess."

The Mothers of Great Men.

It is an interesting historical fact that nearly every man of great deeds who also possessed a great character, had a mother of a strong, fine nature, with whom in boyhood and early manhood he dwelt in close sympathy even when at a distance from her. Probably the most disagreeable man socially of all celebrated men was poor Thomas Carlyle, whose disposition was nervous, melancholy and grumpy, but in the midst of his laborious life and severe mental industry he could always find time to write affectionate letters to his mother, full of respect, tenderness and consideration he never seemed to feel for much greater personages. If a mother's hand holds the leading strings of a man's life he will hold himself as securely as did Anthony Hope's "Prisoner of Zenda," with his motto, "The king can do no wrong."—Frances B. Evans in Ladies' Home Journal.

Aluminum Horseshoes.

Aluminum—according to United States Consul Atwell, at Boubaix, France—is now being used not only in the manufacture of bicycles, but the military authorities have for some time past made an effort to employ this metal, in place of iron, copper and steel, for all articles of equipment carried by infantry, in order to reduce the weight as much as possible. It seems, too, that, with the same object, the Russian minister of war has ordered aluminum horseshoes for the cavalry. In tests for this purpose a shoe of the new aluminum model is placed on one foot, the three remaining shoes being of the usual sort. It is found that the aluminum wears out less rapidly and is less affected by mud and moisture than the ordinary shoe and weighs about two and one-half ounces less.—Philadelphia Record.

"Did you accuse us of being lazy?" asked the Spanish soldier.

"I believe I said something of the kind," answered the war correspondent.

"Well, you formed your opinion too early in the fight. You didn't wait to see us run"—Washington Star.

IS POLYGAMY REVIVING?

The Presbyterians Allege That It Is, and the Press Sustains Them.

The revival of polygamy in Utah is a live question. Religious politicians are stirred as never since her admission to Statehood. Suppressed mutterings are heard all over the State.

The Salt Lake Bee says "As to the existence of polygamy in Utah, no one doubts it, and that it has increased since Statehood is known to all who have opportunities of observation. Not only have old family relations been resumed, but new marriages have been contracted and are being contracted almost daily. Those who protest that there is no polygamy in Utah assume that the people of Utah are a class of chumps. The Church apologists claim there have been no plural marriages since the manifesto. Maybe not; but men in the Church who have had one or more wives have taken other women to their homes and supported them as wives. No matter what it is called, the polygamy question is going to get a good stirring up. The Church leaders, of course, in the face of the manifesto, would not admit that polygamy is now being practised, and in order to keep out of trouble from man made laws they solemnly deny it. But they justify this deception on the ground that polygamy is commanded by God."

And the Springville Independent has this to say: "The arraignment cannot be safely ignored. It does not charge, as some of the press seem to infer, that polygamous marriages are not being solemnized. It does charge that authoriative persons are teaching that celestial marriages are an essential part of Mormon faith, that God is a polygamist and that Jesus Christ was the husband of three wives. Nothing of recent years in religous matters has succeeded in stirring up such a tremendous excitement, and it must be met an answered.

"You may hear a priest comfort the mourners at the funeral of a young man who has died without having entered wedlock, with the promise to seal a wife to him in heaven. And women go to the temples and are married to dead men."

BALKY HORSE CONQUERED.

With No More Formidable Weapon Than a Paddle.

"I have owned and used many horses," said a resident of Lewiston, "among which were several balky ones. I once owned a team, the best one I ever had, that at times were stubborn and ugly and would not work. One morning when we were going out in the field with a heavy load we came to a steep pitch in the road, the nigh horse, as usual, flared up and then the other. We tried to start them by coaxing and by using the lash, but it was no use; they refused to move. At last I became infuriated and would have killed the horses with a good will, but it was of no avail. I left the team standing there that morning, went back to the house and decided to leave them there, when a thought struck me that proved successful.

"I took a wide board and, making it into the shape of a paddle, proceeded to the field. Once more we tried the horses, but it was no use; they were determined not to move. Taking the weapon which I had made, I struck first one horse, then the other a few blows, and to my great surprise they started at a rapid rate. After that I always kept the paddle-shaped weapon in my wagon and when they refused duty I merely had to show it to them. I have tried this same rule on many other horses and I never knew it to fail."

"What is your theory? It certainly cannot be the hardness of the blow?"

"My theory is that the animals are started from fright, caused by the jar of the board."—Lewiston, Me., Journal.

After the First Quarrel.

"Go!" she exclaimed, "and never speak to me again!"

He passed out into the unsympathetic night, but paused when he reached the sidewalk and drew something from one of his inside pockets. As he did so the beautiful girl, who was watching him from the vestibule, uttered a shrill scream and ran toward him.

"Albert!" she cried, "what would you do? Pray do not kill yourself! Throw your revolver away and let us forget our quarrel!"

"It isn't a revolver," he replied, as he caught her in his arms. "It is a monkey wrench I borrowed from you that day my wheel broke down. I have been wearing it next to my heart ever since."

Then they returned to the parlor and took up the thread of love's young dream where it had been broken.—Chicago Daily News.

Cholly's Predicament.

Farmer—Hey thar! Git a move on! Ther bull will ketch you sure!

Cholly—Aw, but I cawn't! I've spwained me ankle!

Farmer—Well, use yer cane, an' ye kin git ter ther wall!

Cholly—Weally, I couldn't, don't yer know! It's such beastly bad form to walk with your stick, don't yer know!—New York Ledger.

Why Willie Stopped Smiling.

The salesman was showing Willie the new styles of golf stockings, and said: "You have just the legs to display this pattern."

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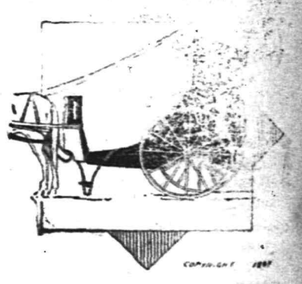

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OPENED WITH A DEFEAT

BASKETBALL GAME WON BY THE BOWERY TEAM.

Game Witnessed by Large Audience—Visitors Quicker Than Home Team—In Second Half Home Team Went to Pieces.

The basket ball season in Plainfield opened last evening with a defeat for the team of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. The visitors were from the Young Men's Institute of the Bowery, New York. They played a fine game and defeated the Plainfield boys by a score of 24 to 14. The game was witnessed by several hundred people.

The first half was decidedly interesting. Both teams played well and although the visitors were a trifle quicker than the home team, the latter put up a strong defense. The score stood 6 to 6 at the end of the first half. In the second half, the Plainfield boys went to pieces and the visitors scored rapidly. The local players failed to cover their opponents and seemed to lose heart. Their team play disappeared and the visitors had things pretty much their own way. The final score stood 24 to 14.

The teams were as follows:

PLAINFIELD Y.M.C.A.		YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.
E. Moraller	right forward	Schwartz
Bonny	left forward	Mamneman
Egan	centre	Grimm
M. Moraller	right guard	Whitnebel
Smith	left guard	Dubner

Score—Plainfield, 14; Young Men's Institute, 24. Goals from the field—E. Moraller, Egan, Smith (3), Schwartz (3), Hamneman, Grimm (6), Whitnebel. Goals on fouls—E. Moraller (3), Smith, Hamneman (2), Dubner (2). Fouls—Plainfield, 6; Y. M. I., 8.

Run Down by a Wheelman.

Miss Alys Marie Chandor, of East Fifth street, was run down by another wheelwoman at the corner of Watchung avenune and East Fifth street, yesterday afternoon. Miss Chandor was knocked from her wheel and badly bruised by the collision while the front wheel to her bicycle was wrecked.

HURT IN A RUNAWAY.

Charles Mundy Thrown From a Wagon and Struck a Post.

Charles Mundy was thrown out of his wagon last evening and seriously injured in a runaway. Mr. Mundy lives at Springdale and came to Plainfield yesterday on business. It was about 9 o'clock in the evening when he star ed out Somerset street bound for home At Lincoln place he met a trolley car and his horse became unmanageable. The frightened animal reared and then started off on a gallop.

The wagon struck the curb and Mundy was thrown from the front seat. He struck his head against a hitching-post and was knocked insensible by the blow. He was carried to his own residence, where he is now. He was badly bruised and cut by the fall. The horse was afterwards caught and brought back to a neighboring stable.

His face was badly cut and scratched and his shoulder blade was broken. He says, this morning, that he is going out to vote anyhow.

Scholars Go Home Earlier.

With the introduction of the roll of honor into the Plainfield High School, Principal Ira W. Travell has inaugurated several other plans that will work for the advancement of the standing of all the pupils. Such of the pupils as are on both rolls of honor for standing and attendance will hereafter be allowed to return to their homes as soon as they have completed their recitations without waiting for the regular hour for dismissal. The arrangements of studies is such that a number of pupils will thus be allowed to go at 12:10 o'clock instead of 1 o'clock.

—A meeting of the Browning Circle of the Congregational church will be omitted this week on account of the sociable of the Ladies' Aid Society Friday evening.

LOVE SICK YOUTHS FOUGHT LIKE TIGERS.

Pugilistic Blows to Settle Which Was to Have the Girl.

BRUTAL DEVOTION TO HER.

BOTH OF THE SWAINS WERE STURDY FARM HANDS.

The Scene of the Battle Was in a Meadow and the Disputants Were Stripped to the Waist—George Young and Robert Howell Were the Jealous Admirers and Matilda Martin Was the Fair One Admired.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Bound Brook, Nov. 8—While the eleven young men that compose the Rutgers College football squad were dreaming of the encounter of the next day, Friday evening two powerful farm hands were struggling for mastery on the banks of the Raritan only a few miles away. It was a struggle far more sanguinary than the wearers of the canvass jacket ever dreamed of and ended with the defeated contestant in a pitiable state, so cut and bruised that he was hardly recognizable. Of course there was a woman in the case.

In the village of Middlebush, seven miles from here, there lives Miss Matilda Martin. Fair is she of face and form and her bewitching smiles have wrought sad havoc among the rustic swains for miles around. Among all her suitors, however, it was evident that George Young and Robert Howell were the favorites. Between the two the greatest rivalry existed.

George Young is employed on the farm of Peter Randolph which lies midway between this place and Middlebush. George is in the prime of life, a tall and angular man of powerful build. Howell is one of the trusted employes of John Baldwin, whose farm is in that neighborhood. Howell is short, but stout, and has long had the reputation of being handy with his fists.

In the schoolhouse at Weston, a local evangelist has been holding meetings Sunday and Wednesday nights. There the evening of Sunday, October 30th, Miss Matilda Martin went under the escort of her uncle. Thither also went Young, likewise Howell. The fair Matilda smiled on the brawny Young, but she showed the same favor to his rival. Both of the suitors laid in wait to accompany her home and thus came together. It was only by dint of great exertions that the Westonites prevented an open rupture, while the cause of all the trouble disappeared down the road with her uncle.

Since then, there has been open war declared between the rivals. Each had his friends through whom negotiations were started and as a result, it was decided that the men should meet some evening and settle by force of arms the question that had troubled them for so long.

Friday night was the time set for the meeting and the meadow by the Raritan river in the farm of Peter Randolph was the place selected. There they went together with some fifteen friends to settle the differences.

The question of weapons was raised. Young has long been famous for his handling of the flail and he wanted the battle fought with flails. Pitchforks were suggested but voted down. At last, Howell's proposition that it be a pugilistic encounter was favored and the confestant stripped to the waist.

A ring was made in the soft turf and lanterns placed about it to illuminate the scene. The seconds prepared themselves with the necessary paraphernalia and the battle opened.

For half an hour they fought with short breathing spaces between the rounds. The blood flowed and soon participants and ground were covered with gore. Blows were exchanged with vigor and made up in strength

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BURGLAR GRASPED WOMAN BY THROAT.

A Borough House Entered in a Bold Manner.

PEARL ROGERS IS ACCUSED.

LEFT HIS SHOES BEHIND AS TELL-TALE EVIDENCE.

After Being Chased From Jeter's House He Waded Through the Brook and was Afterwards Found in His Home Feigning Sleep—Accused of Another Burglarious Attempt—Held for Trial.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jeter, on Belmont avenue, was entered this morning at 3 o'clock by Pearl Rogers, colored, whose home is at 426 East Third street, and it is evident that Rogers intended to make a haul. In default of this he committed assault, and got away only to be caught at his home where he was in bed.

Rogers has worked for Milkman Jeter, and is thoroughly acquainted about the premises. There is every indication that he entered the house through the kitchen door, for it was found open after his departure. He went upstairs, where Mr. and Mrs. Jeter and Misses Sally and Ida Jeter were asleep. He removed his coat, hat and shoes.

While in the room occupied by Miss Sally Jeter, he was detected. The latter is a sister-in law of Mrs. Jeter, and she sleeps with Miss Ida. They were awakened and saw a man standing at the foot of their bed. They asked what he wanted and the there was no response. Again he was asked what he wanted, but still there was no reply. Finally, the intruder rushed to the side of the bed and grappled Miss Sally Jeter. She had the bed clothes wrapped about her throat. This probably saved her from strangulation. She screamed and this awakened Mrs. Jeter, who got up and started for the other room. The man then ran into the hall where he met Mrs. Jeter and knocked her down with his fist. Her screams awakened Mr. Jeter, who sprang from the bed.

The desperado rushed downstairs with Mr. Jeter after him. He passed out of the back door and ran like a deer across lots In the meantime Mrs. Jeter screamed at the top of her voice. This attracted the attention of Roundsman Frederickson and Patrolman Saffron, and they followed in the direction from whence the sound came. They saw the man running and saw him wade the brook in reaching this city, but the officers lost him for the time being.

A little while later Sergeant Kiely and Roundsman Frederickson, in company with Mr. Jeter, went to Rogers' home on East Third street. They had his hat, coat and shoes. They found Rogers in bed. He pretended to be asleep when the officers entered the house, but he was aroused and made to dress. His clothes were thoroughly soaked, showing that he had been in the brook. He claimed he had no shoes to put on, but when the officers produced his shoes he was dumbfounded. Rogers was then taken to the city jail, where he was held until this forenoon. He was then taken to the borough for trial.

Miss Sally Jeter, whom Rogers attempted to choke, suffered greatly from shock. She fought Rogers as best she could. Rogers did not succeed in getting anything. This is not Rogers' first offense. He has served a time in State's Prison and is likely to do so again.

He was accompanied this morning by another negro, but he got away. His companion did not enter the house, but remained outside. He escaped before Rogers came out of the house.

An attempt was made to enter the home of Alexander Mair, who lives next door to Jeter, at 3 o'clock this morning. Mr. Mair was awakened by

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THE COUNCIL HEARS OF COUNTY TROLLEY.

Receives a Communication From John Kean's Road.

POSITION OF THE CITY

IT AWAITS DEVELOPMENTS FROM BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS.

Councilman Barrows Resents the Action of the County Authorities and Says the City Should Fight Them at the Proper Time—Cases in Court That the City is Interested In—Other Matters.

The regular City Council meeting held last evening was void of any business of special significance, and it did not take the members a great while to transact that which came before them. Mr. Hetfield was the only member absent.

D. A. Moran & Co., of New York, asked the Council for particulars concerning the proposed issuance of the $2,500 bonds for storm sewer work. The Elizabeth City Horse Railway Company submitted several propositions to the Council regarding the proposed intention of that company to locate and operate an electric street railway between Elizabeth and Plainfield, in which they stated what they proposed to give for the franchise. Accompanying the propositions was a note testifying to the fact that the Board of Freeholders had granted certain priviledges and rights to the trolley company, and that the matter had been approved of by the Court. The propositions include the rate of fare to be charged, which is 25 cents a round trip between Elizabeth and this city. The franchise is for seventy-five years, and $100 a year is to be paid after the sum of $250,000 is given for the franchise. The cars are to run under fifteen-minute headway, and the road is to be sprinkled. School tickets are to be issued thirty-three for $1.

In connection with the above Mr. Barrows stated that all were cognizant of the fact that the Board of Freeholders were trying to give away Plainfield streets He had been in close touch with the Corporation Counsel and had been informed by him that the city could do nothing until a move was made by the Board of Freeholders. Mr. Barrows stated that he hoped the people of this city would be alive and interested in this matter. He thought that the people would live to see all of the streets taken away in a similar manner. He cited the small compensation to be received by the city from the county trolley people for what is given.

Following the reading of the above remarks, the Plainfield Street Railway Company withdrew their application for a franchise and on Mr. Barrows' motion the same was granted.

Corporation Counsel Marsh presented to the Council the report of the Court regarding the Martin Act Commissions' work, as published in The Daily Press in full. The report was filed. Mr. Marsh also reported on the cases now in the courts in which the city is interested. Regarding the case of Mrs. Milliken against the city, he said that it had been postponed on account of the illness of the plaintiff, and would come up at the January term of court. In the case of the city against Rev. P. S Gibson and Spencer Conway, regarding a bond given by the latter for the former, judgment had been given to the plaintiff. He reported on the case of the city against Champion, now in the court, and asked for the privilege of carrying the case to the Supreme Court if the city should be beaten in the court in which the case is now pending. This privilege was given. Mr. Marsh stated that the case of Joseph Carbone against the city is still pending. This case wase on a charge of Sunday selling, which was appealed.

On a motion offered by Mr. Barrows Monday evening, November 21st was

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SCHOOL PROBLEMS.

Board of Education Asked to Submit Those in Plainfield.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Education was held last night but very little business was transacted. Messrs. Probasco, Jenkins, Abbott and Lounsbury were present, and so was Superintendent Maxson.

A communication from the International Board of Education with headquarters at Chicago was read asking the Plainfield board to appoint a committee of three to submit to the International Board three problems which are met with in their work. The communication was received and placed on file, but no committee appointed.

Mr. Lounsbury reported that the new flag pole had been erected in the Irving school yard, and Superintendent Maxson reported that the school children had contributed $47.30 towards the Lafayette fund which he had forwarded to the committee in Chicago. It was decided that the usual number of financial statements and reports be printed and distributed and that the same be published in the daily papers, then the board went into executive session.

County Work Not Satisfactory.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Rahway, November 8.—Captain Hubbard, Director of the Union County Board of Freeholders, hurriedly visited Rahway yesterday in response to a call by Freeholder Ehrlich, of Rahway, who does not at all like the way the work is progressing on the new Bridge street bridge, and wants some energetic steps taken to hurry up the contractor. Director Hubbard, with Freeholders Farrell and Ehrlich, started at once for the site of the bridge, the foundation for the main pier of which has not even been fairly commenced, although the cofferdam has been in position for some weeks, and all the materiel is on the ground.

Pastor's Reception Postponed.

Owing to the death of Deacon C. F. Haynes, the reception that Rev. J. W. Richardson was to tender to the Park Avenue Baptist church and congregation Thursday evening has been indefinitely postponed.

ELECTION DAY IS HERE.

REPUBLICANS AND DEMOCRANS ARE ACTIVE AT THE POLLS.

Both Parties Have Carriages and Workers Out—The City is Quiet—Many Are Taking a Holiday—Early Morning Vote Brisk.

Election day morning dawned bright and clear. The workers of both Republican and Democratic parties were out early with the opening of the polls ready to look after their interests. The city itself is quiet aside from the activity around the polling places.

The regular force of the Republican party was on hand with carriages at each polling place. Later in the day there will be a scurrying around to get out the voters who failed to put in an appearance during the morning. The Democratic party showed greater signs of activity than in several years. They too had carriages and workers at each ward.

The voting was fairly brisk during the first part of the morning and the election officers were kept busy. Many of the voters are home for the day, however, and the usual early commuter vote was small. Instead the commuters will vote at all hours.

The Republican headquarters was fairly active. It was located on East Front street, near Park avenue. The Democrats had their headquarters at the offices of Justice Moffett on North avenue. There was quite a gathering of politicians there during the morning.

Will Resume Sunday Evening Meetings.

The Sunday evening meetings for men that proved so successful in the Seventh-Day Baptist church last winter will be resumed once more. Sunday evening the men of the congregation held a business meeting in the chapel to talk over the arrangements for the meetings. Henry M. Maxson was chairman of the meeting and Frank Maxson was chosen secretary for the year. It was decided to hold a meeting every Sunday evening as last year and plans for the control of them were inaugurated and will be completed at another meeting.

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CONDUCT OF THE WAR.

The Hearing at Chicago Begun. Camp Thomas Condition.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—General Dodge, Col. Sexton and Dr. Conner of the war inquiry commission, arrived in Chicago yesterday, and immediately began the examination of witnesses at the Auditorium Hotel.

A large number of witnesses are on the list, and it is not likely that the three members of the commission will be able to leave Chicago before Wednesday.

They will then leave for Detroit, at which place the investigation will be continued. From Detroit the commossioners will go direct to Washington.

Dr. Lewis Schooler of Des Moines, Ia., was the first witness to testify. From June 7 to July 17, Dr. Schooler was stationed at Camp Thomas as chief surgeon of the Second division, of the Third Corps.

Questioned by Dr. Conner, he said that during the time he was there the sanitary conditions in the hospitals were not very good; the sinks in the whole division were bad; owing principally to the character of the ground, and the discipline was rather lax. "At the opening," said Dr. Schooler, "there were practically no facilities for the care of the sick; we were short of medicines and had no apparatus by which the stewards could prepare the medicines that we had."

Terrorized by Negroes.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8.—While no clash has occurred, rowdyism prevailed which came near precipitating a conflict Saturday night.

Three hundred negroes paraded the streets at midnight with rifles and other arms. They announced that their various orders had sworn death to the red shirts.

Lawless bands of armed negroes gathered in the northern portions of the city and an outbreak was momentarily expected.

A number of white women in that section were nearly prostrated with fear.

White men guarded the houses and the Wilmington light infantry and Naval Reserves rendezvoused at night at their armories.

Street cars were stoned by the negroes and white people were compelled to desert them and walk. The police were unable to preserve order.

The League Island Navy-Yard.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Lieut. Knapp of the navy has returned to Washington from League island, where he has been engaged collecting testimony to be used in the presecution of the government employes charged with complicity in the overpayment of workmen in the navy yard.

He is now preparing this testimony for the use of the department of justice, and it is probable that he will be retained to assist in the prosecution in court.

Lieutenant Knapp has also collected such part of the evidence as seemed to bear upon the connection of the naval officers in the League island yard with the illegal practices complained of, and this will be placed in the hands of Judge Advocate General Lemly, to enable him to pass upon the question as to whether or not a court martial shall be held, and, if so, who among the officers shall be charged.

The War-bond Awards.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Nothing further has been heard from Secretary Carlisle as to his proposed appeal from Judge Coxe's decision in the case of the subscribers for war bonds whose subscriptions were throyn out for noncompliance with the treasury regulations.

Secretary Gage, as a courtesy, held the matter open till the end of last week so that Mr. Carlisle could take an appeal on equitable grounds.

This resort will now be closed against him, though his right to take an appeal in law will still survive for a time.

The Peace Negotiations.

Paris, Nov. 8.—The Eclair, after reproducing all the six articles of the peace protocol, says:

"It is to be hoped that the United States will not maintain their first pretensions in regard to the Philippine islands. The question of the sovereignty over the Philippine islands is one, however, which interests Spain only; but Germany, from time to time, allows it to be thought that she is not indifferent to the fate of the islands, and the possibility of interference from this power will perhaps cause America to be less exacting."

Cotton Mills Started Up.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 8.—The Borden City cotton mills Nos. 1 and 2, which had been closed for nine weeks on account of a sympathetic strike to help the weavers in No. 2 mill of the same corporation, opened their gates yesterday and are running with practically a full complement of employes. No union weavers went in, but nonunionists, old Border City employes, and those from other concerns which are curtailing this week, did.

It is expected that No. 2 mill will be started before the end of the week.

GEN. CHAFFEE TESTIFIES

Tells War Commission About the Cuban Campaign.

MEDICAL SUPPLIES SHORT

He Says Proper Food for Fever Patients Was Scarce. Medical Department Underestimated Probable Casualties at Santiago. Ambulances Unavailable.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Vice Chairman Denby of the war investigating commission, on returning to Washington in advance of the commission, took the testimony of Major Generals Lawton and Abner R. Chaffee.

General Chaffee's testimony was typewritten, and is now given out for publication.

General Chaffee was a lieutenant colonel in the Third cavalry, but in May last he was made a brigadier general, and at Tampa was placed in command of the Seventh, Twelfth and Seventeenth regiments of infantry.

When he arrived at Port Tampa he was ordered to embark his men on the Cherokee and Iroquois. He discovered that the capacity of the boats had been overestimated and it was found necessary to load three companies on the D. H. Miller.

There was a little delay at Port Tampa, caused by a report that Spanish ships had been seen in the channel north of Cuba.

General Chaffee remarked that he was ignorant of his destination when he left Tampa. The order of the commanding general of the Fifth corps directed him to take ten days' travel rations, sufficient to last until June 8. The delay in Tampa bay had not been accounted for, and when the transports arrived off Santiago on June 20, the supply of food was short in some instances, though the rations had not been entirely consumed.

General Chaffee said that he thought that all the transports going to Cuba were overloaded, but not harmfully so.

"Did the men actually suffer for rations?" asked Colonel Denby.

"No, sir," Gen. Chaffee replied.

"As to the medical attendance on the transports, how was that?"

"The regimental surgeons were there with their panniers. The men were well attended."

General Chaffee described the landing of the troops. The boats from the navy were to assist, but the only boats he saw were the steam launches and ordinary open boats. He thought the navy should have handled the boats. The surf was very high and beat the boats considerably. After a landing was made the troops went into camp. They had shelter tents.

"I also cleared a position for the artillery. On the 30th General Lawton, General Ludlow, Colonel Miles and myself went out over the roads, and on this occasion General Lawton assigned to each brigade commander the place at which he was to arrive that night. We all moved out and bivouacked for the night.

Early on June 24 he marched his command to the vicinity of General Lawton's camp and was ordered to go to the assistance of General Wheeler. He saw a dispatch from General Wheeler saying that he had met with a larger force than he expected and asked for aid. He pushed forward, but on arriving found the engagement over and the Spaniards in retreat. This was the battle of Las Guisamas.

"On June 28, 29 and 30," said General Chaffee, "I did considerable reconnoitering. Twelve hundred Cubans had reported for that service and outpost duty. There were men there who knew every trail in the country, and they were of great service to me. I opened the road toward Caney so that the artillery could pass. The road was simply a mule track at first.

"General Lawton gave instructions that my brigade should attack Caney from the eastward. On July 1 I sent the Twelfth infantry to my left and I conducted the Seventh and Seventeenth by a roundabout road, joining the Twelfth infantry about 7 o'clock. There were six block houses around Caney."

General Chaffee said that he had only one battery of artillery. That knocked a stone fort to pieces, but there was not sufficient artillery to demoralize the garrison.

"Why did you not have more artillery?" asked Colonel Denby.

"Well, it had not been landed," General Chaffee replied. "I suppose, perhaps it was my own fault. The place turned out much stronger than I had any idea of. I lost fifty officers and men killed and 146 wounded.

"When you took Caney, General, what did you find?"

"I found them dead and wounded. The Spaniards lost very heavily. What were not killed, wounded or captured seemed to have retreated to the ravines. We got 83 prisoners."

Referring to the American wounded he said they lay directly in front of the town. "A man could not raise his hand without it being shot," he continued. "The fire of the Spaniards was very accurate. The American wounded were taken just below the slope of the hill and attended by the surgeons. There was one regimental surgeon to a regiment and no ambulancees, but there were hospital corps men there with each surgeon. One surgeon to a regiment is not enough for a battle. In my opinion there should never be less than one surgeon to 400 men, which would be one surgeon to a battalion.

Colonel Denby inquired whose business it was to see that enough surgeons were provided, and General Chaffee said he did not know whether the medical director of the Fifth corps had been told that there was going to be a battle, or whether General Shafter had instructed the medical department to make provision.

Speaking of commissary supplies, the general testified that at no time was his brigade without food. Rice would make an excellent food for men in Cuba, he said, but it could not be taken into battle. His men had the field ration, which was supplied from day to day by the use of pack mules.

Referring again to the wounded the general said that he believed that every soldier of his brigade was properly attended to before nightfall. There was no hospital tent and the only shelter for the wounded was when the shelter tents were put up, two pieces pinned together making a tent.

Colonel Denby again remarked upon the absence of ambulances, and General Chaffee responded:

"It was not in the possibility of man to put an ambulance on the field that day. The condition of the roads was such that they could not be got there, and it was impossible to put wagon transportation on that field where I was. The roads had to be cut for three miles before wagons could have approached that place."

Speaking of the health of the army after the fall of Santiago, General Chaffee said:

"It is important to understand that the army was forced to operate in a sea of brush so high and so thick as to exclude the circulation of air. The men had to sleep in this brush and this was continually poisoning the men with miasma. After the surrender the soldiers fell sick very rapidly with malarial fever. There were over two hundred sick in the Seventh infantry, in which it was alleged that yellow fever existed, but this I do not credit. I believe that the anticipated sickness was much less than what actually resulted. Provision was made for about ten to fifteen per cent., when there was about forty or fifty per cent. ill."

At Montauk everything was being done for the sick. There were a number of men in all the regiments that were ill. These men were held in the camps of the regiments. Many grew worse in camp and as fast as provision could be made they were transferred to the general hospital. The hospitals were excellent, and every provision and care that was necessary for these men, I believe was given them."

In concluding, General Chaffee said he thought that the supply of medicines for the army in Cuba was inadequate. There was also a scarcity of the light food necessary for fever patients and convalescents.

"If I were to express my opinion in a nutshell on the whole situation," he declared, "I would say that the lack of medical supplies and of the necessary light food for fever patients was the only thing regrettable."

THE WRECKED WARSHIPS.

No More Government Efforts to Raise Them.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—Captain Chester's decision to abandon the work of wrecking the Cristobal Colon marks the end of that undertaking on the part of the government. It is said at the navy department that the captain was directed to stop the work when in his discretion it was no longer profitable.

Because the contract with the wrecking company has been terminated it does not follow that all idea has been abandoned of saving some of the sunken Spanish warships.

The navy department is ready to engage with thoroughly responsible wrecking concerns, providing the latter absolve the government from payment unless the ships are delivered in a United States navy yard.

Already one of the largest wrecking concerns in the world, a Swedish organization, has opened negotiations on the subject. It is willing to undertake at once the raising of the Reina Mercedes, which lies in the channel in Santiago harbor, and it has indicated a disposition to undertake the raising of the Colon. This concern has large experience in this class of work and if no American concern able to do the work offers better terms, arrangements probably will be made with it on the basis of a cash payment for the ship delivered in the United States.

NEWS FROM HAVANA.

Damage by Floods in the Province of Mantanzas.

Havana, Nov. 8.—Owing to the constant rains which have fallen recently the streams in the province of Matanzas have overflowed, flooding more than one thousand acres in the Roque district of that province.

The land had just been newly planted with sugar cane and fruit trees, after three years of neglect, and the disaster has again plunged the inhabitants of that district into the deepest mistry.

The Yumuri valley has also been flooded.

Fine weather prevailed here Sunday but yesterday there were heavy showers.

The evacuation of the cities of Sancti Spiritus and Trinidad, in the province of Santa Clara, is expected to be completed on November 15.

Dispatches received from the Lucha's correspondent at Santa Cruz says that more than two-thirds of the Cuban delegates are expected to take part in the meeting of the assembly there today.

The arrivals here yesterday included the Yucatan, from New York; the Laughton, from Philadelphia; the Fanita, from Key West; the schooner Charles Schull, from Norfolk, Va., and the schooner Mary G. Crosby, from New York.

Bribery Charges Not Sustained.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Walter N. Stevenson, a member of the common council from the 32d ward, whose accusation of attempted bribery in connection with the Schuylkill valley water scheme, made on the floor of the council in the early part of March last, resulted in the arrest of Peter E. Smith, whose trial and acquittal took place last week, has resigned his seat. In his letter he deplores the fact that he was "left to fight single handed the great force of evil;" says that he and his family have been persecuted and made to suffer instead of the guilty parties, and that his efforts to save the city from being dishonored and disgraced have convinced him that is "not in the house of his friends.'

Mr. Edison Going to Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 8.—The newspapers here announce the coming visit to St. Petersburg of Thomas A. Edison, the American inventor, and the scientific societies are preparing to give him a brilliant reception.

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TO-DAY'S ELECTIONS

Twenty-one States Elect Governors, Thirty-one Legislatures.

MANY SHARP CONTESTS ON

California Has an Interesting Fight on Hand for the Governorship as Has Colorado, Nebraska, Texas, Wisconsin, Michigan, Nevada, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Other States.

New York, Nov. 8.--To-day's election ranks next in importance to that at which a president is chosen. It not only determines the political complexion of the next Congress, now a matter of extremest doubt, but settles important contests in a number of states.

Twenty-one states elect governors, thirty-one select legislatures, and twenty-three of the legislatures to be named then will elect United States senators. The terms of thirty senators expire next March, but seven of these have already been elected and in the case of the remaining senator a legislature has already been chosen to name his successor.

Besides these elections, a number of minor officials are to be voted for and a number of issues are to be voted on.

Not a few of the states have governorship contests on which are quite as absorbing to the voters directly interested as is the Roosevelt-Van Wyck contest in this state. In far off California, for instance, a race of exceptional interest is in progress.

The battle is a hard one and there is no telling now what the result will be. The Democratic candidate is a brilliant and popular young man, Jas. G. Maguire, who has made a record in Congress. He is making a powerful fight.

He is opposed by H. T. Gage, the Republican candidate.

There is a considerable element of Populist voters in the state and these will vote for Maguire, the Democrats having fused with the Populists.

On the other hand the Silver Republicans have a state ticket in the field which will draw from the strength of the Gage ticket.

In the state election the issue of single tax, represented by Mr. Maguire, is one of the leading features of the contest. A full state ticket and a legislature is to be named.

In Colorado a very exciting race is on. Charles S. Thomas, who was one of the conspicuous leaders of the Bryan convention at Chicago in 896, is the Democratic candidate. He is opposed by H. H. Walcott, Republican.

Thomas seems to be leading, although the fight is close.

There are, however, eleven state tickets in the field, other prominent ones being the Teller silver ticket and the Populist ticket. A full state ticket is to be voted for.

In Connecticut George C. Lounsbury will be re-elected. Daniel N. Morgan is the Democratic candidate. A legislature to select a successor to General Joseph R. Hawley is to be chosen. There is little doubt of General Hawley's re-election

In Idaho the silver Republicans and the Democrats, who have a fusion ticket in the field, will probably elect the governor. The Republican candidate for governor is A. B. Moss, the fusion candidate Frank Stennenberg. The latter is a Democrat. The state ticket is divided between silver Republicans and Democrats. The Populist candidate is J. H. Anderson.

In Illinois a state treasurer, a superintendent of public instruction and trustees of the State University are to be voted for. There are six tickets in the field.

In Indiana a state ticket with the exception of governor is to be voted for. A state legislature is to be named to elect a successor to Senator David Turpie, Democrat. In Iowa a full state ticket, excepting governor, is to be voted for.

A remarkably interesting contest is being waged in "bleeding Kansas."

overnor James W. Leedy, who during his administration has been the means of giving his state a great deal of free advertising, is up again for re-election. He is a Populist of the most uncompromising variety, and heads a full ticket of Populists which has been indorsed by the Democrats.

M. E. Stanley is the Republican candidate for governor, and H. E. Richter the candidate for lieutenant governor. The Prohibitionists have a ticket in the field which is cutting considerable of a figure, and it is headed by former United States Senator W. A. Peffer, famed in Washington for his mighty beard. The Socialists have a ticket in the field headed by Caleb Lipscaub.

In Massachusetts Roger Wolcott will be re-elected governor. He is the Republican candidate, and Alexander B. Bruce heads the Democratic ticket. A state ticket is to be elected.

Governor Hazen S. Pingree is making the fight in Michigan as interesting as it always is when his unique personality is involved. He heads the Republican ticket and stands for re-election, which he will no doubt receive.

Justin R. Whiting, a Democrat, heads the fusion ticket, which is made up of Democrats, Populists and Silver Republicans. The "Middle of the Road" Populists have a ticket headed by Sullivan Cook.

An added feature of interest is furnished by the fight for the control of the legislature, which is going on between Senator Julius C. Burrows and A. B. Packer. Governor Pingree, who, despite ridicule and opposition, has gained a wonderfully strong hold on the voters of Michigan, is opposing Senator Burrows.

In Minnesota there are five state tickets, the Republican candidate for governor being Henry A. Eustis and the fusion candidate John Lind, a silver Republican. Fusion is between silver Republicans, Populists and Democrats. A legislature to select a successor to Senator Cushman K. Davis a member of the American peace commission, is to be chosen. The outlook is favorable to Republican success.

Int Missouri a legislature to select Senator Francis M. Cockrell's successor is to be elected. It will, no doubt, be Democratic. Supreme court justice, railroad and warehouse commissioner, and a superintendent of public instruction are to be elected.

William Jennings Bryan's state will elect a full state ticket, including governor. Indications point to the success of the fusion candidate, William A. Poynter, a Populist. The Poynter fusion ticket is made up of Populists, Silver Republicans and Democrats. The Republican candidate for governor is Manae L. Hayward, and the candidate for lieutenant governor is George A. Murphy. A full state ticket and a legislature is to be elected.

Nevada also elects a governor and a full state ticket. George Russell is the Democratic candidate for governor and W. C. Grimes for lieutenant governor.

New Hampshire also elects a governor and the fortunate man will be Frank W. Rollins, the Republican candidate. Charles H. Stone is the Democratic candidate. The Prohibition and People's candidates are Augustus G. Stevens and Gardiner J. Greenleaf respectively.

New Jersey has a close race in Progress. Foster M. Voorhees, who only lately resigned the governorship after having just been elevated to it from the lieutenant governorship, is the Republican candidate. Elvin W. Crane is the Democratic candidate.

Both sides claim that they will win out.

Interest is intensified on account of the fight being made for the control of the legislature, which is to elect a senator to succeed Senator James Smith, Jr.

John Kean is the only Republican canddate for the Senate so far.

Ohio does not elect a governor, but votes for a state ticket from the secretary of state down.

The fight in Pennsylvania is known to all. The return of Senator Quay to the senate and the governorship are involved. The race for governor is three-cornered. William A. Stone is the Republican or Quay candidate, and George A. Jenks is the Democratic candidate. Dr. S. C. Swallow, Prohibitionist and reformer, is the candidate of three parties on the platform "Thou shalt not steal."

The tremendous enthusiasm at first caused by his candidacy is said to have to some extent died away, but that it will poll a large vote on election day no one doubts. That the vigorous campaign that John Wanamaker is making against Quay will make votes for Dr. Swallow is certain.

In South Carolina William M. Ellerbe will be re-elected governor. He is the Democratic candidate and has no opposition.

South Dakota will also name a governor. Kirk G. Phillips is the Republican and Andrew E. Lee the fusion candidate. The latter is a Populist and the fusion is between Populists, Democrats and Silver Republicans. A full state ticket and a legislature are to be voted for.

Tennessee also votes for a governor. Benton McMillin, for many years a leading member of Congress, is the Democratic candidate for governor and will be elected. James A. Fowler is the Republican candidate. A legislature to choose Senator Bates's successor will be elected. Senator Bate will no doubt succeed himself.

Texas has a picturesque fight for governor and state officers. Joseph D. Sayers, for a long time one of the leading members of the Texas congressional delegation, is the Democratic candidate for governor, and J. H. Browning for lieutenant governor. The Middle of the Road Populists have made a vigorous campaign and claim the election of their ticket headed by Barnet Gibbs. Gibbs has made a red hot campaign, charging Democratic officials with misdoing and creating many sensations on the stump. The Populist element in Texas is very strong, but the Democratic ticket will unquestionably win. The Republicans have no ticket.

Wisconsin also elects a governor. E. A. Scofield, the present governor, is the Republican candidate for that position. Hiram W. Sawyer is the Democratic candidate, with ex-Congressman Peter V. Denster, the candidate for lieutenant governor. E. W. Chafin is the Prohibition and A. H. Worsley the Populist candidate for governor.

In Wyoming the fight is between the Republicans and the fusion forces. De Forest Richards is the Republican candidate for governor and H. C. Alger the fusion candidate. The fusion is between the Democrats, Populists and Silver Republicans, as in most of the western states where it exists.

In the other states in which elections are to be held the issues involved and the offices to be filled are of minor importance. In some of them state offices to be filled, in others legislatures to be named and in some constitutional enactment is to be voted on.

Burglar Shot Down.

Worcester, Nov. 8.—Sunday night a posse of citizens of North Grafton surrounded a gang of burglars who had broken into the postoffice, captured two and killed another. George Allen discovered the burglars, and, leaving his house through a rear window, alarmed Amos G. Getchell and William Getchell, constables, and other men.

They surrounded the postoffice and found three men on the outside of the building. Burglars and citizens opened fire with revolvers and finally the robbers fled. Yesterday morning the dead body of one of them, apparently a Frenchman, was found in a field near by. Entering the building two other burglars were seen and captured. Both were armed.

McGrath and Day, the captured burglars, were taken to Westboro and held in $10,000 each for appearance before the superior court.

Four Hours for Voting.

Washington, Nov. 8.—President McKinley left Washington at 20 minutes past seven o'clock last evening for Canton, Ohio, where he will vote today. He travelled in a special car and was accompanied by Mrs. McKinley, Assistant Secretary Cortelyou and General Russell Hastings, who is a guest at the White House.

The president will arrive at Canton at ten o'clock this morning and will leave for Washington on the return trip at two o'clock in the afternoon, arriving here at about 7.20 a. m. Wednesday. The president will receive election bulletins at all of the principal cities and towns through which his train will pass.

Railway Shops Burned at Sacramento

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 8.—A fire that broke out in the extensive railroad shops of the Southern Pacific Company yesterday caused a loss of more than $200,000.

WILL PAY FOR ISLANDS

The Entire Archipelago Must Be Ceded to the United States.

NEW INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN

Officers Determined to Keep the Entire Group. Commissioners will be Permitted to Accept Responsibility for Improvements Made.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Spain's exhaustive argument against the cession of the Philippines to the United States has had the result of making the officials all the more determined to take the islands.

Instructions sent to Mr. Day, chairman of the American commissioners, will require him and his colleagues to renew to-day their demand for concession of the group to the United States, and they will make in their communication the first offer of money in payment for the islands.

It is understood that the president will consult to-day with some of his advisers concerning the amount to be named in the American communication but it is said that the sum to be paid will not under any consideration exceed the aggregate of the debts contracted by the Spanish government for improvements in the Philippines. All military debts and debts contracted in the name of other islands such as Cuba, will be barred, and the Spanish commissioners will be informed that they must recognize this fact promptly as possible.

Secretary Hay has received a full statement of the contents of the Spanish note. Its character was just what the officials expected—without any new arguments of importance. Senor Rios and his colleagues call attention to the action of their government in delivering a note through M. Cambon, the French ambassador, to President McKinley, which set forth the understanding of the Spanish government that in agreeing to the protocol its sovereignty over the Philippines would not be affected.

It is also claimed by the Spanish commissioners that this declaration was assented to by President McKinley. As a matter of fact the note had been delivered, but the president had declined to answer it either in writing or verbally to M. Cambon.

The Spanish commissioners have declared, it is said, that instead of the United States acquiring the Philippines this government should pay their government an indemnity for the attack on Manila after the peace protocol had been signed, and for the damage consequently done.

Rear Admiral Dewey's victory in the bay of Manila was unimportant and the possession of Cavite during the war was not such as to give the Americans control of the islands, and it is claimed, and the claim is fortified by argument and many legal precedents, that the American government has no moral right to demand the cession of the entire group of 1,400 islands, when it held only such a small bit of territory as that at Cavite and controlled only the bay of Manila.

All during the war Spanish troops were stationed on other islands and were not molested. The Spaniards indicated their willingness, however, to sell the islands and the authorities have no apprehension now that any rupture will occur, unless it be over the amount to be paid.

It is understood that after the Philippine question has been disposed of the commissioners will consider the determination of claims which have been filed by Americans against Spain and by Spaniards against the United States. It was thought that this government would bind itself to satisfy all American claims in consideration of the territory ceded to the United States, but this is incorrect. The Spanish commissioners have a heavy claim for filibustering against the United States to offset the claims filed by Americans for personal and property injuries, and the question of their disposition will have to be decided.

THE FIRE AT THE CAPITOL.

Damage Far Less Than at First Estimated

Washington, Nov. 8.—Investigation yesterday showed that the damage to the Capitol by the explosion and fire of Sunday night was very much less than at first thought. Mr. Elliot Wood, after an examination of the scene of the explosion, said that the foundations were not disturbed and that the necessary repairs could be made by the time Congress met. The cost of the repairs will not exceed $100,000.

The damage done by flames, smoke and water was confined mainly to the room occupied by the marshal of the supreme court and that used by the clerk as a store room for the old records. The extent of the damage to the records cannot be determined, but it is sentimental rather than substantial. All the decisions of the court from the beginning are in print and all the transcripts of record since 1832. The probabilities are that the records are only scorched.

The law library escaped with only damage to the binding of its volumes, which can be replaced for $1,000. No injury whatever was done to the busts of the chief justices which adorn the court room.

Cremation Movements in Canada.

Montreal, Nov. 8.—There is a prospect of a crematory being erected in Canada. The directors of Cataraqui cemetery, at Kingston, are discussing the matter, having had applications from various persons who consider cremation a much better way of disposing of bodies of the dead than burial. The late John H. R. Molson left $10,000 to go towards the erection of a crematory at Mount Royal cemetery in this city, but nothing has yet been done in the matter.

The Evacuation of Crete.

Canea, Island of Crete, Nov. 8.—The Turkish troops at Retimo having refused to leave that place, the Russian admiral in those waters, following the example of Admiral Noel, the British commander here, forcibly convoyed them on board a transport.

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NOMINATIONS.

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.
For Governor, Elvin W. Crane, of Essex county.	For Governor, Foster M. Voorhees, of Union county.
For Congress, Eighth District, Edward H. Snyder, of Essex county.	For Congress, Eighth District, Charles N. Fowler, of Union county.
Third District, Patrick J. Convery, of Middlesex county.	Third District, Benj. F. Howell, of Middlesex county.
Union county. For Senator, George A. Ford, of Elizabeth.	Union county. For Senator, Joseph A. Cross, of Elizabeth.
For Assembly, D. C. Collins, of Elizabeth.	For Assembly, George A. Squire, of Elizabeth.
Mulford Scudder, of Westfield.	Robert G. Houston, of Elizabeth.
F. T. Higgins, of Linden.	Roger F. Murray, of Plainfield.
Somerset county, For Assemblyman, Samuel S. Childs, of Bernards.	Somerset county. For Assemblyman, E. E. Cooper, of Warren.
For Sheriff, Selah Schoonmaker, of Hillsborough.	For Sheriff, P. V. VanDoren, of Hillsboro.

COMING EVENTS.

November 8—University Extension lecture in Y. M. C. A. Hall.
November 8—Opening of Park Club golf course.
November 8—Football game on Martine field at 3 p. m.
November 9—Sociable at Seventh-Day Baptist church.
November 10—Warren Engine Company's entertainment in Saengerbund Hall.

Sanitary Possibilities.

It has long been the contention by the most sagacious thinkers that the great advances of the future would be not so much in the curing of disease as in the prevention of disease. The safeguards prefigured in vaccination found in the germ theories of disease and the prophylactic methods deduced from it a promise of almost incredible marvels. Much has been done in this luminous path of human discovery, but it is only a beginning. But it is not so much in isolated and sporadic cases as in the prevention of epidemics that the immediate triumphs of preventive science were to be expected. It is in this light that comment on the life of the lamented Colonel George E. Waring, recently cut down in the prime of a splendid career, is of special interest.

This remarkable man, whose genius for sanitary engineering placed him at the head of his profession, was called by the city of Memphis after the awful scourge of yellow fever about 20 years ago to devise a new system of drainage with special reference to the prevention of epidemics. He was so successful that Memphis has been practically immune since that time. He achieved an approximate feat in New Orleans, though the riverine conditions of the city prevented the most complete application of the theory which underlay his plans. It is a distressing irony of fate that in his reconnoissance of the field preparatory to the campaign which he was detailed to undertake against the disease "by carrying the war into Africa" he should have been the victim of the fatal germ which ripened in his blood immediately on his return. It is understood, however, that his plan of reorganizing drainage and other conditions of municipal management in Havana and Cuban cities in general is complete. He considered the epidemic question as perfectly within reasonable control. Should his success be as great as it was at Memphis, it will be "a monument more enduring than bronze, a pyramid more stately than royal edifice." In such manner and by the perfecting of street cleaning methods, a branch of sanitary work which the object lesson of Colonel Waring's life has taught so vividly, the solution of the problem is properly defined.

The disappearance of the "black death" from Europe, where it once raged so fearfully at recurrent periods, and the reappearance of the analogous bubonic plague in Bombay and other Indian cities where conditions make city cleanliness almost impossible speak for themselves are facts laden with suggestion. In all regions of the world where it is possible to enforce scientific regulations by law it is reasonably sure that the day of effective safeguard against epidemic pests is not far distant.

In a pamphlet just issued by Professor Daniel G. Brinton of the University of Pennsylvania on the Philippines we find some interesting information about the language and literature of the Tagals, who occupy most of the island of Luzon. They are almost purely Malay in type. The race is characterized by a keen commercial sense and by an appreciation of the advantages of a settled order of things. The Tagalog language is highly developed and harmonious and far from difficult of acquisition. The characters are closely analogous to those found on Buddhist monuments in India, dating back 500 B. C. The literature abounds in poetry, and the gift of finent improvisation is common among the Tagals. The verses are imperfectly rhymed, but good in rhythm and accent. The Spanish padres pronounced this literature worthless, but one can easily fancy such a verdict as prejudiced. It will furnish a fresh field of research for American linguists and scholars.

The proposition of a wrecking company from the Pacific coast to raise the warship Maine, now submerged in the mud of Havana harbor, carries with it a good deal of sentimental interest. The United States seems to have considered the task hopeless, though the government grants permission to a private organization on the conditions of purchasing the wreck by paying salvage, if it elects, when the work is done. If the Maine could be raised and reconstructed so as to become as good as ever, it would be a supplementary triumph, fit to cap the end of the war gloriously.

The report of Captain O'Neill of the ordnance bureau as to the naval lessons of the war concentrates special attention on the importance of quick firing guns. It was the tremendous volume of fire from these that drove the Spanish sailors from their guns. All our 6 inch and many of our 8 inch guns should be converted into quick firers.

Hotel keeping is the best advertised business in the world. The big caravansaries in our larger cities are so constantly in evidence through reports of news and in the society columns that it amounts to many thousands of dollars in value in the course of a year.

No man more surely makes a donkey of himself than he who is constantly striving to be witty. And of these donkeys the longest eared is the habitual punster.

The men who try to live by intelligence and self love alone are the greatest failures of the human race.

There is no need for any citizen in Plainfield or this vicinity going to bed tonight without knowning the result of election. All the results, local, county, State and National, can be obtained by witnessing the bulletins thrown on The Daily Press monster screen on North avenue this evening It will be a continuous show of voting figures.

Dr. Coles varies his philanthrophy a little this time by presenting Scotch Plains with a building for Y. M. C. A. purposes instead of giving a statue to some society or distinguished person. With more men like Dr. Coles the world would be better.

Tomorrow the returns will be presented by The Daily Press with correctness and completeness. Watch for the early edition.

The I-told-you-soes will commence to bob up serenely around about midnight tonight.

The next thing on the political programme in Plainfield is city election.

Steam is up for the trip up Salt River.

PASSING COMMENT.

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

One of the daintiest Hallow'een poems of the season appears in Collier's Weekly for October 29th, over the name of Geo. Wharton Edwards, of Franklin place. It is illustrated by a nearly full-page drawing, which shows a young girl in a quaint frock and hat gazing into an old-fashioned well, to see the picture of her true-love, by the light of the new moon which appears above the high garden wall. The idea of twilight is admirably portrayed in the drawing by soft lights and shadows; in the background leafless branches stretch up against the evening sky; and leaning over the well-curb Mistress Chloribel holds up her silken skirts out of the night dews. The very spirit of mystery that accompanies the Hallow'een season breathes in the graceful and musical lines which the drawing illustrates, and in which Mr. Edwards makes a first appearance in the world of verse.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church will hold a meeting this afternoon in Vincent chapel.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"All's fair in love and war," but villainy to compass the former frequently meets swift retribution. As an instance of this you should see "The Sleeping City," a new and successful comedy drama in four acts, written on lines out of the ordinary, which will be at Music Hall Friday night. It is an interesting story of New York life after dark, beautifully told and splendidly acted by a well selected company of players. It is brought up-to-date and embellished in a manner that leaves little, if any, room for improvement. There is an abundance of pure and refined fun, and the various characters of city types keep the house in constant good humor which gives way at times to uproarious laughter. "The Sleeping City" is staged with the closest attention to detail and mechanical effects, while the reproduction of Battery Park, exterior of Sing Sing prison and the burning asylum are a revelation in stage realism in fidelity to the originals. Words alone fail to do this great play justice; it must be seen to be appreciated. Added lustre is lent to the piece by the introduction of up-to-date specialties.

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Henry Chanfrau in "Kit, the Arkansas Traveller," a play dear to the hearts of all American playgoers, will be the attraction at Music Hall, early next week. This famous old comedy drama presents a story of American Western life full of heart interest and exciting scenes with at the same time a goodly spattering of real wholesome comedy of the old school.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The monthly meeting of the A. O. H. will be held Thursday evening.

—On the evening of November 24th there will be a social in Grace M. E. church.

—Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, wil hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—There will be a regular meeting of Minerva Temple, Rathbone Sisters, this evening.

—The Republican city executive committee held a meeting last evening and passed on a few bills.

—The Womans Parliamentary Club will hold its regular meeting Thursday, November 10th, at 10 a.m.

—The members of the Gesang and Turn Verein will give a dance and entertainment in their hall Thanksgiving evening.

—Members of Washington Camp, No. 30, P. O. S. of A., met last night and prepared for a grand initiation with full paraphernalia.

—A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will be held in the church parlors tomorrow evening.

—A sewing meeting of the Women's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will be held in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon.

FOUGHT LIKE TIGERS.

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what they lacked in science.

At last, the unlucky Howell went down before a mighty upper cut and lay on the turf insensible. They washed the blood from off his face and brought him to his senses, then he was carried home by his friends. Howell is out again once more and has declared that he will resume the battle on the first opportunity.

THE COUNCIL MEETING.

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set as the time when sealed proposals would be received for macadamizing certain streets which the Council has already decided to macadamize according to ordinances adopted. Another resolution was offered by Mr. Barrows to the effect that the money subscribed by East Ninth street reeidents for macadamizing under the old ordinance be returned as they had failed to raise the stipulated amount, $600.

Mr. VanHerwerden offered a resolution borrowing $4,000 on account of general fund, and he also reported on the contract between the city and the telephone company. According to the contract a telephone will be placed in the Industrial Home and another in the new engine house in the West End.

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Covered Butters	45c	10c. Whisk Brooms	5c
Casseroles, 8-in.	60c	Wood Tooth Picks	2c. box
Coke Plates	20c		

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4½c. yd.	Extra heavy unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide.
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3½c. yd.	Shaker Flannels, " " 5c.
3c. yd	Best quality soft finished Cambric.
2½c. yd	Dark colored Prints, regular price 5c.
4c. yd	Indigo blue, Simpson's black and silver grey Calicoes, regular price 6c.
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10c	Ladies' fleece lined black Hose.
39c.	Men's 50 per cent natural wool Underwear.
25c.	Men's heavy grey Underwear.
18c.	Men's all-wool 1-2 Hose.
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25c.	Boys' heavy fleece-lined Underwear.

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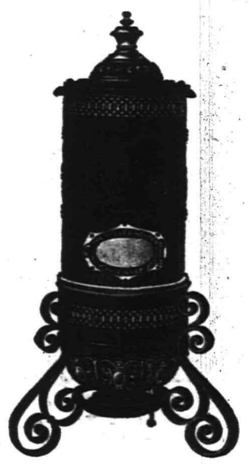

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ALL OUR $2.50 SHOES
For Men, Women, Boys and Girls for a few days special at
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Oct. 8.—Presiding elder Smith's wife and daughter, of Plainfield, called on Mrs. I. E. Henry Saturday afternoon.

Last Wednesday night William H. Terry's faithful setter dog, "Duke" was very uneasy. Mr. Terry heard the dog barking around inside the house, an unusual thing for the dog to do unless some one is prowling around, but as Mr. Terry was not feeling well, he ordered Duke to keep quiet and went to sleep. After awhile the dog returned to his bed and lay down. Nothing more was thought of the episode until Friday night when it was discovered that on Wednesday night two tramps had broken into the Presbyterian church just opposite Mr. Terry's house and slept there. That was no doubt what the dog was barking at. The tramps had entered the church through a window which had been left open, taken the cushions from off the pews, and made a soft bed for themselves either on the pulpit or on the chapel floor. When they left the tramps carried away with them the pendulum off the clock.

The pupils who go to the Whittier School had a forced vacation yesterday. There are three cases of diphtheria in the borough, and for fear that the disease germs were hidden somewhere in the building school was dismissed yesterday and the entire building thoroughly fumigated. The children suffering with the epidemic are the little Eick boy and Mr. Lowe's two girls.

The trolley company contemplate running express cars between here and New Brunswick.

Willard Martin, of New Brunswick, rode over here on his wheel yesterday to visit friends.

Mrs. I. VanHorn has returned home after a visit with her daughter Mrs. I. E. Henry.

The regular football team will play a scrub team this afternoon.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 8.—George Jenner, who has been ill with the chills, is getting better.

The flag which is to be swung to the breeze on the school flag pole, will be unfurled Friday morning. Appropriate exercises will be held with addresses by Rev. T. E. Davis, of Bound Broog, Rev. Mr. Paterson and Rev. Frank Fletcher.

Miss Annie Lindorfer, of Brooklyn, has been visiting Miss Josephine Reusch.

Mrs. J. Gaskill and daughter has moved to New York.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 8—The entertainment to be given by the Baptist Sunday school in the parlors of the church Wednesday evening promises to be a success financially. A very entertaining programme has been arranged and all should attend as the proceeds are for the benefit of the Sunday-school Christmas tree fund.

The boys of the football team complain bitterly of their treatment by the spectators at the game in Dunellen Saturday afternoon, when Scotch Plains lost to Dunellen by the score of 5 to 0. The boys say the crowd at the game crowded in on the gridiron interfering with the play when Scotch Plains had the ball. Especially was this so when Chapin got the ball and started for a touchdown, and having a lead of ten yards was sure of making it when one of the spectators deliberately stepped in his way throwing him down. This lost the chance to tie the score. This was only one of several such actions on the part of the spectators, and it will be some time before Scotch Plains will again play upon their grounds.

Everything points to a large vote being polled at the election today as both parties are working hard, but Scotch Plains will go Republican by about 60 majority.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant, of Plainfield, were the guests Sunday of Mrs Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Paff, Sr.

Miss Nellie McLaughlin, of Lewisburg, is spending a few days with Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Braker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hazel, of Elizabeth, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 8.—Albert Harris, of the High School football team had his collar bone broken in a football game Saturday.

Captain George Bonner is at the home of Mrs. James Simpson, his wife's mother on Ross place in a very bad condition. The Captain was ship wrecked in African waters and floated on a raft for two weeks before being picked up by a passing ship.

It has been fully demonstrated that Ely's Cream Balm is a specific for Nasal Catarrh and cold in the head. This distinction has been acheived only as the result of continued successful use. A morbid condition of the membrane in the nasal passages can be cured by this purifying and healing treatment. Sold by druggists or it will be mailed for 50 cents by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York It spreads over the membrane, is absorbed and relief is immediate.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Miss Estella Brooks, of Duer street, is visiting friends in Bound Brook.

Miss Myrtie Randolph, of Park avenue, is visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Miss May Irwin, of New York, is the guest of Miss Eva Benton, of College place.

Thomas Hendry, of the West End, is entertaining company from Hartford, Conn.

Willard Force, of New York, is visiting his brother, Charles Force, of Duer street.

Mrs. Hull, of New York, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Slape, of Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Force, of Carlton avenue, entertained out-of-town friends Sunday.

Miss Harriet Loomis, of New York city, is visiting Miss M. G. Morse, of Franklin place.

Mr Conover, of High Bridge, who has been visiting Plainfield relatives, has returned home.

Nathan E. Lewis, of West Eighth street, is home from Stevens Institute for over election day.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, who is critically ill, is no better. He is gradually failing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. William Serrell, of Crescent avenue, are entertaining company from out of town.

Mrs. Charles B. Morse, of Manlius, N. Y., is a guest at the home of Joseph E. Morse, of Franklin place.

Harry Baglin and family, of Newark, who have been visiting borough relatives, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, of Codington avenue, have returned from a visit with relatives at Centreville, Hunterdon county.

Miss Addie L. Giddes, of Beechwood Heights, has returned home after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Alonzo F. Brokaw, of Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Skidmore, of Tottenville, Staten Island, have returned home after a pleasant visit with their daughter, Mrs. George Strayer, of Duer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rydell, who were married last week in New York, have returned to Plainfield, where Mr. Mr. Rydell is employed as daughtsman at the Pond Tool Works. Mrs. Rydell has resided in this country for several years, having been born in Sweden.

TROLLEY FACILITIES.

System Between New Brunswick and Plainfield Now in Order.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 8—The trolley system between this city and Plainfield is now in good running order, it being possible to make the entire trip by trolley, excepting the stage ride at Bound Brook. The line between Dunellen and Bound Brook is now in operation, while the line from Dunellen line has been running for some time.

Cars leave this city every hour on the half hour for Bound Brook, and connect with cars at Bound Brook depot for Somerville and Dunellen, the latter cars also running on an hour schedule. At Dunellen another change is made at Taylor's Hotel, and the Plainfield cars will carry you into Plainfield. The fare to Plainfield is 20 cents; to Dunellen, 15 cents, and to Bound Brook, 10 cents.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

P. W. Ross, of Scottsville, Va., is visiting A. S. Venable.

Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue, spent Sunday at Atlantic City.

The condition of Carl Walz, who is ill with typhoid fever, is not changed.

Bradley Smalley, of Netherwood, is confined to the house with typhoid fever.

Miss Lottie Wilson, of Lebanon, is visiting Miss Susie Boss, of Central avenue.

John Goff, of Fourth street, who has been ill with rheumatism, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs Wolfinger, of Madison avenue, are spending a few days in New York.

Mrs. Blackwell, of Pennington, formerly of Plainfield, has been visiting friends in town.

Charles A. Haynes, of First place, is very ill, and fears are entertained for his recovery.

Mrs. Spencer, of New York, is visiting her father, Henry Bonnell, of Manning avenue.

Jedediah Smalley, of Philadelphia, has returned after a short visit with borough relatives.

Benjamin Schenck, formerly of this city, but now of Newark, has been visiting Plainfield friends.

Burton Ford, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Harriot Burton Ford, of Watchung avenue.

Rev. James M. Gregory, of the Industrial School at Bordentown, was the guest Sunday of William Kline.

Private Mark Doud, of Co. E, Third Regiment, has returned to camp after a leave of absence for twenty-four hours.

Mrs. Corra Ryno and daughter, Emma, of Codington avenue, are visiting relatives at Phillipsburg, Hunterdon county.

The Misses Yerkes, daughters of Rev. Dr. Yerkes, of West Seventh street, are entertaining a friend from out of town.

Mrs. Max Wiertz and children, of West Sixth street, will sail next week for Belgium. Mr. Wiertz will move to New York.

Superintendent Lovell, of Warren chapel, was absent from the city over last Sunday, and his place was filled by J. W. Gavett.

Harry Brokaw, of Philadelphia, is visiting Plainfield relatives, and will vote today in the borough, where he holds a residence.

Rev. James M. Gregory, of the Bordentown Industrial School, preached in the Mt. Olive Baptist church Sunday morning.

Department Commander W. C. Smith, of the G. A. R., has returned from Lambertville, where he paid a visit to the post of that place.

Chales Boone, son of Dr. Boone, of West Seventh street, who was bitten last summer with a shark, has entirely recovered from his injuries and has returned to his studies at college.

Among the students at the Teacher's College, New York city, are Misses Mary Thompson and Marion Henderson, of Rockview avenue, Miss Margaret MacCrady, of Madison avenue, and Philip Wells, of Washington avenue.

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Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—There will be election of officers next Thursday evening at the Reform Club.

—There will be baptism at the Crescent Avenue church next Sunday morning.

—Last Sunday at Warren chapel the annual Christmas committee was appointed.

—Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., will work the Master Mason degree tomorrow evening.

—This evening the first of the University Extension lectures will be given in the Y. M. C. A. building.

—There will be a smoker at the meeting of Paughcaughnaughsinque Tribe, I. O. R. M., tomorrow evening.

—Anchor Lodge will hold its communication Wednesday night instead of tonight on account of the election.

—The season for rabbits will be opened next Thursday. It is said that there is a limited number of cotton tails this year.

—Somerset place, in the borough, is being graded and macadamized under the direction of Borough Engineer Frank Hubbard.

—The yearly meeting of the Seventh-Day Baptist churches of New York city and New York will be held at Shiloh, N. J., November 18th-20th.

—A valuable pet pug dog owned by ex-Councilman V. L. Frazee had to be shot last Saturday. The animal had an attack of pneumonia and was delirious.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will give a Thanksgiving social in the church parlors Friday evening. There will be something novel in the line of refreshments.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will give a sociable in the church parlors on the evening of Wednesday, November 16th.

—The residents of Codington avenue, who petitioned the Borough Council for an electric light to be located at the corner of Somerset street and Codington avenue, have had their request granted.

—Tomorrow evening at the Crescent Avenue church Dr. Wilson, of East Orange, will deliver a talk on home missions. A meeting of the teachers of the Sunday-school will follow for the study of the lesson.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

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10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

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POUND—On Monday, Nov. 7th, 1898, Robinson G., infant son of Robinson and Mary J. Pound, age one month and 23 days.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-class places furnished girls out of employment; and reliable help secured for those desiring girls, at St. Joseph's Home, (Non-Sectarian), 43 Manning avenue. Plain sewing and embroidery done and taught at the home. 11 23 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

FOR SALE—Team bay carriage horses, also closed carriage, surrey, single and double harness and gentleman's saddle. 830 Central avenue. 11 8 5

HOUSE for sale or rent, 69 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

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WANTED — A girl for general housework; references required. Call 908 West Front street. 11 7 2

TO RENT—Reasonable, new flat, 7 rooms; all improvements. 109 Somerset street. 11 7 3

FOR SALE—Horse, phaeton and harness, very cheap. Address Owner, care Press. 11 7 3

WANTED—Young girl to assist in housework at 916 West Front street. 11 7 3

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

GOOD horse for sale. Enquire Nathaniel Hill, Greenbrook road, Dunellen. 11 8 2

Proposals for Macadamizing.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Common Council at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, at eight o'clock p. m. on Monday the twenty-first day of November, 1898, (for use in case the city shall be required to do the work), for doing the work and furnishing the materials for the macadamizing contemplated in the following ordinances, entitled, "An Ordinance for macadamizing East Ninth street between Park avenue and Watchung avenue."; "An Ordinance for macadamizing East Sixth street between Watchung avenue and Richmond St., excepting where already macadamized"; and "An Ordinance for macadamizing Franklin place between LaGrand avenue and East Fifth street", adopted by the Common Council and approved by the Mayor Oct. 27, 1898, and as provided for in the specifications on file in the office of the Street Commissioner.

Upon receipt of the bids or proposals the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents thereof in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of said prices and terms.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved by the Common Council.

Separate proposals must be submitted for each street, endorsed, "Proposals for Macadamizing"

Dated Nov. 7, 1898.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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MAKING IT PLAIN.

Values crowd each other as the season advances; they clamor for a place in print; perhaps one in twenty gets it. Last month we broke a record, and the next 'twill be the same. We own the goods to do it with; we have the nerve to cut prices right through every department, not on half-a-dozen articles for baits, but every dollar's worth of goods in the store. It means much to you from a money-saving standpoint.

PRICE BREAKS

In Silks among the manufacturers means Price Breaks here; you get the full benefit of it, and it means much. Over one thousand yards of Handsome Silks that were $1 to $1.75 the yard will go for 79c yd.

DRESS GOODS

We have too many of certain lots, a backward season is to blame for it, and when the values remain the same the prices are badly twisted. About 100 pieces of Skirt and Waist Lengths, were 40, 50 and 75c yd, now 25c yd. Fifty pieces of Fancies, were 50 and 75c yd, now 29c yd. Twenty-five pieces of Imported Novelties, were 75c yd, now 49c.

WHITE QUILTS.

About one hundred of them manufacturers samples, full size, handsome quilts, staple as wheat, but they go to you at half value—were $1.25 to $3, now 69c to $1.75.

BLANKETS

and Comfortables—many who read this will feel bound to buy blankets and comfortables. We sell for $2.49 a ten-quarter all-wool blanket; no one can match it under $3.50. 98c buys a full-size white cotton filled Comfortable.

These lots of fresh, seasonable specials are here for quick selling; you will know they are cheap the minute you see them:

Children's natural wool shirts and pants 19c each.
Children's fleece-lined shirts and pants—
Size—18 20 22 24 26 28
8c 10c 13c 16c 19c 21c each.
Extra large bath towels 13c ea.
2,000 yards of Real Torchon Lace 6 and 7c yd.
1,000 yards of Fine Imported Dimins 15c yd.
1,000 yards of Domestic Figured Dimins 8c yd.
All-linen Fringed Doylies 7c ea.
All-linen Dinner Napkins 9c ea.
Ten-quarter Figured Table Covers $1.19 ea.
Eight-quarter Colored Table Covers 49c ea.
Extra-heavy all-linen Twilled Crash 8c yd.
Fine Dotted and Striped Swiss for Curtains 9c yd.
Ladies' Fine Hose 15c pr.
Children's School Hose 10c pr.
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Vests, fleeced, 21c ea.

Ladies' Natural Wool Fleeced Vests 39c ea.
Ladies' Fine Fleeced Hose 19c pr.
Men's Fine Suspenders, 25c kind, 13c pr.
Men's Fine Wool Half-Hose 17c pr.
Fine all-linen Hemstitched H'dk fs 13c ea.
Men's Heavy Wool Shirts and Drawers, 75c kind, 49c ea.
Infants' Wool Ribbed Vests 17c ea.
Side Combs 5c pr.
Plate Glass Hand Mirrors 15c ea.
Silk Curtain Cord and Tassels 12c pr.
Laundry Bags 10c ea.
Mantle Lambrequins 29c ea.
Linen Tray Cloths 27c ea.
Fine Embroideries 10c yd.
Chatelaine Bags 10c ea.
Buttermilk Soap 7c cake.
Ladies' Side Supporters, with belt, 10c pr.
Turkish Wash Cloths 5c ea.
Fine Writing Paper—60 Sheets, 60 Envelopes 17c box.

SECOND FLOOR.

Ladies' Plaid Waists 65c.
" Flannel " $1.25.
" Satine Skirts $100.
" Flannelette Wrappers, well made 98c.
" Silk Waists, black and colored, $4.98 ea.
" Velveteen Waists, all colors, $3.98 ea.

Fur Collarettes $1.69.
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front, 25c ea.
Boys' all-wool Shirt Waists 60c. Value $1.00 ea.
Boys' Knee Pants, made of all-wool cheviot, 29c pr.

THIRD FLOOR

Smith's Finest Quality Velvet and Axminster Carpets, 95c yd., including making, laying and lining.

Lace Curtains, extra size, 98c, $1.10, $1.19, $1.29, $1.39 and $1.49 pr.
Tapestry Table Covers 39c ea.
Chenille Table Covers 49c ea.
Wilton Velvet Mats, 18x36, 39c ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 27x60, $1.98 ea.
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 36x72, $2.98 ea.
Tapestry Carpets, 10 wire, 49c yd.

Extra super all-wool Ingrain Carpets 52c yd.
Extra quality all-wool Art Squares $4.88 ea.
Tapestry Portierres 98c ea.
Feather Pillows 39c ea.
Comfortables filled with white cotton 98c ea.
All-wool Blankets, full size, $2.49 pr.
Heavy Grey Blankets $1.50 ea.
Cotton Blankets 39c ea.

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Thursday, Nov. 10th, at 8:15 p. m.

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The service was just beginning when I got to church. There was such a crowd that I slipped into a dull corner facing a wall.

Immediately in front of me I noticed a young girl, quite shabbily dressed. She seemed conscious of her poor appearance, and evidently shrank from notice.

Presently a gentleman came in, very well dressed and with an air of wealth somehow, but instead of the self-confidence of his class he also was shy and shrinking. Poor man, he was deformed. He couldn't help knowing there was a woman of some kind next to him, but he seemed to pull himself together to avoid her.

We got to the first hymn. She couldn't find it—wrong book. Civility compelled him to offer his, and very shyly, coloring crimson, the thumb of her shabby glove grasped the extreme corner.

At the next hymn and the next they were getting quite friendly in an unspoken way.

I felt very interested. I am a born match-maker, and always like to give heaven a little assistance, but I didn't quite see what I could do in this promising case.

However, chance favored me. Coming out of church there was a heavy shower. I was delighted to find my son George waiting for me with an umbrella, dear boy, so thoughtful.

"I knew you wouldn't have one," he said so triumphantly that I wished to goodness I had.

"Hullo, Meredith, haven't you got an umbrella either? Serves you right."

"Hush," I said, squeezing him arm. To my great surprise George was speaking to the man I had noticed in church.

"Perhaps you will come home with us," I said, smiling sweetly, "and wait till the shower is over."

I managed it all so beautifully; he came in to supper, and we got on so well that in a very short time he was quite a frequent visitor. He seemed at ease in a house where there were no tall girls to look calmly at him with perfectly composed manner. George's boyish tastes were a rest for his studious soul, and I am sure he liked me almost as much as I liked him.

At a large "at home" one afternoon one of the musicians was a Miss Sydney-Jones, and while I was dreamily wondering where I had seen her before her badly-made frock caught my eye, and I beamed. It was the shabby young lady I had seen in church.

Five minute later she was sitting by me. I praised her playing, talked to her like a mother, and easily got out of her that she was a music teacher, and evidently not much at that.

I arranged for her to come to tea and bring her music, and took care that Mr. Meredith dropped in at the same time. I saw he looked peculiarly at the girl. I am sure he recognized her. Perhaps he had often thought of her in the silent watches of the night. Perhaps George is right that I incline to be sentimental. Miss Jones seemed unable to conceal her extreme shyness, and my son kindly tried to put her at her ease.

Mr. Meredith looked on with sad eyes. I knew what he was thinking of, but he depreciated himself; if the girl had any sense she would take him at his true worth.

The tuning of the fiddle-strings sent George flying; but Mr. Meredith watched every movement with such admiration that the girl's head was turned, and she put on little airs of coquetry that quite finished the man no woman had ever designed to flirt with before.

I slept that night with the blissful consciousness of having done a good action, helped in a difficult job.

Before I went to sleep I thought I would give the girl a wedding-dress and decided where it would be nice for them to live.

About twice a week the little comedy went on. At first Mr. Meredith made some excuse for coming; afterwards, without words, he and I understood each other.

Miss Jones lost her shyness, or it took a new form. The little hesitation and glance which accompanied her speech George once described as "fetching." I was so glad for Mr. Meredith's sake.

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I was idling over the tea-table one afternoon, rather wishing my "young couple" would turn up, when I heard Mr. Meredith's knock at the front door. I started to my feet when he came in, and my heart seemed to choke me, for no reason whatever. I don't know how it was, but I knew.

He had the look of a saint on his face—forgiveness, humility, sympathy; what did his mis-shapen shoulders matter with such a soul as that?

"I was to break it to you," he said; "but I see you know. They were married this morning at St. Luke's. They didn't tell you, for fear you should be angry, they said.

Oh, my son, my son!

The "Tramp and Rat" Fable.

Once upon a time a Tramp was Sorely in need of Something to Eat, and approaching a Farmhouse, he spake unto the Farmer, saying: "If you will give me the Wherewithal to satisfy the Cravings of the Inner Man, I will kill all the Rats about the place." "Agreed," said the Tiller of the Soil, and he ordered his Good Wife to give the Tramp a Square Meal. After the Tramp had Devoured everything in sight he went to the woodpile and selected a stout Club; then, seating Himself on the Porch, he said to the Farmer: "Now bring on your Rats."—Chicago News.

ABOUT BLANCHE WILLIS HOWARD.

Her Marriage to the German Court Physician Was a Remarkably Happy One.

Though there is not much to be said for "One Summer" beyond the fact that fifty-four thousand volumes of the book were sold, the personality of its author does not, happily, depend upon her literary work. Blanche Willis Howard, or—to call her by the title which she bore at the time of her death—the Baroness von Teuffel, was one of the most charming women who have ever attempted to write, and, unlike many others, she was prone to take her books at very nearly their proper valuation.

Beside her novels and her work as a magazine editor, she was a musician of real ability. It was her remarkable talent in this direction—aided, as always, by her taking manner—that won her the friendship of Wagner, with whom and with whose niece—as she used often to tell—she sat in a private box at the first public production of "Lohengrin." Another of her friends was Lizst, whose guest she was in Rome some time later.

Her marriage to the German court physician was a marriage for love and one in which the love endured until the time of Dr. Teuffel's death. His wife never recovered from the shock which she then sustained. Once of unusually handsome figure, fair, and with hair like the silk of corn, she seemed to grow old and gray in a night. She put aside all her literary work from that moment and, as she recently wrote to an American friend, "Was merely waiting till the end should come.' That end found her quickly, but peacefully, in the old German town she loved so well.—Philadelphia Press.

How the Prince of Wales Escaped.

The Prince of Wales was once taking a walk in St. James's Park before breakfast, when he found himself followed by a well dressed but crazy looking old woman. Having seen this woman before, and probably guessing what her object was, the prince resolved to take no notice of her, but continued his walk until obliged to turn homeward. The woman then stood before him and courtesied. The prince raised his hat and tried to pass on. "I have a grievance, your royal highness," began the stranger, producing from her hand bag a roll of close written parchment. "Ach, madam, these is not ze first time I have been taken for the Prince of Wales!" was the reply in a gruff voice, with a strong German accent. After flashing a glance of deepest scorn upon him, the old lady put away her precious documents, remarking: "I have the honor to have known all the members of the royal family, and if my eyesight were not becoming bad nowadays, I should not have made such an astonishing error as to take you for the prince!" The Prince of Wales again took off his hat, smiled, and proceeded on his way.—London Mainly About People.

WIT AND HUMOR.

Mrs. Bridely (in tears)—Oh, John! How could you scold me so? You know you often said before our marriage that you delighted in cleanliness.

Mr. Bridely (grimly)—So I do; but I draw the line at paying for a woman to scrub the bottom of a coal box just before the coal is put in.—Pearson's Weekly.

Irate Customer—That bug exterminator you sold me the other day is no good. The cockroaches fatten on it.

Affable Salesman—Yes, sir. That's the first stage. They get fat on it and then they die of appoplexy. Come around next week and report again. Anything I can do for you ma'am? Chicago Tribune.

"What a grasping fellow you are, Hawkins! You've bothered me about this bill fifty times in ten days!"

"You wrong me Jarley, I'm not grasping. I've bothered you about the bill, I admit; but I haven't been able to grasp anything yet."

"Papa, are generals brave men?" asked Johnny of his father.

"Yes, my son' as a rule," was the answer.

"Then why do artists always make pictures of 'em standing on a hill three miles away, looking at the battle through an opera glass?"

"Your husband has been ill," said the caller.

"Yes," replied the little worried-looking woman; "he has been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him."

"Is his condition critical?"

"It's worse than critical," she answered, with a sigh; "it's abusive."

"Great Scott, Clara, what do you mean keeping me waiting on the corner looking like a fool?"

"Well, Harry, I know I kept you waiting, but you did the rest yourself."—Chicago Record.

"Begorra," said Bridget, as she opened a bottle of champagne for the first time, "the fool that filled this quart bottle must 'a' put two quarts in instid of wan!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Smith:—I hear that your mother-in-law is dangerously ill."

Captain Spurrs:—"She is rather seedy; but she is not as dangerous as when she was well."

"On' o' de hahdes' pahts ob a man's education," said Uncle Eben, "is fohgettin' a lot o' no 'count things dat he tuck vallyble time to learn."—Washington Star.

JUDGE KILGORE'S LUCK.

How He Got His Gun, the Chicken and the Man He Was After.

An amusing story, in which the tables were cleverly turned, dates from the war between the North and the South. The hero of it was the late Judge Kilgore. While serving in the army he was ordered home to assist in the capture of some deserters. One evening he was pursuing his search in the country, suffering from weariness and hunger—especially hunger.

About dusk he stopped at a house by the wayside in time to see a woman removing from the fire a nicely broiled chicken. The smell of the food joined forces with his hunger, and he drew from his pocket a Mexican dollar with which he was loath to part. It looked as if he would not have to part with it now, for the woman refused to sell the fowl, declaring it to be for a sick friend.

"I'll jump you for it, though" she said.

"What do you mean by that?" asked the officer.

"I mean that we will see who can jump farthest from this doorsill out into the yard. The one that beats shall have the chicken and the dollar."

The hungry officer agreed. The dollar was placed on the dish with the chicken, the gun rested against the wall near the door and the stranger swung his arms and made a tremendous leap.

He recovered himself with difficulty and turned to see the woman standing in the doorway, his cocked gun in her hands with its butt against her shoulder. Her finger was on the trigger.

"Now, you just flirt the gravel down that road, young man, or I'll make buzzards' food of you," she ejaculated.

There was determination in her eye, and ball in the gun. The soldier obeyed her commands with impotent rage in his heart.

Darkness had fallen in the meantime. The soldier spied a gin-house over in a field, and made for it. He was tired out, and was thankful to climb into the loft and sleep. Presently he was awakened by voices below. One, a female voice, was telling a story of a disappointed soldier and a long jump. In that voice the officer recognized his acquaintance of the evening. As she told of his discomfiture, peal after peal of laughter bore witness to the humorous character of the story.

The pair below were much engrossed in each other. The soldier peered down through a hole in the floor, and beheld the chicken and the Mexican dollar full in view. The tallow dip that lighted the interior showed him his gun also.

Just as the man below drew the dish toward him to partake of the chicken, a big object tumbled through the hole in the floor, and before the pair could recover from their astonishment the soldier had recovered his gun. Now the tables were turned. Bringing the gun into position he addressed the woman.

"Madam," he said, "you flirt the gravel back home. As for this gentleman, he and I will flirt the gravel to the office of the provost marshal, for he is the deserter after whom I have been searching for a week."

Resistance was useless. The woman went home. The soldier recovered his dollar, ate the chicken, and delivered his prisoner to the provost marshal.—Youth's Companion.

MUST DRESS LIKE QUEENS.

Actresses In These Roles Pay More Than Royalty for Their Gowns.

Vienna papers are commenting on the great cost of actresses' dresses. Stage folks who play kings and queens say they must dress like royalty. Frau Odillon as Mme Sans Gene paid $1,250 for her costume and an opera singer recently bettered this record by $500.

As a matter of fact, however, real royalty pays nothing like these prices. The young Queen of Holland gets Paris gowns for $40 or $50. The Archduchesses Marie Valerie and Gisela get what they want for from $80 to $160. The German Empress buys her dresses in Vienna, and pays not more than $320, while the Empress Elizabeth gets the latest fashion and best quality for $60.

The Countess Castellane has just bought a tea gown from Worth for which she paid $6,000. It is trimmed with diamonds and is made of heliotrope velvet, crinkled according to the latest fashion. The long, straight front is of cream-colored mousseline de soie and cascades of cream and silk lace.

The front is bordered with a most exquisite trimming, consisting of a fluffy jabot of white feathers caught here and there with diamond ornaments. The effect of the diamonds glistening among the feathers is exquisite. The feathery trimming reaches from the shoulder right to the hem of the gown. The crinkled velvet sleeve is small and laid in tucks toward the top, and on one shoulder are a few sprays of velvet purple and white orchids, and on the other is a bunch of violets. The gown has a long train and an indescribable air of regal elegance.—New York Press.

Authorship in Georgia.

A Georgia author wrote to a New York publisher:

"What could you do with a story of say 65,000 words?"

The publisher replied briefly:

"If the express company would undertake it we could send it back to you immediately."—Atlanta Constitution.

She—Would you love me just the same if I hadn't a cent?

He—(absently)—I would love you more. I abhor this new mown hay perfume.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Elsaß-Lothringen.

Straßburg. Generalmajor v. Gilsa, der Kommandeur der 33. Infanteriebrigade in Hanau, ist zum Kommandanten von Straßburg ernannt werden.—In Metz wurde vor zwei Jahren der Oekonomiehandwerker August Detzlaff todt in der Mosel aufgefunden. Nun wurde hier eine aus Belgien gebürtige Dienstmagd als seine Mörderin verhaftet. Sie hatte mit Detzlaff ein Verhältniß, hatte dann aber nichts mehr von ihm wissen wollen und ihn gelegentlich eines Spazierganges, bei dem er ihr wiederholt seine Liebe gestanden, in die Mosel gestoßen. Sie gestand die That einem Oberlazarethgehilfen, der ihre Verhaftung veranlaßte.

Dagsweiler. In dem zur hiesigen Gemeinde gehörigen Weiler Gub hat der 70jährige Tagelöhner Florenz Scholl sein Haus angezündet und sich dann erschossen. Unter dem Schutt des gänzlich niedergebrannten Gebäudes fand man seine verkohlten Reste. Das Haus sollte versteigert und der alte Mann daraus entfernt werden.

Oesterreich.

Wien. In der öffentlichen Bibliothek in der Höfergasse im 9. Bezirke wurden durch länger Zeit Bücherdiebstähle wahrgenommen, ohne daß man des Diebes habhaft werden konnte. Neulich endlich gelang es, mittelst eines zu diesem Zwecke angebrachten Guckloches, den Büchermarder auf frischer That zu ertappen, eben als er ein Buch in seinen Taschen verschwinden ließ. Die erbitterten Besucher des Lesesaales umringten den Mann und hielten ihn fest, bis der requirirte Sicherheitswachmann erschien, der ihn auf das Polizeikommissariat eskortirte.—Aus Furcht vor der wegen eines Hausdiebstahls zu gewärtigenden Strafe versuchte sich der im „Stephanskeller" bedienstete Kochlehrling Maximilian Türk zu erhängen. Der Küchenchef bemerkte ihn rechtzeitig und schnitt ihn ab.

Blasendorf. In der Nähe von hier erschoß der gewesene Oberstuhlrichter Orbok den Anwalt der Rumänischen Bank, Oltena, der einer Pfändung bei Orbok beiwohnte, durch zwei Schüsse, worauf Orbok seinem Leben ein Ende machte.

Budapest. Ein englisches Konsortium unterhandelt gegenwärtig über die Erbauung eines zur Schiffahrt und Berieselung des ungarischen Tieflandes geeigneten Kanals zwischen Budapest und Szegedin.

Innsbruck. Der neue Steig von der Bremer zur Innsbrucker Hütte am Habicht ist nun fertig. Er hat eine Breite von 40 bis 60 Centimeter und bewegt sich nahezu in horizontaler Linie.

Krakau. Der Prinz Alexander Radziwill, der in Posen begütert ist, wurde auf der Durchreise wegen Beschimpfung des diensthuenden Bahnbeamten im Bahnhof vom hiesigen Bezirksgericht zu 14 Tagen Arrest verurtheilt.

Saaz. Der vormalige hiesige antisemitische Schriftsteller Edmund Pummer, welcher zu vier Monaten schwerem Kerker verurtheilt wurde, jedoch nach der Schweiz geflüchtet ist und vom Kreisgerichte Brüx steckbrieflich verfolgt wird, hat nunmehr von der Schweiz aus beim Kreisgerichte Brüx ein Gesuch um freies Geleite nach Oesterreich behufs Verbüßung seiner Kerkerstrafe eingebracht.

Thomasdorf. Die verheirathete, von ihrem Manne seit 20 Jahren getrennt lebende Arbeiterin Barg wurde durch einen Scheuerthorflügel, welcher ausgehoben worden war und auf sie fiel, getödtet.

Schweiz.

Bern. Die Neubauten in der Aareschlucht bei Meiringen sind vollendet und wurden dem Betriebe übegeben. Der Weg geht nun durch die ganze Schlucht und mündet aus bei dem unteren Kehr der Kirchetstraße. Der Weg zur sogenannten trockenen Lamm (Gletscherkessel) geht ziemlich steil aufwärts und eine feste, sichere Brücke verbindet hoch oben die beiden Felswände. Von der Brücke weg müssen noch mehrere lange Treppen passirt werden bis zum Gletscherkessel. Die Arbeit an diesen steilen Felswänden, hoch über der schäumenden Aare war höchst gefährlich. Nervenschwache Damen wagen kaum den hohen, aber doch total sicheren Aufstieg. Nächsten Sommer soll jeden günstigen Abend die Schlucht beleuchtet werden und es wird zwischen Dorf Meiringen und der Schlucht eine Tramverbindung hergestellt. Auch die Drahtseilbahn zu den Reichenbachfällen wird nächstes Jahr in Betrieb gesetzt und die Fälle werden ebenfalls beleuchtet werden.

Basel. Mit Beginn des Wintersemesters hat Civilgerichtspräsident Dr. Karl Chr. Burckhardt, der von seinem Amte zurückgetreten ist, eine Professur der Rechte an der Basler Hochschule übernommen.

Schaffhausen. Das Kantonsgericht verurtheilte dieser Tage zwei Mörder, und zwar den Gattenmörder Bruetsch und den Italiener Zecchinati, der seinen früheren Meister erstochen hatte, zum Tode, welche Urtheile das Obergericht bestätigte. Der Große Rath begnadigte jedoch beide Verurtheilte zu lebenslänglichem Zuchthaus.

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5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m, way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 6 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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Then Bismarck walked home at a brisk pace, and reached his own house long before anybody there could know what had happened. The countess had some friends with her when her husband entered the drawing room He greeted all in a friendly manner and begged to be excused for a few minutes, as he had some urgent business to attend to. He then walked into the next room, where his desk stood, and wrote to inform the king of the occurrence. Having attended to his duty he returned to the drawing room and made one of his little standing jokes. "Well, are we to have no dinner to-day? You always keep me waiting." He sat down and partook heartily of the dishes set before him, and it was only when the dinner was over that he walked up to the countess, kissed her on the forehead, wished her in the old German way, "Gesegnete mahlzeit" (may your meal be blessed), and then added, "You see I am quite well." She looked up at him. "Well," he continued, "you must not be anxious, my child; somebody has fired at me, but it is nothing, as you see."

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The shawl, when spread out, is about ten yards square, but it is so exquisitely fine that it can be passed through a ring, and when folded up makes a parcel a very few inches square. It is not only curious, but exceedingly valuable.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Talk of the People

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A WOMAN'S MERCY.

He had stopped behind the other callers, and she came late; and Aunt Teresa was wise enough to leave them together.

"It is a long time since we met," said he.

"Is it? I don't remember. It doesn't seem long."

"Only a year."

"Is that all?" She sank languidly upon an ottoman, and he sat down beside her.

"You are not looking well."

"Oh, that's only my style. 'A small, pale, big-eyed girl who looked interesting to avert criticism from her features,' as you put it in one of your novels."

"That was written long before I knew you."

"Still, it was a useful hint."

"To those who feared the criticism."

"I feared criticism very much—then."

"You are unforgiving," he said bitterly, with a slight flush on his dark face.

"Oh, no! I've long ceased to care. Besides, the critics haven't been so bad lately. You see, I haven't written anything pretentious enough for notice by you."

"Probably he would now admit that he was mistaken. Time may have taught him that your idea of a woman was truer than he supposed. Time," he sighed, "destroys a good many of our illusions."

"Great critics should be free from illusions."

"My illusion of woman's goodness is not quite gone, nevertheless. I remember my mother sometimes, as well as——" He paused awkwardly.

"Other women?"

"Another woman. Une belle dame sans merci," he corrected, looking hungrily at her.

"I suppose you mean a woman whom you treated badly, and from whom you deserved no mercy?" said she, leaning her elbow on the couch and putting her cheek on her thin hand. There was just the faintest pink flush upon her cheek, and her eyes looked fathomless.

"My God, how pretty she is!" the man groaned to himself.

"I said from the first that you had ability—even in the criticism which you—which hurts you" (she dug her nails passionately into her little white palms,) "and for which you have taken the fullest revenge in your power."

"I don't suppose it hurts you much?" she inquired, with a strange wistfulness.

"O, no, not much,' said he. "Not enough to spoil my art, such as it is. My latest lady-in-a-book has caught a touch of you. But even she comes all right in the third volume—at least, what would be the third volume, if they weren't all in one now."

"Yes," said she, thoughtfully. "I understood when I read it. She was a much better woman than I."

"I gathered that you hadn't read the book?"

"Oh, that was my—nastiness. Of course I've read it. Every one has read it. Besides, it is part of my business now to read the books of you great people."

"What! You a critic! What for?"

"The Daily Thunderbolt."

He looked at her in mute astonishment. For The Thunderbolt had called his book the greatest work of the greatest writer of the age—which he knew wasn't true.

"You wrote that critique?" said he slowly. "I ought to thank you, I suppose. But I confess I do not understand you."

"No," she answered sadly, "you do not understand me. You never will understand me. I cannot understand myself sometimes.. I am full of wretched nerves, the doctors say."

"Did you read 'A Woman's Mercy,' in The New Magazine?" she asked suddenly.

"No. I'm afraid I didn't. But I will."

"It isn't worth your notice."

"I will be the judge of that. What is it about?"

"Oh!—a man and a woman—the usual thing."

"What man and woman?"

"A critic and a writer." He became alert with interest.

"Tell me about it."

"I—I don't think I can remember." Her face was very pink now.

"I should so much like you to," he pleaded.

"Well, She was a would-be writer, a poor, sensitive, neurotic creature, like me—only not so nasty"—she paused for contradiction, but he was silent.

"She wrote a book once," she continued, "when she was young and fanciful. There was a woman in it—a bitter, hard, cruel woman—borrowed from some yellow-backed novel—not her own creature, really—not even her nasty self——" She paused again and looked anxiously, appealingly at him.

"Not her true self—her better self," he suggested, gently.

"Not according to my tale. Well, the book went off fairly well for a first venture; but a great critic lashed the heroine mercilessly."

"You own the heroine was bad?" The inquiry seemed forced from him, it was so sudden and vehement.

"Yes—Oh, yes! But the criticism hurt her—the girl who wrote it—the neurotic, passionate girl—terribly. She worried all day over it; she lay awake at night and cried over it; she—she—" Her voice broke, and she brushed away a tear, with an angry little sob.

"And so she hated the critic?"

"She hated the critic; or she thought she did."

There was a long silence.

"Did she take her revenge upon him—in your tale?" His tone was chilly with assumed indifference.

"She meant to, but——"

"Tell me."

"When she met him she didn't know that he was the critic."

"And he fell in love with her?"

"He said so."

"Did she like him—Agnes?" His face was still cold, but his voice was almost fierce in its eagerness.

"In the story she did."

"But when he told her that he was the critic?"

"I didn't say that he told her."

"But he did, didn't he?"

"Yes—in the story."

"So she hated him?"

"Y—es—not exactly—I don't know." Her hands kept opening and closing aimlessly.

"Anyhow, she resolved upon revenge?"

"Yes, a sort of revenge."

"A sort of revenge?" She shrunk and quivered at the scorn in his voice.

"You should read the story," she pleaded.

"My God!" he cried, "do I not know it?"

"No," she answered firmly, "you do not know it."

"Then I should like to hear." But she knew that he had hardened his heart.

"Well, she resolved to let him go on liking her——"

"A sort of revenge!"

"She made herself as attractive as she could. She wasn't very pretty, you know; merely a 'small, pale, big-eyed'—"

"For God's sake!" he cried, fiercely and hoarsely.

"Well, somehow she made him like her, and she—"

"Hated him all the time?"

"No—o—not altogether—in the tale."

"Then he proposed to her?"

"Yes; he proposed to her."

"Lamely enough—but earnestly." There was the rage of a caged animal underneath his quiet voice.

"Oh, no! Not lamely at all; honestly and manfully, and lovingly. He was a splendid character—in the tale." It was strange that he could not read the hero-worship in her tone.

"But she thought he wasn't?"

"No. She thought he was. She knew he was." She tied her handkerchief tremblingly in knots.

"Agnes, you are trying to play with me. I do not understand."

"No," she said passionately, looking up at him with white, drawn face and quivering lips, and eyes full of pain: "you do not understand. He did not understand."

"Did she not refuse him? Did she not tell him that the criticism had nearly broken her heart? Did she not tell him that she had resolved to take the bitterest revenge that a woman could take? Did she not tell him that she had studied his books to find the ways that attracted him most, to make him care for her? Did she not tell him that she had meant him to propose that she might refuse him? Did she not say that she wanted him to care for her all the rest of his life?" He stood up and towered over her like an accusing angel.

"Yes," she said with a sob. "But——"

"But! There is no 'but' to excuse such conduct as that!"

"Ah, but she had a lot more to say if he would have heard her. But he cursed her and went away—in the tale!"

"Agnes!" She sobbed uncontrolledly behind her handkerchief. "Agnes, for mercy's sake tell me what would she have told him if he had not gone." She looked up with a tear-stained face.

"She would have told him," she said, steadying her voice bravely and laying her finger-tips upon his arm, "that he had conquered her passion and her wickedness; that she had found out how great and strong and kind he was——"

"Agnes, little Agnes! Would she have told him that she loved him?"

"I—I don't know. The—the tale stops."

"But our tale, dear?" There was something in his voice that was past describing.

Then she looked up at him, with eyes brimming over, and whispered a word so brokenly that he could scarcely hear. But he took her in his arms and held her as close as could be, and she tried to nestle closer.

"O, Aggie, Aggie," he cried; "I ought to have known—a woman's mercy."

She lifted a flushed, happy face and threw a pair of slim, willful arms round his neck. "Yo," she whispered, "my dear, dear boy. A woman's love!"—J. A. Flynn in Black and White.

His Opinion Didn't Fit All Cases.

Hicks—I am opposed to the whole business of tipping. It amounts to nothing less than bribery, and it is a degradation to the man who offers the tip and to the man who accepts it. On principle, I never give anything to a waiter.

Wicks—Well, I suppose you are right enough; but everybody hasn't your strength of mind, you know. By the way, that's a fine cigar you are smoking. Where did you get it?

Hicks—Oh, this is one that Stillson gave me. When I buy a bottle of liquor there he always hands me a cigar.—Boston Transcript.

Servant—Lady at the door, mum. She didn't have no card.

Mistress—What does she look like?

Servant—Red hair, cat eyes, thin lips, ugly chin, an' hooked nose. She looks as if she'd bite a body's head off.

Mistress—Tell her I'll be down in a moment. She's probably collecting money for some charity.—New York Weekly.

TRAGEDY OR COMEDY

I knew George Arbuthnot pretty well for two years—ever since he had been married, in fact and considered him a rising fellow in the literary world. He had not done anything very great, but his work was distinctly promising, and his name was gradually making itself known. Unluckily, he had married the wrong woman.

But my friend was not like some men—he did not whine and cry, he made the best of it. He did not go out and search for a "twin soul" to whom he might confide his marital sufferings though, Phoebus knows, he had enough to put up with. It was not bad temper. It was jealousy—bitter, mean, incessant jealousy—that grudged him even his literary fame. Agatha Arbuthnot was one of those little, pale, blue-eyed women, with a spiteful tongue and a narrow heart, who have ruined the career of many a sensitive man. She hated to hear her husband's praises sounded in her ears.

One afternoon Agatha was slanging Arbuthnot because some women who had happened to call the day before had gushed, and told her how fortunate she was to be the wife of such a rising genius. Her face was crimson with anger, and her voice very shrill as she mimicked her callers.

"Dear Mrs. Arbuthnot! How proud you must be of your clever husband! He's quite a genius. How I envy you living with the man who can write such exquisite stories!"

"Clever! Exquisite! A genius! I never saw any genius in your silly tales. Beastly rot, I call them. I wish to goodness I'd married Henry Jenkins instead of you. At any rate, people wouldn't have praised him up just in order to run me down. I know what they mean. Of course I'm stupid and brainless and silly—not good enough for you to wipe your boots on—"

And then Arbuthnot did the most sensible thing possible. He walked out of the dining room, and locked himself up in his study.

George's den wasn't much of a "study," merely a smoke-begrimed den, furnished with a second-hand bureau, two orthree chairs, and some shelves of books. Agatha called it "George's sulking room," but I knew it was the only haven of refuge Arbuthnot could find in his own house.

"A man must dree his own weird," Arbuthnot said, as he sat down wearily at the bureau and looked at the sheets of paper that littered over his desk. "I'm not the only fool who's found marriage a failure; and after all, I've got a brain as well as a heart. I'll give myself up to work, and waste no time in morbid self-pity. That's a form of cowardice that leads to the cutting of one's throat; and if I've exhausted the possibilities of marriage, I'll be hanged if I've exhausted the possibilities of life."

He smiled grimly, and taking from one of the pigeon holes a notebook, laid it on his desk and began to read its contents.

From that day Arbuthnot progressed swiftly through the book that was to make his name. This was to be his masterpiece, wherein he would show his best of brain and heart; and, as the weeks rolled on and the novel neared its end, Arbuthnot realized his work was good, and in that knowledge could afford to live, and did live, without love and sympathy.

In truth, he needed every support that work and philosophy could give a man. Agatha's conduct grew daily more shrewish and violent, and her tongue less fastidious in its choice of words.

"So you've taken to locking yourself up in your sulking room," she cried one day, when Arbuthnot had perforce been compelled to answer her heavy banging on his study door. "It's a nice thing when a husband comes to lock himself up from his wife! I suppose my society's not good enough for such a clever man as you."

Arbuthnot saw that she was in one of her paroxysms of rage, and resolved to control his own feelings.

"I wanted to finish some work," he said calmly, looking at the floor littered with loose sheets of paper. "And this room is hardly fit for a lady's society. You see, I have scarcely a chair that is unoccupied with books."

"Yes, it's a horrid hole," assented Agatha, curtly; "but you men who write are more like pigs than human beings. Just look at the dust on that desk; it's shameful. And Sarah says you won't let her touch your papers. I'm ashamed to have such a dirty room in my house; I'll come and dust it myself to-morrow."

At these words Arbuthnot lost his philosophical self-control.

"I must ask you not to touch the papers on my desk," he said, hastily. "I allow Sarah to brush and dust everything in the room but my desk, and that I attend to myself."

"Of course you fly at my throat when I offer to do anything for you," said Agatha, angrily, letting her hand fall on the desk and crumpling several of the loose sheets together. "I can't speak to you but what I do wrong. That comes of marrying a genius! You're enough to make any woman want to drown herself."

"I beg your pardon if I spoke hastily," said Arbuthnot, ruefully contemplating the sheets of paper which Agatha was fast crumpling into balls; "but I've nearly finished my book, and these sheets of paper are rather valuable."

Agatha threw the balls onto the table.

"And this book is to make you famous?" she asked, with bitter contempt. "I suppose, when it's published, every one will come in and envy me because I am the wife of the genius, George Arbuthnot."

Her scornful emphasis only brought a smile to Arbuthnot's face.

"I don't know about that," he said, good temperedly, "but it's the best work I've done yet. And if it's successful, Agatha, I shall be able to buy you that diamond bangle you coveted the other day."

But even the reference to the diamond bangle failed to move Agatha.

"How long will it take you to finish it?" she asked, slowly, looking down at the untidy desk.

"I hope to finish it by next week," said Arbuthnot, triumphantly. "I've allowed Lorrimer, The Weekly Review man, to see some parts of it, and he's expressed a very favorable opinion and think's it's bound to be a success."

Agatha's eyes narrowed at the corners.

"Lorrimer's a fool," she said, angrily.

It was one cold afternoon, ten days later, that Arbuthnot stood on his doorstep in the act of inserting his latchkey, smiling at some pleasing reminiscences of his recent talk with his publisher.

Suddenly a wild, terrified cry broke from the house, followed by scream after scream, reiterated with such intensity of anguish that Arbuthnot himself caught the infection of terror, and fumbled with trembling hands at the latchkey.

At last he managed to open the door and run into the hall. A fearful sight met his eye. From his study door flew something—an object enveloped in writhing flames, and from it there came piercing, agonizing shrieks As the draught from the open door blew fiercely down the corridor the flames leaped higher and higher round their living prey, until Arbuthnot sickened gaze saw nothing but a brilliant ball of fire.

God! It was Agatha! Mad with torture, the flaming figure dashed toward him and threw out its arms in agony. Arbuthnot caught it in a tight embrace, and with all his strength hurled himself and the shrieking figure onto the carpeted floor and rolled over and over until at last the flames were beaten out and he knew the fire was conquered.

Three hours later the doctor came softly down stairs. He had used all his skill to bring life back to the disfigured body that now lay motionless on the bed. It was all in vain. Agatha's injuries were beyond all help, and she had lived only three hours after Arbuthnot had carried her upstairs.

Her husband had never left her side, and, though badly burned about the hands and face, had scarcely realized his own injuries. As he looked at that cruelly disfigured face, now swathed and hidden in bandages, a rush of tears blinded his eyes, and he knew that all past differences were swept away, and that Agatha would live henceforth in his memory only as the woman he had once loved with all his heart. Before life flickered out in that suffering body, Agatha opened her eyes once and met her husband's gaze fixed with intense pity and love upon her face. To Arbuthnot it seemed that she pleaded dumbly for forgiveness, but even as he looked the lids closed again, and in a few moments Agatha's spirit had slipped into the great silence.

When all was over, Arbuthnot stooped and kissed the cold, pale lips.

Later in the evening he went down stairs to his study. As he entered the room a shudder ran through his body; he remembered the figure of flame that had leaped into his arms but a few hours ago, and his heart was torn at the thought of Agatha's sufferings.

As yet it was a mystery how she had caught fire. Presumably she had been warming herself in his study, and her thin grenadine dinner dress had swept too near the flames. A few dull red embers still glowed in the grate. Arbuthnot lit the lamp and sat down mechanically to his desk.

"Thank God for work!" he said, with a deep sigh. "At least I can forget for a time—"

He opened the deep drawer wherein his pile of manuscript had lain ready for the printer's hand. One or two omissions could easily be rectified now, and the work would soothe his weary heart and brain. But—the drawer stood empty. Hastily he pulled out its counterpart. No; that, too, held nothing. With feverish hands he rumaged each pigeon hole, turned everything out of his bureau, sought on the chairs, the tables. The manuscript had disappeared!

A fearful thought darted into his brain. He ran to the fireplace—his eyes fell on some charred ashes in the fender.—Black and White.

An Honest King.

Whoever reads the following must own to a feeling of respect for the honest King. King Frederick VI. of Denmark, while traveling through Jutland, one day entered a village school and found the children lively and intelligent and quite ready to answer his questions.

"Well, youngsters," he said, "what are the names of the greatest kings of Denmark?"

With one accord they cried out, "Canute the Great, Waldemar and Christian IV."

Just then a little girl, to whom the schoolmaster had whispered something, stood up and raised her hand.

"Do you know another?" asked the king.

"Yes, Frederick VI."

"What great act did he perform?"

The girl hung her head and stammered out, "I don't know."

"Be comforted, my child," said the king, "I don't know, either."—Tit-Bits.

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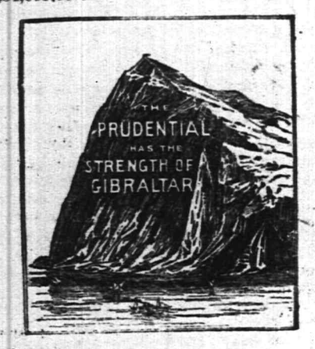

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SPORTING.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

The Alts team will meet the Scotch Plains eleven at some future date. The game was to be played next Saturday but so many of the Alts boys are going to witness the Yale-Princeton game that the game has been postponed until November 19th.

The Knickerbocker Athletic Club has challenged the Plainfield eleven to a game on Thanksgiving day. If the showing today is a good one, it is probable that the challenge will be accepted. Plainfield is quite honored in having New York's leading athletic club anxious to meet the local players.

The team that will represent Plainfield on the gridiron this afternoon in the game with the San Remo's will be the strongest that ever lined up on a local field. The San Remo's are a strong team, but they will have to play well before they defeat the team that Plainfield will put against them.

The Alts team was somewhat crippled in its game with the Westfield team, and had to put three of the second team on the line owing to the absence of the regular players. The new men did great work, however, and Overton, at end, particularly distinguished himself by his brilliant work.

This afternoon will see an exciting football game at the Martine Field between the Plainfield eleven and the San Remo team of the New York Athletic Club. The game is called for 3 o'clock. The admittance will be 15 cents for ladies and 25 cents for men. A grandstand, capable of accommodating several hundred, will be erected for the game and a small admission fee will be charged for it.

WHIST

The "Big Four" whist team of the Park Club played the celebrated Rosseville whist club team last evening and were beaten by five tricks.

THE COURTS

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of Huydam against Cuff, landlord and tenant, returnable November 14th. In the case of Corle against Ayres, on contract, returnable November 15th.

Third New Jersey Going South.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Pompton Lakes, November 8.—Orders have been received here for the Third Regiment, New Jersey Volunteers, to move to Georgia Thursday morning. Agents of the Pennsylvania Railroad were here recently arranging for the transportation of the troops, who will be sent South in Pullman sleepers. Ex Police Lieutenant John Smith, of Camden, is here gathering votes of a large number of Democratic volunteers for Crane and the whole ticket.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Prosecutor English, of Elizabeth, was in town yesterday.

No change is noted in the condition of J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street.

The engagement of Miss Mifford, of Lee place, and Henry VanNest, of Newark, is announced.

Katie Sutterlein, aged 16 months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutterlein, of Stone street, died yesterday afternoon of diphtheria. The funeral will be held today and will be private. Mrs. Sutterlein is also critically ill with the same disease.

MRS. COCK'S FUNERAL.

One of the Most Beautiful Ever Held in the Episcopal Church.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. M. Margaretta Cock were held yesterday afternoon in Grace Episcopal church. The service was one of the most beautiful ever held in Plainfield.

The casket was surrounded with beautiful floral pieces. A magnificent wreath of ivy from the members of the choir and a cross of white roses from the members of the family occupied a place on the casket.

The full Episcopal burial service was used and the full choir participated. The musical part of the service was in charge of Mrs. Freeman, the organist, and was particularly well rendered. The opening sentence was read by Rev. E. M. Rodman, and between each sentence the choir sang a verse of the hymn, "Jesus Lives," a part of the service was performed before in Grace church.

The chant, "Lord Let Me Know Mine End," was sung, then Rev. Floyd Appleton read the lesson. Another anthem, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," was sung by the choir, the solo part being taken by Arthur Freeman very feelingly and effectively. The anthem, "I Heard a Voice From Heaven," followed the prayers, and as the funeral party passed out the choir burst forth in that victorious hymn by Henry Alford, "Ten Thousand Times Ten Thousand."

The honorary pall bearers were Mahlon Vail, John B. Dumont, Samuel Huntington, Francis Wood, Charles P. Bull and Dexter O. Tiffany. The committal service at Hillside was read by Rev. Mr. Rodman. Members of Mrs. Cock's family from Philadelphia and of Mr. Cock's family from New York and Long Island were among those present.

DRAGGED IN A PERILOUS POSITION.

Exciting Runaway on North Avenue This Morning.

Patrick Traynor, of Union avenue, had a miraculous escape from either death or serious injuries at 11 o'clock this morning on North avenue.

Mr. Traynor drove a spirited horse, attached to a light road wagon. He stopped in front of Warnock's bakery and when he came out and started to get into the buggy the horse became restless and started to go. Mr. Traynor yelled "whoa" and this apparently frightened the horse. The animal gave a sudden plunge and Mr. Traynor was thrown directly under the buggy, where he was held fast in some manner.

The horse started down towards Park avenue at a terrific gait. People who were on the street held their breath for fear of seeing Traynor's life ended then and there. The runaway rig struck another buggy almost in front of The Press office, and then the fractious horse turned suddenly and came up plumb against the post on the corner of Park and North avenues.

Traynor was in a position so that one of the wheels of the vehicles rested on his back. A. H. Atterbury happened to be near and, together with a number of men, he ran to Traynor's assistance.

The horse was captured and Traynor was rescued from his perilous position, apparantly none the worse for the experience.

The buggy was somewhat damaged.

BAPTIST DEACON DEAD.

Charles A. Haynes Passed Away This Morning.

Charles A. Haynes, of First place, died this morning after a long illness. Mr. Haynes was taken ill last March, and was unable to go to business since then. Death came at 7:30 o'clock.

The deceased was a deacon in the Park Avenue Baptist church of which he was a member and a staunch supporter. He was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and two children, Edward Fenton and Alice M. Haynes. He was in the fruit business in New York. Arrangements for the funeral will be made later.

The Election in the Borough.

The voting in North Plainfield was light during the morning. In the First district 223 votes were cast up to 11 o'clock, and 173 votes in the Second district. There are plenty of Republican and Democratic workers out, and every effort is being made to poll a large vote.

Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Ella W. Gardner, of Arlington avenue, to Arthur Heath, of Central avenue, is announced.

IN A BURGLAR'S GRASP.

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a noise down stairs. Slipping on his trousers, he crept downstairs to find one of the front windows open and a man about to climb in. Mair called to him to desist. The man slowly retired cursing at Mair. The man had a revolver in one hand and some heavy weapon in the other.

The window was found broken where the would-be burglar found a way to slip the catch to the window.

Mr. Mair came to the city jail this morning and promptly identified the prisoner as a colored man who had been employed by Jeter to husk corn. The colored man, he said, had been to his house several times for a drink of water. The man he saw in the night had the same appearance as the prisoner, was of his height and had the same sloughing gait.

W. C. T. U. BAZAAR.

Those in Charge of Tables—For Benefit of Union.

A bazaar was opened in the W. C. T. U. rooms last evening, and will be continued this afternoon and evening, and tomorrow afternoon and evening. It is given for the benefit of the Union. The rooms are prettily decorated with red, white and blue. The attendance last evening was gratifying. Mrs. Cahoone is chairman of the affair, and the following are assisting at the various tables:

Fancy table—Miss Anna Boice, Mrs. Rockwell, Mrs. Babcock, Mrs. Parse, Miss Cahoone; candy—Mrs. Williams, Miss Nora Rockwell, Miss Sanford, Miss Ross, Miss Lou Patten, Miss Yerkes, Miss Williams, Miss Woodward, Miss Anna Cahoone, Miss Lucille Rockwell; toys and dolls—Miss Cahoone, Miss Williams, Miss Florence Cahoone, Mrs. Powell, Miss Miller, Miss Burnett, Miss Margaret Burnett; useful—Mrs. J. H. French, Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, Mrs. Whitney, Miss Whitney, Miss French, Miss Overton, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Parse, Mrs. Harold Serrell, Mrs. DeForest; bags and aprons—Mrs. Honeyman, Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Ramsey Blair, Mrs. Currie, Mrs. Alex. Thorn and Miss Thorn; grabs—Miss Woodward, Miss Anna Cahoone, Miss E. Moors. Mrs. I Moore; waitresses—Misses Burnett, Margaret Burnett, Elizabeth Cahoone, Florence Cahoone, I. Moore, E. Moore, Florence Serrell, Elsie Jobs, E. Williams, Clara Long. Mrs. S. R. Krom is the efficient cashier.

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The true newspaper is the one which prints all the important news of the world, avoiding that sensationalism which offends all sense of decency and good morals, and whose editorial utterances are honest, fearless, able, and dedicated to the best interests of humanity and a higher civilization. Happily, there are some newspapers left which have not fallen a prey to the recent craze of "yellow journalism." Among them, the New York Evening Post is a shining example of all that a modern, high-class newspaper should be.

A Bad Mixup.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 8.—A couple of carriages collided at Westfield in the dark last night. While they were standing in the road and the drivers were trying to ascertain the damage done, Harry Eisenmand, of Dunellen, on a bicycle, ran into them. Eisenmann was thrown from his wheel into the gutter and stunned by the fall. When he recovered it was found that his right collar bone had been broken. His arm was put in a sling and he went home by train, declining surgical attendance.

Mrs. William Denton, of Westfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. Theodore Knight, of West Fourth street.

ELEPHANT GREAT IN CRIME.

The Intelligence Displayed in Their Hatred.

Few more impressive confidences can be imparted than one in which a Hindoo describes how he knows his elephant intends to destroy him. It is all so seemingly trivial, and yet in reality of such deadly significance. His story is so full of details that prove the man's profound understanding of what he is talking about that one remains equally amazed at the brute's power to dissemble and its intended victim's insight into the would-be murderer's character. And yet, from the psychological standpoint, the elephant never gives any such other indication of mental power as is exhibited in its revenge. That patient, watchful, implacable hatred, often provoked simply because a man is in attendance upon another animal (for it is the rule with tuskers to detest their next neighbors), speaks more conclusively of a high intellectual guide than all stories, true or false, concentration and fixedness of purpose, that have been told of their ability. Such concentration and fixedness of purpose, such careful, unrelaxed vigilance, such perfect and consistent pretence, and, when the time comes, such desperate, unhesitating energy, as homicidal animals exhibit, are impossible without a very considerable, although, in this instance, very irregular development.

No one can deny that if this creature is great at all, its greatness shows itself in its crimes. These have caused it to be worshipped in the East, where men venerate nothing but merciless, irresponsible force, and where an exhibition of those qualities and traits described fully accounts for the formula, "My lord the elephant."—Outing.

That Was the Question.

Sandy Mc——, a Forfarshire farmer, had been spending an hour or two in the evening with a friend a couple of miles away. It was a moonlight night, and Sandy, after partaking freely of his friend's hospitality, was riding quietly home across the sheep pastures on his "guid auld mare," when they came to an open ditch, which his mare refused to cross.

"Hoot awa', Maggie," said the rider "this winna dae. Ye maun jist gang ower."

He turned back about a hundred yards, wheeled round and gave the mare a touch of the whip. On she went at a brisk canter, but just as they reached the edge of the ditch she stopped dead, and shot Sandy clean over to the other side.

Gathering himself up, Sandy looked his mare straight in the face, and said:

"Vera weel pitched, indeed, ma lass, but hoo are ye goin' to get ower yersel', eh?"

The Troops.

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—The transport steamer City of Puebla has sailed for Manila with the remaining Tennessee battalion, the last of the California Heavy Artillery, the Nevada troops of cavalry and a small detachment of recruits for the Twenty-third infantry. One woman, the wife of Assistant Surgeon G. W. Daywalt, was given permission to sail on the vessel.

A British Bark Abandoned.

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 8.—The British bark Strathgryfe, Captain McIntyre, from New York July 21 for this port, has arrived and reports that the British bark Glenhuntly, Captain R. Shaw, which sailed from New York on March 31 for Freemantle, was abandoned at sea on June 6, and the crew are on the island of Tristan, one of a group of mountainous islets in the South Atlantic.

Greek Cabinet Out.

Athens, Nov. 8.—The cabinet has resigned, its members considering that the exceptional circumstances under which they assumed office have ceased to exist.

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STORY OF AN INVENTOR.

How His Persistence Secured Him a Position.

The late G. W. U. Yost, inventor of the typewriter, used to tell his friends that his business success was due to his always bearing down hard on one point until he made it felt, illustrating the remark by gradually increasing the pressure of one thumb on any available and tender portion of his friend's thigh until the friend acknowledged the force and application of the point.

When a young man, on his way to Washington, Mr. Yost arrived in Chicago with no friends to carry him further. Accordingly he set out in quest of work, and calling first at a large iron foundry, asked to be directed to the foreman. When the foreman had been pointed out, the young man approached him and said,—

"Sir, I have come to work for you and want you to tell me what I am to do first."

"We've all the hands we need," said the foreman, gruffly, turning away.

"But you don't quite understand me," exclaimed the young inventor. "I said that I have come to work for you. Now, I want you to tell me what I am to do first."

The foreman turned with a surprised expression. "See here, young man," he said, sharply, "I tell you we have all the hands we need. Now go along."

"Why, my dear sir," said Mr. Yost with the blandest smile and greatest geniality of voice, "that isn't at all the question we are to discuss. What I said is that I have come to work for you. Now, I want you to tell me what to do first."

The young man's manner was so engaging that the foreman could not feel offended, and, after a moment, pointing to three Irishmen piling pig iron he said, ironically,—

"Do what those three men are doing."

Nothing daunted, the young man obeyed his instructions literally, and in an hour piled as much pig iron as did the three other men.

"Now boss those men and make them work like that," observed the foreman.

Mr. Yost was rapidly promoted, and soon earned enough to enable him to complete his journey.

"But I had a harder time to get that foreman to let me go," he said, in telling the story, "than I had in getting him to tell me what to do first."

"Small Cap" Shafter.

"'Pecos Bill' is not the only nickname that General Shafter ever enjoyed," said an old newspaper man the other day. "Out in Denver he was known for years as 'Small Cap Shafter,' and as he is anything but small the title calls for an explanation. It seems that a banquet of some sort had been given to a lot of army officers, and among the guests was General, then Colonel, Shafter. The old 'Denver Tribune' printed an account of the affair and a list of those present was included in the article. When the proofs were examined before the paper was made up, it was observed that Shafter's initials were in lower case type and the proofreader promptly marked them 'small cap,' meaning that they should be reset in capitals of a small size. The intelligent compositor supposed that the inscription indicated some military title with which he was unfamiliar, and instead of making the proof correction substituted 'Small Cap.' Shafter, and thus it appeared on the following morning. 'Pecos Bill' was mad enough to bite nails when he saw the paper, but everybody else roared and the title stuck to him until the yarn was gradually forgotten. It is still remembered, however, by plenty of old timers."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Wasp and Bee Stings.

It is claimed that cocaine is a remedy for wasp or bee stings. It acts not only as a temporary local anaesthetic, but apparently has the power of destroying the poison of the sting. A gentleman relates that he happened to have some sixteenth-grain cocaine tabloids for hypodermic injection when a lady was badly stung by a wasp. Such stings ordinarily had a great effect on her, not only producing a very large and painful swelling, but making her feel more or less unwell for two or three days. One tabloid, dissolved in a few drops of water, and applied with the finger at once, almost removed the pain; a second, applied an hour or two afterward completed the cure. In other cases the remedy was equally effective, and it is proved advisable to keep a small bottle of strong solution of cocaine ready for use. It should, of course, be applied as soon as possible, but it is known to have given relief if applied even up to seven or eight hours after the sting.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

Filial Affection.

The following anecdote is given by an Indian officer as illustrative of the manners and customs of the wily Pathan. A certain General and his staff while wending their way through one of the narrowest valleys of Tirah, were annoyed by the attentions of a solitary marksman, who from time to time sent a bullet unpleasantly close. At last the General turned to his orderly—a Pathan sowar—and told him to dismount, take his carbine, and try and stalk the mountaineer. The sowar started off, and presently there was a crack, and a gray-bearded old Afridi tumbled headlong down the mountain side. The sowar returned and fell into his place. "Well done," said the General. "But how on earth did you manage it so easily?" "Oh," replied the sowar, "I knew his habits. He was my father."—London Truth.

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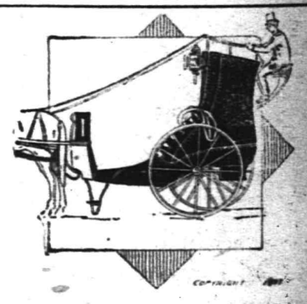

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Election Extra.

BIG REPUBLICAN SWEEP.

PLAINFIELD ROLLS UP ONE THOUSAND PLURALITY FOR THE G. O. P.

In Plainfield Roger Murray Leads the Ticket By 1,009, With Cross, Fowler and Voorhees Next in Order—Results Throughout Somerset and Union Counties.

The Republicans of Plainfield surprised both city and county leaders of the G. O. P. as well as their opponents, by giving the Republican ticket a plurality of almost a thousand votes. Although the campaign that preceeded the election was a quiet one, the vote was surprisingly heavy. The Republican leaders expected and counted on a plurality of from 700 to 800 for their candidates, but their expectations were exceeded by 200. The Democratic organization was in better working order than it has been for several years and the Democratic ticket polled 213 more votes in the city than at the county election last year.

The day was a pleasant one. A large majority of the voters enjoyed a holiday and dropped in at the polling places all day. Both parties made a strong effort to get their vote out early but the Democratic workers claim that they were unable to get the full vote out.

On account of the unsuccessful candidacy of E. R. Ackerman for the State senatorial nomination on the Republican ticket, it was expected that his successful rival, Judge Cross, would be cut, particularly in the Third Ward. He was, however, as stoutly supported here as any other place in the county. It was expected that Assemblyman Roger F. Murray would run ahead of his ticket, and he did, in the First and Third wards more noticeably.

The fact that Elvin W. Crane was candidate for Governor on two tickets, the Regular Democratic and the County Democracy tickets, resulted in a larger vote for him than any other Democratic candidate. On the County Democracy ticket he was the only candidate, and the voters who cast their ballot for him on this ticket voted for none of the other candidates. This probably lowered the county Democratic vote a small number, as there were 44 County Democracy ballots cast in the city.

Another result of the candidacy of Crane on two tickets was to slightly reduce Voorhees' plurality in comparison with the rest of the Republican candidates. According to the complete returns, Voorhees' plurality in Plainfield was 898. R. F. Murray received the greatest plurality in the city, 1009. Congressman Fowler received 995 plurality and Judge Cross, candidate for state senator 987 plurality. The total Republican vote in the city was 1798, and the regular Democratic 849.

The Republicans of the borough polled a plurality of about 250, a good Republican plurality but nothing phenominal. The Democrats of the borough made their fight on the Assembly candidate and E. E. Cooper, the Republican candidate, ran nearly 50 behind his ticket. Howell and VanDoren ran well with the ticket.

Dr. D. C. Adams, Democratic candidate for coroner and Henry DeMott, Republican candidate for the same office, were the only local candidates on both tickets. Dr. Adams left his ticket behind by 100 votes while DeMott ran considerably behind the Republican vote.

The vote in the city is as follows:

FOSTER M. VOORHEES.

STATE SENATOR.

	Jos. Cross, Rep.	G. A. Ford, Dem.	J. M. Brookfield, Pro.	R. S. Miller S, Labor.
1st ward, 1st dist	280	127	5	2
1st ward, 2d dist	83	62	3	
2d ward, 1st dist	333	124	9	3
2d ward, 2d dist	108	32	5	
3d ward, 1st dist	343	101	5	2
3d ward, 2d dist	85	32	3	2
4th ward, 1st dist	203	149	9	1
4th ward, 2d dist	199	129	6	8
4th ward, 3d dist	176	67	7	27
Majority	1,810	823	52	45

Cross' plurality—987.

MEMBERS OF ASSEMBLY.

	R. G. Houston, Rep.	G. A. Squire, Rep.	R. F. Murray, Rep.	D. F. Collins, Dem.	W. M. Scudder, Dem.	F. T. Higgins, Dem.
1st ward, 1st dist	281	285	283	127	127	126
1st ward, 2d dist	82	81	83	63	62	62
2d ward, 1st dist	332	328	339	123	122	119
2d ward, 2d dist	108	109	108	33	32	33
3d ward, 1st dist	343	341	349	99	102	93
3d ward, 2d dist	84	84	86	33	32	32
4th ward, 1st dist	201	203	208	149	152	143
4th ward, 2d dist	202	200	202	125	130	125
4th ward, 3d dist	174	174	177	68	67	69
	1807	1805	1835	820	826	802

Prohibition vote—52.
Socialist-Labor vote—45.
Murray's plurality—1,009.

CORONER.

	J. M. Randolph, Rep.	G. H Horning, Dem.	J. T. Syers, Pro.	B. Herstein, S. Labor.
1st ward, 1st dist	282	125	5	2
1st ward, 2d dist	84	61	3	
2d ward, 1st dist	333	122	9	3
2d ward, 2d dist	108	32	5	
3d ward, 1st dist	345	100	4	2
3d ward, 2d dist	85	32	3	2
4th ward, 1st dist	202	149	9	1
4th ward, 2d dist	201	127	6	8
4th ward, 3d dist	176	67	7	27
Majority	1,816	815	51	45

Randolph's plurality—1,001.

GOVERNOR.

	F. M. Voorhees, Rep.	E. W. Crane, Dem.	T. H. Landon, Pro.	M. Maguire, S. Labor	F. Schrayshuen, Peo.	E. W. Crane, City Dem.
1st ward, 1st dist	275	130	4	2		7
1st ward, 2d dist	82	63	3			3
2d ward, 1st dist	333	127	9	3	2	
2d ward, 2d dist	107	38	5			6
3d ward, 1st dist	343	100	4	2	1	4
3d ward, 2d dist	85	32	3	2	1	3
4th ward, 1st dist	200	158	9	1		
4th ward, 2d dist	198	129	6	8	1	11
4th ward, 3d dist	168	72	7	27	2	10
Total	1,791	849	50	45	7	44

Voorhee's plurality—898.

CONGRESSMAN.

	C. N. Fowler, Rep.	E. H. Snyder, Dem	J. C. Davis, Pro.	W. J. Campbell, Labor
1st ward, 1st district	279	129	4	2
1st ward, 2d district	86	58	3	
2d ward, 1st district	333	121	9	3
2d ward, 2d district	110	31	5	
3d ward, 1st district	346	97	4	1
3d ward, 2d district	86	31	3	2
4th ward, 1st district	206	145	9	1
4th ward, 2d district	198	130	6	8
4th ward, 3d district	166	63	7	27
	1810	815	50	44

Fowler's plurality—995.

UNION COUNTY.

The Republicans made substantial gains in all Union county as well as in Plainfield. The entire G. O. P. ticket was elected by pluralities averaging 700 and 800 more than at the election last year. Union county gave Voorhees 2,227 plurality as against 1514 for Griggs in 1895. Fowler received a plurality of 2,443. In 1896 he received a plurality of 5,412 in the county. Cross ran slightly behind his ticket with a plurality of 2,033. The pluralities of the Assemblymen averaged 2,200. Houston ran highest with 160 votes more than Squier, who was 90 votes ahead of Murray. The vote throughout the county was large.

ELIZABETH.

For Governor, Voorhees, Rep., 4050; Crane, Dem., 3850. For Congressman, Fowler, Rep., 4004; Snyder, Dem., 3761. For State Senator, Cross, Rep., 3817; Ford, Dem., 3969. For Assemblymen, Houston, Rep., 4097; Squier, Rep., 4046; Murray, Rep., 38 1; Collins, Dem., 3808; Scudder, Dem., 3788; Higgins, Dem., 3743. For Coroner, Randolph, Rep., 3931; Horning, Dem., 3850.

DUNELLEN.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, N. J., Nov. 9.—There was a good vote cast here yesterday. Out of a registry list of 328, 293 votes were polled. Crane ran ahead of his ticket and polled 154 votes to Voorhees' 128. The day passed quietly, and the greatest number of votes were cast in the morning. The vote for Governor is as follows: Crane, Dem., 154; Voorhees, Rep., 128; Landon, Pro., 10; Schrayshuen, Peoples, 1.

For member of Congress, Howell, Rep., 154; Convery, Dem., 124; Bird,

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THOUSANDS VIEWED ELECTION RETURNS.

Daily Press Bulletins Told Plainfield of the Election.

WAS MAGNIFICENT SERVICE.

COMPLETE REPORTS GIVEN FROM STATE, COUNTY AND CITY.

North and Park Avenues Blocked by Great Throng That Watched the Returns as They Were Flashed on the Screen—Much Enthusiasm Shown—How the Press Secured the News Quickly and Completely.

From all over the city they came to watch the Daily Press bulletin of election returns last evening. On a great sheet spread a ross the front of the Taylor building at the corner of North and Park avenue, the news of the election from all over the country was flashed by the light of the stereopticon. National, state, county and local returns were shown to the crowd that stretched far along North avenue from curb to curb and way out Park avenue. From eight o'clock, when the first returns were bulletined, until one o'clock this morning and the result was certain, two and three thousand people waited and watched and cheered.

It was the only place in the city where the people could learn anything of how the election was going and the enterprise of the Daily Press in providing such an opportunity was appreciated by all. Praise came from Republicans and Democrats alike for the Daily Press in thus keeping its patrons and friends in touch with the situation. The fairness with which both parties were treated was highly commended.

The notice that the returns would be shown during the evening attracted a large crowd long before eight o'clock. Then the returns came fast and the crowd cheered or groaned as the report happened to please them. Tin horns and a bugle added to the din of the voices. John Naegle was in charge of the stereopticon and handled it in excellent fashion. There wasn't a break to mar the evening and the returns were thrown on the screen with a promptness and rapidity that kept the people right up with the situation.

The Daily Press was particularly fortunate in the excelent service it was able to secure. The full service of the Postal Telegraph Company was received together with complete returns furnished by the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, which included New York and New Jersey in detail. The Standard News Association also gave New York and New Jersey returns. The returns in this State and Union county were early secured through the co-operation of the Newark Evening News and the Elizabeth Daily Journal. Somerset county was heard from through correspondents in Somerville.

In this city, a large corps of Daily Press reporters kept in touch with the vote all through the city and the crowd watching the bulleting was able to see just how the city vote was going and to learn the complete returns in each district as soon as the count was completed.

The result was uncertain until mid night. In New York, both sides claimed the victory, but the tidings in New Jersey began to favor Voorhees as early as 10:30 o'clock. Nothing was settled, however, until nearly midnight. Then the crowd went wild and howled and cheered itself hoarse.

Some of the more enthusiastic scurried around and secured materials for half-a-dozen great bon-fires that illuminated Park and North avenue until 2 o'clock this morning.

At 1 o'clock it was certain that both New York and New Jersey had gone Republican by varying majorities and the display of returns was ended. This morning everybody was loud in their commendation of the enterprise of The Daily Press in giving the returns so fully to the people.

—The monthly meeting of the A. O. H. will be held Thursday evening.

OPENING DAY OF GOLF FOR THE PARK CLUB.

One of the Most Conspicuous Society Events of the Season.

THE FIRST SCORES MADE.

SILVER PRIZES OFFERED FOR THE BEST PLAYING.

Pretty Clubhouse Decorated for the Occasion and Therein the Ladies Served Tea—Mrs. N. Pendleton Rogers Won the Lady's Prize and George Richards the Gentleman's—Description of Course.

The formal opening of the Park Golf Club and the course took place yesterday and was one of the most auspicious social events of the season. Throughout the entire day the course was filled with golf enthusiasts from the borough and city. There was fully 300 people present during the day, and all were impressed with the nicety of arrangement. The pretty clubhouse was decorated tastefully by the lady members of the club, and during the afternoon a tea was given by Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Mrs. F. G. Meade, Mrs. Pierre Malli, Mrs. Walter McGee, Mrs. H. D. Hibbard, Mrs. S. St. John McCutchen, Miss Edith Hyde, Miss Caroline Randolph, Miss Anna Murphy, Miss Mary Wells, Miss Shepard, Miss Margaret McCutchen. There was a large attendance at the tea, and including the guests were many members of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club, and many people prominent in social and business circles.

The club offered two prizes, a silver loving cup and a silver powder case, in competition for the lowest scores made by the ladies and gentlemen. There were not many excellent scores made on account of the fact that the grounds are new to most of the players. Mrs. N. Pendleton Rogers won the ladies' prize with a score of 134, and George Richards with a score of 103 won the prize for the gentlemen. During the day the following scores were made in addition to the two given above: Aubrey Crowe, 121; Herbert Crowe, 137; W. A. Townsend, 120; G. W. Faber, 123; Edward Overton, 135; Herbert Rogers, 138; L. W. Howard, 157; F. O. Ball, 154; Olaf Saugstad, 110; W. J. R. Thiers, 155; M. T. Townsend, 129; Arthur Peck, 129; J. L. Myers, 141; Arthur Murphy, 157; S. St. John McCutchen, 176; George T. Rogers, 133; S. Townsend, 142; J. H. Howell, 130; Frank Talmage, 109; Miss Watson, 196; Miss VanBoekerck, 135; C. S. Cook, 181; Clarence Murphy, 146; E. T. Douglass, 147; H. D. Hibbard, 124; W. H Anderson, 115. There were several other players but they did not turn in their scores. Charles Hyde made one round of the course, nine holes, and his score was 80. All of the other players went around the course twice. Mr. Bendalow, the golf expert, was present and he went over the course several times, with no particular effort to lower his score.

Directly in front of the clubhouse there is located a handsome flagpole

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SAN REMO TEAM WON BY ONE TOUCHDOWN.

Plainfield Football Eleven Defeated in First Game.

THE SCORE WAS 5 TO 0.

PLAINFIELD LACKED IN WEIGHT AND TEAM PLAY.

Visitors Had Number of Substitutes in Second Half—Only One Change on Local Team—Narrow Escape of Plainfield in First Half—There Was Very Little Kicking Done in Game.

It was a close game but the visitors proved too much for the local players and the San Remo team of the New York Athletic Club was victorious over the Plainfield team by a score of 5 to 0. Superior weight and better team playing were the advantages of the visitors. It was a plucky fight, however, by the local boys and they did good work considering their lack of practice.

The game was played on Martine field before a crowd numbering eight hundred people. There was a lack of organized rooting but considerable enthusiasm was shown.

Plainfield had the choice and took the western goal to defend and played with the wind. San Remo had the kick-off. Milne finally got possession and advanced the ball to the centre before he was downed. San Remo took possession of the ball on a fumble and advanced it steadily to within a foot of the Plainfield goal, there to loose it on downs.

Then the local boys made a great effort. The signal came for a fake kick but was misunderstood and bounced over the line where McGee picked it up and carried it back again before the San Remo backs could stop him. The Plainfield team then took a brace and carried the ball back to the middle of the field at the end of the first half.

In the second half, Plainfield was on the defensive most of the time. The only change in the team was the substitution of Phillips for Darling at quarter. Cuming played a great game throughout, getting in the fiercest of the tackling.

Gradually the San Remos hammered the Plainfield line and gained steadily until four minutes before the call of time. Zimm dove through left tackle for three yards and a touchdown. Huntington failed to kick the goal.

The game ended with the ball in Plainfield's territory where it had been most of the game. The Plainfield team was slack in its interference but the men held at it pluckily and refused to lose heart up to the very last.

The teams lined up as follows:

PLAINFIELD.		SAN REMO.
Carey	right end	McMillen, Hunt
Shildecker	right tackle	Zimm
Brown	right guard	Worcester
Cuming	centre	Morris
Milne	left guard	Arnold, Carr
Lewis	left tackle	Handley, Westery't
Hallock	left end	Fitzsimmonds, A. Gilham.
Darling, Phillips	quarterback	Wenck
Smith	right halfback	W. Gilham
Cathcart	left halfback	Huntington
McGee	fullback	Luters

Score, Plainfield, 0; San Remo, 5. Touchdown, Zimm. Referee, L. L. deCasanova, of New York. Umpire, Roger Erickson. Timers, J. A. O'Donnell, of New York; Henry Lovell, of Plainfield. Linesmen, A. Willis West and Marion S. Ackerman, of Plainfield; W. Carr, of New York.

COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN NEW JERSEY.

Foster M. Voorhees Elected Governor by Over Ten Tousand Plurality.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 9.—The Republicans made a clean sweep in this state yesterday, notwithstanding the expectation that the Democrats had the best of the argument.

Foser M. Voorhees, according to the returns, has carried the state by over 10,000. Seven out of the eight congressmen were elected by the Republicans, the exception being in Hudson county. The Republicans will have a majority on joint ballot of the assembly and senate, and the prospect is that John Kean, Jr., will be the next United States senator from New Jersey. There is but one other candidate for that position and that is John F. Dryden of Newark, president of the Prudential Life Insurance Company.

The Democrats put up a strong fight considering that the state went over 80,000 for McKinley. In 1895 John W. Griggs, now attorney general of the United States, was elected governor. The average Democratic plurality has been 8,000. It would seem as if the good old Democratic state had drifted into the Republican column.

James Smith, Jr., the present United States senator, will retire in January, having served one term in the United States senate.

Since Joel Parker was war governor from 1863 to 1866, the old Democratic state has had but one Republican governor before Mr. Griggs. That was Marcus L. Ward, who served from 1866 to 1869. With this exception the state has been Democratic by majorities in that period ranging from 651 in 1880 to 14,253 in 1889.

Of the eight congressmen elected only one is Democratic. The legislature will stand upon a party vote in the following ratio:

Senate, Republicans 14, Democrats 7; Republican majority 7. Assembly, Republicans 38, Democrats 22; Republican majority 16. Joint Republican majority in house and senate 23.

Quiet in North Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 9.—The election was quiet. The whites voted the Democratic ticket more solidly than ever before.

In the Fifth Ward of Wilmington, a negro stronghold, the utmost quiet prevailed, and not more than 15 per cent. of the negro vote was polled. The negroes voted without interference.

At Laurinburg, a negro stronghold and scene of a great "red-shirt" demonstration last week, there was no trouble. Few Republican votes were cast It looks like a Democratic landslide.

Wisconsin.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 9.—Chairman Treat, of the Republican State Central Committee, figures that Scofield will carry the State by 40,000 plurality. He also says the Legislature will be largely Republican, and at least eight of ten Congressmen will be returned from the Republican ranks. Chairman Peck, of the Democratic Committee, says not enough returns have been received to form any kind of an opinion.

North Dakota.

FARGO, N. D., Nov. 9.—The Republican State Committee claims that it has elected its State ticket by a plurality of not less than 4,000. The Fusionists, however, declare that Holmes for Governor and Fiske for Supreme Court have been elected. The Legislature is conceded to be Republican and will select a successor to United States Senator William N. Roach.

Illinois.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—Returns indicate a Republican victory in the State by greatly reduced figures.

The Democrats carried Chicago and made a gain of three Congressmen in the city.

The revolt against Gov. Tanner and his methods is largely responsible for the city and Congressional success of the Democrats.

In Florida.

JACKSONVILLE Fla. Nov. 9.—The

THE SIMPLEST CURE FOR INDIGESTION,

As Well as the Safest and Cheapest.

The new medical discovery, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, digest the food instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, give it a much needed rest, and a cure of dyspepsia is the natural result.

You get nourishment and rest at the same time because these Tablets will thoroughly digest all wholesome food taken into the stomach whether the stomach works or not. A cure is certain to result because the digestive organs are given a chance to rest and recover their natural vigor and tone. The Tablets are then no longer required.

To show the manner in which the remedy acts on different people and how quickly and effectually it cures stomach troubles we present a few recent cases.

Mr. J. O. Wondly, of Peoria, Ill, writes: I was unable to eat anything but the plainest food and even that often distressed me, but since using one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I can eat anything and everything I want.

Mrs. Samuel Kepple, of Girty, P., writes: I have been entirely relieved of my stomach troubles by your Tablets. I suffered three years with sour stomach and gas at night. I am thankful for them.

Mrs. A. E. Bowen, Barnard, Vt., writes: I think Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best thing for dyspepsia I ever took. I will recommend them to anyone troubled as bad as I was.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will not disappoint because they cure Dyspepsia surely and lastingly by causing the food to be properly assimilated, and cure constipation by producing the proper quantity of bile. Sold by all druggists at 50 cents per package. Send for free book on stomach diseases to Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

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day was bright and warm throughout the State. The only excitement was between the two warring Republican factions, the "Joe Lees" and "Anti-Joe Lees," where the fight was bitter.

The Democrats, however, elected the entire ticket.

Delaware Republican.

WILMINGTON, DEL., Nov. 9.—Late returns indicate that the Republicans have carried the State by 2,000 majority.

This means the election of a Republican Legislature, and the defeat of George Gray for the United States Senate.

California Republican.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 9.—Returns throughout the State are very meagre, but indicate the election of Gage, Republican, for Governor by a small plurality.

Phelan, Democrat, has been elected Mayor of San Francisco.

Silver Sweeps in Nebraska.

LINCOLN, Neb. Nov. 9.—The allied silver forces have carried everything they expected to carry, and while there have been no possible gains as far as can de difinitely learned, the indications are that any changes are in favor of the Fusion candidates.

Democratic Gain in Indiana.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 9.—Returns are very backward, but scattering reports indicate that the Democrats have carried the State by about 10,000. The Legislature is probably Democratic and eight, perhaps ten, Congressmen are elected on the ticket.

Colorado.

DENVER, Nov. 9—A snowstorm prevailed to-day throughout Colorado, and cut down the vote to a minimum.

C. S. Thomas (Dem.-Fus.) will have at least 35,000 plurality for Governor, and it may reach 50,000.

New Hampshire.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 9.—Republicans claim the election of Rollins, their candidate for Governor, by a plurality of 10,000.

The Legislature will be Republican in both branches.

Missouri Solidly Democratic.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 9.—The Democratic State Committee estimates the plurality for the entire State ticket at from 35,000 to 40,000. Returns received show that the result will not differ materially from this.

Fusion Ahead in Minnesota.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 9.—Returns from the State are exceedingly scattering, but indications all point to the election of John Lind, fusion candidate for Governor, over Eustis, Republican.

PHILIP ARMOUR'S FORESIGHT.

A Brilliant Scheme By Which He Was Enabled to Tide Over a Financial Crisis.

It was keen foresight that brought Philip Armour back from Europe in 1893, months before an impending panic was dreamed of by other merchants. It is told of him that he called all his head men to New York and announced to them:—

"Gentlemen, there's going to be financial trouble soon."

"Why, Mr. Armour," they said, "you must be mistaken. Things were never better. You are too apprehensive."

"Oh, no," he said, "I'm not. There is going to be trouble;" and he gave as his reasons certain conditions which existed in nearly all countries, which none of those present had thought of. "Now," said he to the first of his many lieutenants, "how much will you need to run your department until next year?"

The head man named his need. The others were asked, each in turn, the same question, and, when all were through, he counted up, and, turning to the company, said:—

"Gentlemen, go back and borrow all you need in Chicago, on my credit. Use my name for all it will bring in the way of loans."

The lieutenants returned, and the name of Armour was strained to its utmost limit. When all had been borrowed, the financial flurry suddenly loomed up, but it did not worry the great packer. In his vaults were $8,000,000 in gold. All who had loaned him at interest hurried to his doors, fearing that he also was imperilled. They found him supplied with ready money, and able to compel them to wait until the stipulated time of payment, or to force them to abandon their claims of interest for their money, and so tide him over the unhappy period. It was a master stroke, and made the name of the great packer a power in the world of finance.—Success.

ENGLAND AND AMERICA.

Points of Municipal Government Which We Would Do Well to Learn.

We Americans are a fairly capable and adaptable race, says a writer in Lippincott's. Some few things we can teach the world; nay, we have done it already. But some other things we are not so good at. England could give us points on municipal government; our cities are scarcely so well managed as Manchester and Birmingham. England prepares her diplomatists by natural selection and systematic training; we trust the fitness of ours to luck. She has standards of public character and conduct in office; it is questionable whether we have any. She cultivates and defers to expert opinions on finance, political economy, and the like; we hold "professors and theorists" in some contempt, and consider one man's notion as good as nother's. When new dangers and duties confront us, our happy-go-lucky temper recalls the man in Dickens who "supposed" he could play the fiddle; he had never tried.

Now, Britain can, as a rule, rely on the quality needed in any of her public servants. It is not that Englishmen are naturally better or brighter than Americans; they and we are built on the same foundations; but they are trained for their work—they have to be. It is not so long since appointments with them came by patronage and "pulls," much as with us now, but they found it expedient to substitute a merit system. The system has had a good deal to do with England's prosperity and progress, with her recent strides toward widened empire, with her present isolated greatness.

QUAY IS VICTORIOUS.

Two Opposing Candidates if United Might Have Beaten Stone by 40,000 Votes.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 9.—Pennsylvania has stood by Quay. William A. Stone is elected governor by 65,000 plurality.

The combined votes for Swallow and Jenks will exceed Stone's vote by 90,000.

Had the anti-Quay people of the state united the senator could have been buried.

There are in round numbers one million votes cast in Pennsylvania. The machine is good for 400,000 of these and the other 600,000 have only to be divided between two candidates to enable the boss to win.

The general assembly will be Republican and yet some good judges express the opinion that enough fusionists and anti-Quay members will be elected to leave Quay short of a majority on a joint ballot. But the caucus and Stone's state patronage will change the conditions as soon as the state senate and house get to work.

The five Republican congressmen from Philadelphia—Henry H. Bingham, Robert Adams, Jr., William McAleer, James Rankin Young and Alfred C. Harmer—are elected.

With the closing of the polls ended one of the most remarkable and most bitterly fought campaigns in the political history of Pennsylvania. The irregularities in the handling of state funds brought about a revolt in the Republican ranks. Senators Matthew S. Quay and Boise Penrose were selected as the principals for personal attack. The former was arrested in Philadelphia upon a charge of using state funds from the People's Bank, which failed about a year ago.

Ex-Postmaster General Wanamaker, backed by the Business Men's Republican League, headed the revolt and has fought the senior senator with unrelentless bitterness. Senator Quay's colleague, Senator Penrose, replied to John Wanamaker's charges of corruption by accusing the ex-postmaster general of having a guilty knowledge of the illegal use of the state and city moneys deposited in the Keystone Bank, which failed in 1891. Mr. Wanamaker's reply to the charges was given in the newspapers and showed that he was the loser of $128,000 through the failure of the bank, while his brother dropped nearly $50,000.

Perhaps no political fight was ever waged where personalities were brought forward to such an extent. Not only were public characters attacked, but the private lives of the leaders of the parties exposed to the gaze of a curious public. To defeat Quay's object of securing his own return to the senate, John Wanamaker has travelled thousands of miles, made nearly one hundred addresses and spent in the neighborhood of one hundred thousand dollars.

To add to Senator Quay's political discomfiture another Richmond entered the field, and Rev. Dr. Swallow, the Prohibition candidate, loomed up in the distance as a dangerous factor. He accused the Quayites of burning the capitol at Harrisburg for the purpose of destroying records.

During the early part of the campaign he gave indications of beating both Stone and Jenks, but his boom weakened and for the past three weeks he lost ground steadily. During this time the straight Republicans rallied.

Merchants, farmers, mill owners and mine owners rounded up their employes on national issues, tariff and protection, and in a great measure repaired the breach. The degree of uncertainty surrounding the struggle served to increase the bitterness of the contest.

RESULT IN CONNECTICUT.

Governor Lounsbury Elected by a Reduced Majarity.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 9.—Connecticut has gone Republican. The plurality on the Republican state ticket is estimated at about 13,000. In the last preceding election in 1895 the Republican plurality was 45,000.

It has been in no sense a hurrah campaign, but rather one of quiet and persistent work. The Democrats left no stone unturned to whittle down the Republican plurality.

The principal fight has been in the congressional districts and town representatives.

As a result of the election the next assembly will be Republican. The Republicans also have a safe majority in the senate.

The reason for the cutting down of Sperry's plurality this year is due mainly to the popularity of his opponent, Mr. Webb, who is a graduate of Yale, an instructor in the Law school, and a young man of wide popularity throughout the city.

The returns show that the Republicans have elected their candidates in every congressional district.

So far as can be judged by the complexion of the representative votes, General Joseph R. Hawley, Republican, is likely to be returned to the United States senate, unless, when the question comes up for decision on joint ballot in the incoming assembly, in December, Samuel Fessenden, Republican of Stamford, should wrest the prize from him.

Army Orders.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 9.—Yesterday's army orders included these:

Acting Assistant Surgeon Frank I. Disbrow, United States army, when his services can be spared, is relieved from further duty in Porto Rico, and ordered to New York, whence he will report to the surgeon general by letter for annulment of his contract.

First Lieutenant William G. Massarue, Sixty-ninth New York volunteer infantry, has had his resignation accepted; also Colonel R. G. Smith, of the Fourth New Jersey volunteer infantry.

Adams to Go on a Long Cruise.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—The United States training ship Adams will on or before December 1 start on a seven months' cruise. By that date she will have received her batteries at Mare Island.

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Yesterday's Session Postponed to Allow of a Translation.

STARTLING EARLY RUMORS

The French Foreign Office Issued a Note Saying That the Conferences Had Been Suspended. News as M. Delcasse Got It. The Fashoda Question.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The Spanish-American peace commissioners notified the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, that the joint session which was to have taken place yesterday would not be held, and that they would notify the minister when they had determined upon the date of another meeting.

Later a semi-official note was issued announcing that the peace commissions had informed the French minister of foreign affairs that their conferences were suspended.

Still later it was stated that the failure to hold a meeting of the commissions yesterday was due to the Americans asking for a postponement of the joint session until to-day to allow time for the translation of the reply of the United States to the latest Spanish propositions regarding the Philippine islands, which reply was receved here yesterday morning.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The Gaulois yesterday morning, referring to Monday's sitting of the peace commissioners, says it will in no way modify the Spanish-American situation, "as the American commissioners have orders to await further instructions from Washington."

The Gaulois says these instructions will depend upon the result of the elections, which, the paper thinks, will be favorable to the Republicans, adding:

"The American government will eventually recognize that pecuniary compensation is due to Spain for the evacuation of the Philippine islands, and the negotiations will continue and be brought to a satisfactory conclusion in a friendly spirit."

The Fashoda Question.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The chamber of deputies resumed its sessions yesterday with a crowded attendance, in anticipation of a debate on the Fashoda question.

But those present were disappointed by M. Brunot announcing that he withdrew his interpellation on the subject.

Talk With the Czar.

London, Nov. 9.—William T. Stead, writing to the Daily News from Sebastopol, after having had an interview with the Czar at Livadia, reiterates his conviction of the earnestness and sincerity of the czar's purpose in proposing disarmament.

Mr. Stead says it is impossible to repeat the conversation, but says:

"My opinion is summed up in a remark which I made to a princes of the court, who, meeting me as I was leaving, asked:

"'Well, what is your opinion?'

"I replied simply: 'I thank God for him. If he is spared to Russia that young man will go far.'"

Mr. Stead adds that he found the czar possessed of exceptional rapidity of perception, united with a remarkable memory and a very wide grasp of an immense range of facts.

A Post-office Robbed.

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 9.—The Arago postoffice, which is located in the residence of W. H. Schroeder, postmaster, was robbed last night.

Schroeder was in the upper part of the house when two masked men entered, but a man named Peter Crow was in the office.

The robbers took Crow to the river bank and securely tied his feet and hands. They then returned to the house and forced Schroeder at the point of a revolver to open the safe.

The robbers secured $1,300 belonging to the Arago Creamery and $200 of the postal funds.

Sheriff Gage and a posse are in pursuit of the robbers.

Dynamite to a Consul.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—Two sticks of dynamite weighing nearly half a pound, have arrived through the mails on the Overland train.

The sticks were in separate packages and both were addressed to George E. Hall, Turkish consul, Parrot building, San Francisco.

The postmarks were indistinct, but it is thought the dynamite was mailed in Montana.

Several weeks ago Mr. Hall received a similar package, but it was opened safely.

Soldiers Back from Santiago.

Norfolk, Nov. 9.—The transport Port Victor, which came up from Santiago yesterday afternoon, landed about forty immunes from the Fifth and Sixth regiments, some civilians, and a few sailors, whose times had expired.

She then sailed for New York. The Victor is the vessel which started from Santiago with miserable accommodations for the soldiers, and was held up by General Wood, military governor of Santiago, who ordered her back, and the ship was refitted.

Race War in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Nov. 9.—A crowd of negroes, said to be under the guidance of a political party, invaded the Hebrew district, on Morgan street, last night, bombarded buildings with stones and injured Esther Hymos and two men.

When the bombardment began, families barricaded their doors. A large detachment of police was sent to the scene and dispersed the negroes.

A Michigan Judge Killed.

Detroit, Nov. 9.—A dispatch from Traverse City says that word was received there of the death of Judge Roscoe L. Corbett of the Thirteenth judicial district.

His death was caused by the accidental discharge of a gun held by his son.

Father and son were on a deer hunting expedition at Trout lake.

VOTE IN OTHER STATES

Returns Show a Safe Republican Majority in Next House.

LARGE REPUBLICAN GAINS

A Large Vote Polled in Nearly Every State. A Solid Republican Delegation Possible from Massachusetts. Republicans Carry Connecticut, New Hampshire, and Pennsylvania, Maryland Elects Five Republican Congressmen. With Carolina Democratic.

New York, Nov. 9.—Returns from various states indicate that the Republicans are holding their own in the congressional districts. This means a Republican majority in the next house.

Heavy Republican gains are reported from Ohio.

Governor Wolcott, Republican, has been re-elected in Massachusetts by a slightly reduced majority. The Republicans have twelve out of thirteen congressional di[illegible] a chance in the thirteenth.

The Republi[illegible] Connecticut by ab[illegible] Hampshire by ab[illegible]

Governor Pi[illegible] of his ticket in Michigan.

North Carolina is probably Democratic.

Solid Democratic congressional delegations have been elected from Alabama, Arkansas and Louisiana.

MASSACHUSETTS REPUBLICAN.

Ten Out of Twelve Congressmen Elected by the Republicans.

Boston, Nov. 9.—For Congress: In the First district George P. Lawrence, Democrat, is elected; in the Second district F. H. Gillett, Republican, is elected; in the Third district J. H. Walker, Republican, is elected; in the Fourth district G. W. Weymouth, Republican, is elected; in the Sixth district, W. H. Moody, Republican, is elected; in the Seventh district, E. W. Roberts, Republican, is elected; in the Eighth district S. W. McCall, Republican, is elected; in the Eleventh district C. F. Sprague, Republican, is elected; in the Twelfth district W. C. Lovering, Republican, is elected; in the Thirteenth district, W. S. Greene, Republican, is elected.

Governor Wolcott is elected by a reduced majority, while the Republicans have elected at least ten of the thirteen congressmen.

The legislature will be Republican in both branches by about the usual majority.

Ohio.

Columbus, O., Nov. 9.—The Republican state committee have a dispatch from George B. Cox of Cincinnati that Hamilton county gives a Republican plurality of 14,500. As the county gave Bushnell a plurality of 1,500 last year this is a Republican gain of 13,000 in one county.

The vote of both parties is less everywhere than last year, but early reports show that the Democratic losses greatly exceed those of the Republicans, so that the latter expect a large plurality on the state ticket and a gain of two congressmen.

No Contest in South Carolina.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 9.—The election was quiet and dull. Scarcely any interest was felt and the vote was light.

There was no contest for State offices, the Democrats having the only ticket in the field. The Republicans have candidates in all the Congressional districts and hope to make a contest before the Republican House for seating their candidates, whom they cannot elect at the polls.

Michigan Sticks to Pingree.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 9.—Estimates based upon scattering returns from the State would seem to indicate that Pingree has been re-elected Governor by a plurality of more than 40,000. The Legislature is probably Republican on a joint ballot.

Rhode Island.

Providence, Nov. 9.—The Republicans have carried both congressional districts in this state.

North Carolina.

Wilmington, Nov. 9.—New Hanover is believed to be Democratic by about 1,000, Richmond by 500 to 600, being a Democratic gain of 1,500.

Six Democratic congressmen are probably elected. Both houses of the legislature will be strongly Democratic.

Arkansas.

Little Rock, Nov. 9.—The Democrats have carried the First, Second, Third, Fourth and Sixth congressional districts.

Tennessee.

Memphis, Nov. 9.—E. W. Carmack, Democrat, is elected to Congress from the Tenth district.

Alabama.

Birmingham, Nov. 9.—Returns indicate the election of every Democratic congressman in the state.

The vote was exceedingly light in all districts except the Fourth and Seventh.

Louisiana.

New Orleans, Nov. 9.—Reports received assure the election of six Democratic congressmen from Louisiana.

Iowa.

Des Moines, Nov. 9.—David B. Henderson, Republican, is elected to Congress from the Third district.

Montana.

Helena, Nov. 9.—Slight snow fell early. Democrats are making strong claims, and the Republicans are confident of large gains, if not victory.

Georgia.

Atlanta, Nov. 9.—All the Democratic candidates for Congress are elected.

NEW YORK REPUBLICAN

Roosevelt Elected Governor by a Plurality of 40,000.

A FAIR DAY. A LARGE VOTE

The Rough Rider Gets About 120,000 Majority Outside of New York. Van Wyck's Lead in New York Not More Than 75,000. A Big Vote Throughout the State.

New York, Nov. 9.—This morning's dispatches show that Colonel Roosevelt has at least 120,000 majority over Van Wyck outside of Greater New York.

Van Wyck's lead in Greater New York is not over 80,000.

Roosevelt's majority in the whole state, therefore, is about 40,000.

The legislature is safely Republican in both houses, though the senate majority is narrow. Senator Edward Murphy, therefore, retires from his seat on March 4, and a sound money senator takes his place.

It is probable that Tammany has elected all of its congressmen.

Gains were made by the Republicans throughout the state except in Buffalo and Rochester. Chatauqua county doubled its usual majority of three thousand.

In Greater New York.

New York, Nov. 9.—The election in this city passed off very quietly and was noteworthy chiefly for the fact that a large part of those registered deposited their ballots early in the day.

When the polls closed at five o'clock it was thought that the vote was surprisingly close to the registration. In many districts more than one-third of the voters deposited their ballots before nine o'clock, and by ten o'clock it was estimated that about 40 per cent. of the vote had been cast.

Voters generally deposited a straight ticket, judging by the celerity with which the booths were entered and left, a great many taking less than a minute to mark the ballot and fold it ready for the ballot box.

Notwithstanding the predictions of stormy weather towards nightfall the day proved all that could be desired in that respect, which had much to do with the polling of a full vote.

The anticipated clash between the police and Superintendent McCullagh's deputies did not occur. There were many warrants out, and a large number of arrests were made, in which service both bodies of men were active. When the cases of alleged illegal registration were taken to the police courts it was found that the greater part were without foundation in fact, having originated in the clerical errors of registration officers and the poll clerks.

The police had little to do, the crowds being orderly. In the Eighth assembly district one of the Republican leaders was arrested, charged with disorderly conduct in challenging a vote, but the case was promptly dismissed by a police magistrate.

Few persons were seen on the streets in an intoxicated condition. About one-half of the crowds were children and youths, who gave little trouble.

Tammany Elects Judges.

New York, Nov. 9.—Despite the great fight put up by men of all parties, Tammany has elected the judiciary ticket by an indicated vote of not more than two per cent. less than that given to Van Wyck.

There was only a slight falling off in the vote given to Croker's men. Leventritt was well up with the others. Returns indicate that very few voters cut the judicial nominees. Daly leads his companions by a few hundreds only.

Van Wyck's Complimentary Vote.

New York, Nov. 9.—The vote in Kings county indicates that local pride had much to do with giving Candidate Van Wyck a vote in excess of that looked for by the Republican campaign managers.

The normal Democratic majority there is eight thousand, and this has been increased, it would seem, to seventeen thousand.

All the political sagacity of Hugh McLaughlin and his lieutenants and all the vast patronage at their command was used to pile up an unusual vote for the head of the ticket. The Shepardites were enlisted in the cause and added the strength of the Independents to the result.

In Rochester.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 9.—The superintendent of canals, G. W. Aldridge, lives in this city, and it looks as if there was an effort in trading which resulted badly for the Rough Rider. Revised returns from Rochester, complete, give Roosevelt 14,289, Van Wyck 13,744; majority for Roosevelt, 545.

In 1896 McKinley carried Rochester by 6,238. Monroe county will not give Roosevelt over 2,500.

Roosevelt Hears the News.

OYSTER BAY, Nov. 9.—After learning of his success last night Col. Roosevelt made this statement:

"I appreciate the honor very greatly, and I appreciate even more deeply the responsibility involved in the honor. I shall do all in my power to redeem every promise I have made, express or implied.

"I am a good Republican and I believe I can best serve the Republican party by doing everything I can to help it serve the State. I shall strive to administer the office of Governor in the interests of the whole people.

"It is by so doing that I can best show my appreciation of the support given me by the independents and Democrats, who have themselves put the welfare of the State first, declining to follow their leaders, who in this crisis have ranged themselves outright on the side of the forces of dishonesty, or else supported them in effect by standing aside from the real contest."

Troops to Be Mustered Out.

Philadelphia, Nov. 9.—By order of the war department, Battery A, Captain Barclay H. Warburton, and the Philadelphia City Troop, Captain John C. Groomic, will be mustered out this week, the batter yon November 10 and the troop on the 11th.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 9—Sociable at Seventh-Day Baptist church.
November 10—Warren Engine Company's entertainment in Saengerbund Hall.

Result in the State.

With a plurality approximating 10,000 votes Hon. Foster Voorhees will be the next Governor of New Jersey. The elevation of Mr. Voorhees to the highest position in the gift of the people of the State by their suffrages, after having served with distinction through a constitutional provision, is of course particularly gratifying to Union county, whose favorite son in Republican circles he is. Mr. Voorhees is extremely popular in his own balliwick, and it was not surprising, the amount of strength he developed among those with whom his personal acquaintanceship extended.

Mr. Voorhees had not only the honor of carrying his own county, but also that of his opponent. The old saying of as goes Essex so goes the State proved quite the truth in this election.

The Democrats had prosecuted an aggressive campaign in Essex and seemingly had intrenched themselves strongly in this nominally Republican section. But their efforts were unavailing and the whole idea of Mr. Crane's selection for the Gubernatorial race—that of bringing Essex into the Democratic column, thus ensuring success—amounted to naught.

When the success of the Republicans in the Gubernatorial contest also goes the majority of the Legislature, which means the election of John Kean to the United States Senate to succeed Senator Smith. This is another great honor for Union county, and to the Republicans of this section is reason for great rejoicing.

A majority of the Congressmen elected are Republican, too, and in this way New Jersey approves of the administration of President McKinley.

The Result in Plainfield.

The Republicans in Plainfield did their part in making the victory of their party what it was. It was believed that the defeat of Mr. Ackerman for the Senatorial nomination would result in alienating a good many Republican votes from the support of the ticket, but such did not prove the case. On the contrary, Mr. Cross secured almost one hundred votes more than the head of the ticket in this city.

Another unexpected result was the good run made by Congressman Fowler. It was considered that he would run considerably behind his ticket, but when the votes were counted it was found that, with the exception of Assemblyman Murray, he received the largest plurality in Plainfield.

The pluralities of the successful candidates were as follows: Voorhees, 898; Fowler, 995; Cross, 987; Murray, 1009.

The Democrats in Plainfield polled a little over 200 more votes this year than last. That will give a slight increase in delegates in the local Democrats in the county conventions.

The County Democracy ticket—the outcome of a factional fight in Camden county—cost the Democrats hundreds of votes throughout the State for local candidates.

The Daily Press monster screen on North avenue last night was as popular as any of the candidates.

Union county has her share of honors this time, and Elizabeth is right on the top heap.

Plainfield Republicans did well—better than was expected in a good many places.

"Teddy" does seem to be a pretty good rough rider over Democratic warriors

Yes, nearly all the Democrats are up Salt River by this time.

A Theory of Suicide.

It has been a prevalent notion with many observers that more suicides occur in gloomy or wintry weather than in summer. The fact that the pressure of want on the poor is greater at this season, the facilities of obtaining work less, would seem at first to warrant this conclusion. Yet criminologists assert that crime increases and decreases with temperature. The scientific students of suicidal crime, too, are largely convinced that the gloomy or distressing conditions of nature have very little to do with the problem.

Signor Morselli, a professor of Bologna university, in his standard work on this subject, published many years since, drew conclusions from an immense mass of carefully verified statistics, which he illustrated in this vivid and concrete form. He asserts that of all persons and conditions most likely to comerge into suicide, he would select a German scholar in some secluded university cloister, preferably a student of metaphysics, in the season of June, the most delightful month of the year, and at high noon. The stolid creature never commits suicide. It is always the imaginative soul, where the tendency to melancholy and the consciousness of the immense chasm between longing and attainment are the most active. It is contended, too, that the ineffable splendor and wealth of summer tide reacts on certain temperaments with irresistible power to create a restless and morbid mood. De Quincey, in his "Confessions of an Opium Eater," has embodied in the most eloquent English prose the thrillingly sad impressions made on him by the gorgeous vision of a June sky flooded with golden sunshine.

Dr. Oscar Geck, a scientist of Strassburg, Germany, has recently published figures, confirmatory of the foregoing views of the conditions which favor suicide. In 100,000 cases which occurred in Prussia between 1876 and 1895 the greatest number was in June, the least in December. The figures increased and decreased between these months with the certainty of the tides. It is contended by most students that the ultimate causes of suicide are climatic and physiological. Heat produces nervous excitement. People eat more than the diminished needs of the organism require, and so a plethora of life is generated which must find an outlet, often in crime against others or against self. The fact that women more rarely commit suicide is explained on the theory that they are much more temperate eaters and develop far less of that uric acid in the blood which, poisoning the life fluid, fills the brain with perverse and gloomy fantasies. Whether the reasons, psychic and physiological, given are valid or not the main fact as to summer being the ripe and chosen season for the self murderer appears to be well justified in truth.

Professor Cummnock of the School of Oratory at the Northwestern university of Evanston, Ills., has instituted a new line of study in his course. This, it is alleged, will deal with the art of getting married and the avoidance of those clumsy and embarrassing mistakes which sometimes occur at such a trying moment. He desires that the future brides and grooms who graduate under his instruction shall be perfect adepts in the requisite ceremonial ease and dignity. This is all very nice, but it would be far more to the purpose if the instructor could teach the right things to do after marriage when the glamour has worn off. He would then be the greatest of philanthropists. As for instruction in matters which precede marriage, which are summed up in the art of lovemaking, nature is far more potent than artifice. Here no Professor Cummnock could possibly be needed.

Horace Walpole once wrote to Sir Horace Mann, in that famous correspondence which lights up the events of an epoch, "The world is a comedy to those that think, a tragedy to those who feel." To most thoughtful persons it is a drama which mingles tragedy and comedy, a play where man is both actor and spectator, a human comedy in the sense so powerfully suggested by Balzac in his great series of novels.

Dr. Martin, a surgeon at Camp Thomas, has averred before the war investigation committee that he was threatened with court martial by his superiors because he reported the pest conditions of Chickamauga at an early date. If this is true, there is need of punishment worse than any possible court martial verdict could bestow.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"Do you like to scorch?" "No, but Oi like to shmoke," retorts Policeman Michael Mulcahy, who furnishes no little amusement in "The Sleeping City," which will be seen at Music Hall Friday night. This is a realistic four act comedy drama, inteneely human and powerfully written, with a plot of thrilling interest, rich dramatic incident and original humor, necessitating a cast of more than oridinary ability which requirement is amply met in the company that Manager A. Q. Scammon has provided. Dullness holds no place in any scene in "The Sleeping City" and its parts are adjusted in an artistic manner. Among the wonderful realistic scenes are the Battery Park, Hudson River docks, a thrilling eecape from Sing Sing, and a burning asylum, which are all that a lover of stage realism could ask for. A vast deal of special scenery and mechanical effects is carried for the proper presentation of this great play. The characters represented are taken from the lives of the various types in New York. Incidental to the piece specialties of an agreeable order will be introduced. If you wish to see the best that ever happened you will see it in "The Sleeping City."

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"Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," which will be seen at Music Hall next week, is a purely American drama. This season Mr. Chaufrau has surrounded himself with a clever coterie of select players. Edward Maynard will be seen as Manuel Bond who wrecks Kit's home and causes the thread of the story to be woven. Sara MacDonald assumes the character of Mary Redding and afterwards as Alice Redding, her daughter. The comedy is in the capable hands of Lawrence Barbour as "The Major," W. D. Stone as "The Judge," Andrew Collom as "Julius Caesar" and Leo Hardman as "Jerry Sleepers." The remaining cast includes Will B. Alexander, Walter Stuart, May Alexander, Baby Clifford and Rodney Wagoner. The special scenic effects include, "The Mississippi Levee." "Steamboat Explosion" and "Deck of the Medora."

OPENING DAY OF GOLF.

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and from it there floated yesterday the club penant in the club colors, red and white. From the pole to a tree some distance away a strong wire was stretched, and suspended therefrom was a large American flag.

The course is 1 5-8 mile in length and is a very pretty one. Owing to the rolling ground it has been found unnecessary to build any hazards or bunkers, and everyone has found that the course is an ideal one. The club house is a model of beauty. It is provided with rooms for the women and men with every convenience, while a large reception room is found to be a comfortable place to stop and enjoy a rest.

The house committee consists of Mrs. W. L. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., Mrs. C. W. McCutchen, and the greens committee comprises C. W. McCutchen, H. D. Hibbard and W. J. Buttfield. These committees have received flattering comments for their earnest efforts. The membership of the club comprises the very best peopeople of the borough and many residents of this city. The opening took place a little late in the season, but there will be playing for at least a month yet. Next season this course will no doubt be one of the finest in the State, and will be patronized largely by golf enthusiasts. The grounds are located on Charles Hyde's property near the mountains and are easy of access by trolley, carriage or bicycle.

—The tenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be held Nov. 25th.

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THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, November 9—Miss Anna Fenner, of Plainfield, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer, Sunday.

Sunday was missionary Sunday in the Methodist church, and an address upon a missionary topic was delivered at the the Sunday-school by Rev. Frank Fletcher. Rev. G. W. Gardner, of Grace M. E. church, North Plainfield, will speak the first Sunday in December.

The Christmas committee of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday night to make arrangements for the Christmas entertainment this year.

William Milliken and family, of New York, spent Sunday with Mr. Milliken's mother, Mrs. Elias Milliken, of West Front street.

Subscriptions are being taken up to pay for having the weather-vane on the steeple of the Presbyterian church straightened.

The regular football team played a scrub team yesterday morning and defeated them by a score of 25 to 0.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenner, of Pluckamin, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph and Miss Virgie Tunison are visiting Mrs. Manning Randolph, of Piscataway.

North avenue is being treat to a coat of cinders which will be a big improvement to that thoroughfare.

Miss Grace Burdick, of Westfield, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thompson, has returned home.

Mr. Douglass, reporter for The Call, has returned from a visit to his old home in Staten Island.

Captain and Mrs. John Wherley, of Somerville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

Miss TenEyck, of Madison, has been visiting her sister, Miss Margaret Sutphen.

The stores were all opened yesterday as usual, no attention being paid to the holiday.

Isaac J. Stites attended church at Scotch Plains Sunday and visited friends there.

Miss Mary Smith, of Newark, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Arthur Giddas, of Staten Island, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Willis Grey, of Newark, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Alvah Grey.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Bloomsbury, is visiting Miss Edna Coriell.

—The steps at the First Baptist church are being repaired.

—Gavett is adding to his elegant line of art glassware and china many new pieces that have no duplicates. His stock is the finest he has ever had.

—Tomorrow evening Warren Engine Company, of the borough, will hold a ball in Saengerbund Hall on Somerset street. The proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of new uniforms.

—Warren chapel will hold special services next week. Monday evening Rev. H. W. Hathaway, of Elizabeth, will preach. Tuesday evening Rev. G. W. Gardner will have charge. All are invited.

—Owing to the demand the Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, will continue all the week to give each purchaser of one pound of baking powder four earthern bowls, 1, 2, 3 and 4 quarts each. Good goods and honorable dealings are the elements that count with this company.

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RUSSIAN FAMILY SERVANTS.

Ambition of a Land Owner to Have Everything Made at Home.

We were a family of eight, occasionally of ten or twelve, says Prince Kropotkin in the Atlantic; but fifty servants at Moscow, and half as many more in the country, were considered not one too many. Four coachmen to attend a dozen horses, three cooks for the masters and two more for the servants, a dozen men to wait upon us at dinner time,—one man, plate in hand, standing behind each person seated at the table,—and girls innumerable in the maid-servants' room,—but how could any one do with less than this?

Besides, the ambition of every landed proprietor was that everything required for his household should be made at home, by his "own" men.

"How nicely your piano is always tuned! I suppose Herr Schimmel must be your tuner?" one of the visitors would remark.

To be able to answer, "I have my own piano-tuner," was in those times the correct thing.

"What beautiful pastry!" the guests would exclaim, when a work of art, composed of ices and pastry, appeared toward the end of the dinner. "Confess, prince, that it comes from Tremble" (the fashionable pastrycook).

"It is my own confectioner, a pupil of Tremble, whom I have allowed to show what he can do," was the reply which elicited general admiration

To have embroideries, harnesses, furniture,—in fact everything,—made by one's "own" men was the ideal of the rich and respected landed proprietor.

HE AT LAST GOT OUT HIS COMMAND.

It Was Badly Mixed, but the Boatswain's Mate Was a Veteran.

While the Philadelphia was lying at the Brooklyn navy yard several years ago, a young ensign was called aft one morning and placed in command of the deck. It happened that only one item remained on the list of the morning's duties. It was not a very martial command to give, but as the time approached the officer (protem) of the deck waxed extremely nervous. He imagined that the eyes of all hands were upon him, and almost that the safety of the ship depended upon his giving the order in the proper voice. At three minutes of seven bells he again scanned the order book. It read: "Seven bells: Pipe sweepers." It was plain enough and the embarrassed young officer took his stand near the mainmast and called out in a very weak voice: "Bo's'n's mate!"

The man addressed sprang to his feet with finger touching cap. "Ay, ay, sir!" he replied. Then glancing hastily about, the scared officer muttered hoarsely, "Swipe sweepers!"

It was an entirely new order to the boatswain's mate. He touched his cap inquiringly. The ensign, more confused than ever, stammered desperately, "Peep swipers, my man." His words were overheard by several of his brother officers, and the laugh which followed proved the last straw. The ensign drew himself up, and with withering scorn exclaimed: "Sweep pipers, and be d——n quick about it, too!"—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

KEEPING COOL IN OTHER LANDS.

Glass Walled Palaces Sunk in the Lake During Hot Weather.

Of all delightful methods for keeping cool in hot weather the "sinking rooms" of Persia commend themselves most to one's conceptions of the luxurious and delightful. When not required, these gilded, glass walled palaces float gracefully on the blue waters of Lake Niris, the most lovely of Persian lakes. When the heat ceases to be comfortable their happy owners enter the floating palaces, which are drawn by heavy weights down into the transparent depths of the lake, and with an ample supply of air from above, luxurious surroundings, iced drinks and fan waving houris, the Persian millionaire who cannot enjoy 100 degrees in the shade must be difficult to please.

The Prince of Agra has a similar palace moored in one of the reaches of the Jumna. Its furniture and appointments are superb; the very chairs are made of gold and incrusted with jewels, and the curtains are of the most exquisite silks. On sultry days the Prince and his suite enter their river palace, which is at once unmoored and floats gently on the bosom of the Jumna at the will of the tide, catching every breeze that blows and gliding to the soothing music of harps played by fair hands. Who would not be the Prince of Agra?

In India the well to do Englishmen and natives fly from the plains at the first blast of heat and take refuge in the hills, where the cool breezes blowing from the snow capped mountains drive away all thought of the simmering plains below.—New York Herald.

He Thought the Dry Ones Best.

Admiral Farragut used to relate that a pretty girl on a Mississippi steamer was anxiously sought in marriage by five of the passengers. Viewing them all with favor, the girl applied to the captain of the boat for advice in making her selection. He suggested that she leap overboard, after he had made arrangements that would make injury to her impossible. She did as he said. Four of the suitors promptly were in after her and united in bringing her safely back to the deck.

"What shall I do now?" she perplexedly inquired of the captain.

"I don't rightly know, miss," he answered, "but it seems to me I'd take the dry one."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

L. E. Howard, of LaGrande avenue, is detained at home by illness.

Julius Williams, of Elmwood place, has returned from a western business trip.

Miss Wickersham, of Sycamore avenue, is visiting friends in New York.

Miss Ella Conover, of the Mercer Hospital, Trenton, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Wallace, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of B. J. Shreve, of Grove street.

Mrs. White, of Morristown, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Reuben Knox, of Washington avenue.

Miss Ada Tunison, of West Second street, has accepted a position with Vanderbeek & Sattels.

Private Daniel Shea, of Co. H, Third Regiment, has returned to camp after a short visit in town.

Mayor Charles J Fisk, of Seventh street, who has been detained at home by illness, is improving nicely.

Mr. Gibbs, of New York, was a guest yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, of East Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Woolley have removed from New street to the corner of Front street and Liberty street.

Mrs Henderson, of Park avenue, has recovered from a recent operation for a dislocated shoulder, and is again able to be out.

Mrs. A H. Slape, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Harry Hull, of New York, are visitors at the home of Mrs. W. H Slape, of East Fifth street.

Job Hedges and Mrs. A. E. Fordham, of Los Angeles, Cal., who have been visiting Plainfield relatives for some time past, started for home yesterday.

Mrs. Theodore I Runyon, of West Fourth street, and Mrs. John Dunham, of Madison avenue, attended a reception at the Old Ladies' Home in Newark yesterday.

—On the evening of November 24th there will be a social in Grace M. E. church.

—There will be a meeting of the Parliamentary Club tomorrow morning at the Y. M. C. A. building.

—Under the direction of Street Commissioner Gavett North avenue has been patched with crushed stone and sand.

—In placing your order for your seafood for Friday, don't forget your lobsters and oysters for Saturday. Rogers.

—Michael Connolly, a Western Union telegraph operator, had charge of receiving the returns at the home of Mayor Fisk last evening.

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Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

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Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
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Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

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Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
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TRAFFIC IN KANGAROO HIDES.

Half a Million Australian Pelts Used In America Last Year.

"Not many people have any idea how extensively kangaroo hides are utilized in this country," said a leading wholesale leather dealer. "Last year there were over 400,000 such skins received in New York and about 80 per cent of these were tanned in one large establishment in Newark, N. J. The hides all come from Australia and New Zealand, where the kangaroos are killed, some 350 miles back from the coast, and shipped from Melbourne, Sydney and Newcastle, Australia, and from Masterson, in New Zealand.

"Prior to 1859 kangaroos were killed and eaten in Australia, and their hides were cut up and made mostly into shoestrings and belts. But an Englishman named Brown in that year made some experiments, which resulted in his discovering the remarkably tough character of the leather, and he brought several hundred hides to America as a speculation. He tried hard to sell the skins to various tanners, but they were shy of the novelty, and he at last had to sell them at a sacrifice to a New York bookbinder. The latter merchant made triangular corner pieces for ledgers and commercial books out of the skins, and thus ascertained the good qualities of the leather. One of these books got into the hands of the proprietor of a large Newark tannery, and his attention was at once attracted by the peculiar appearance of the leather binding. He made some experiments with the skin and found that it possessed a remarkable tenaciousness and compactness of grain, which prevented it from absorbing water, while the acids in blacking met with an almost impervious substance. Several hundred skins were soon after tanned and put upon the market, and so large was the demand for the new leather that it was hard work for years to get a sufficient quantity of hides to supply the trade. In 1880 the Newark tanner sent agents to Australia and made arrangements to ship such numbers of skins as would satisfy the demand for the article here.

"The characteristic climate of Australia and the pugnacity of the kangaroo have, however, always made the hunting of the hides dangerous, and these difficulties continue to limit the supply and keep up the price of the animals' skins. Winter starts in May and ends in December in that country. The rest of the year the heat is intense, the thermometer frequently reaching 140 degrees. Eight men hunt together for kangaroos. They are called a 'set.' When brought to bay the kangaroo jumps like a flash for a hunter's chest and tries to crush it in with his fore feet. To prevent this each man wears across his chest a piece of matting two or three inches thick. Armed with a spear, with a club attachment at the other end, they ride upon swift horses into a herd. With the agility and equipoise of circus riders they stand erect upon their horses and use their spears and clubs. The kangaroo is able to jump clear over a horse.

"As soon as the animal is killed it is skinned and the hide is stretched on the ground and pegged down securely to prevent shrinkage. The flesh furnishes meat for the camp. Each man places his private mark upon his booty, and when they have 100 skins they return to civilization. There are twenty varieties of kangaroos, among them the blue, red, wallaby, black, gray and forester, the latter furnishing the best leather, as it lives mainly in wooded sections. When the shipping ports are reached the hunters dispose of the skins by auction to the highest bidder and receive about 80 cents a pound for them. Kangaroo hunters make large profits. One man is known to have cleared $6,000, free of living expenses, last year."—Washington Star.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD
(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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DIED.

HAYNES—In this city, Tuesday, November 8th, 1898, Charles A. Haynes, aged 54 years. Funeral services at his late residence, 826 First place on Thursday, November 10th, at 4 p. m. Interment in Greenwood.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 9 23 tf

FOR SALE—Team bay carriage horses, also closed carriage, surrey, single and double harness and gentleman's saddle. 830 Central avenue. 11 8 5

HOUSE for sale or rent, 69 Sandford avenue. Apply F. E. Kinsman. 9 27 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and bothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

TO RENT—Reasonable, new flat, 7 rooms; all improvements. 109 Somerset street. 11 7 3

FOR SALE—Horse, phæton and harness, very cheap. Address Owner, care Press. 11 7 3

WANTED—Young girl to assist in housework at 916 West Front street. 11 7 3

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

GOOD horse for sale. Enquire Nathaniel Hill, Greenbrook road, Dunellen. 11 8 2

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants work, Call at 305 East Fourth St. 11 9 4

LOST—A Masonic watch charm. Reward for return of same to Fire Headquarters.

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

WANTED—At Fanwood, a thoroughly competent girl for general housework, must be good cook and laundress; references required; wages $18.00. Apply between 2 and 5 on Thursday, Mrs. H L. Hall, North avenue, Fanwood, N. J.

WANTED—A girl for housework. Apply 182 Watchung avenue, near Fairview. 11 9 2

WANTED — Competent, colored girl for general housework. Mrs. Hatch, 202 West Eighth street.

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

LOST—Black satin bag containing purse, sum of money and papers. Reward if returned to 683 West Seventh street.

JUST A DOZEN BIG BARGAINS.

We tell of; there are bargains here at all times and in all departments, but not such bargains as these. To tell you why we name this Round Table Lots of Clean, Seasonable Merchandise at a sacrifice would take time and space. The why does not interest you; the fact that we have so done does interest you.

LOT NO. 1.
Assorted lot of Waist, Skirt and Trimming Silks, the width is twenty inches, the colors are changeable, figures and stripes; the actual, lowest value is $1.25 yard, the price is.....75c. yd.

LOT NO. 2.
Fifty styles of fancy figured Dress Goods, all good 1898 styles, the regular price is 50c. yd., the price is now.....29c. yd.

LOT NO. 3.
Is fifty pieces of heavy, soft Outing Flannel, newest styles, the value is 10c. yd., our price.....4c. yd.

LOT NO. 4.
Fifty dozen of Women's Fleece Lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, full sizes, winter weight, the price will be.....19c ea.

LOT NO. 5.
100 dozen Women's Fast Black hose, no seams, double sole, close gauge, one of the best wearing stockings in our stock, 15c and worth it, our price will be.....10c pair.

LOT NO 6.
A Fine Lot of all Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at a fair profit you would pay 15c each, buy now and they cost you.....8c each.

LOT NO. 7.
A case of Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, warm, comfortable garments, honest as the day is long, sold everywhere at 50c each, they will go at.....33c each.

LOT NO. 8.
A thousand boxes of the finest Writing Paper, smooth finish, each box contains 60 sheets and 60 envelopes, actual value, 25c, they go for 17c box.

LOT NO. 9.
Men's best quality night shirts, full generous sizes, Dwight Anchor Muslin, made as you would make them yourself, will go for.....37 each.

LOT NO. 10.
Twenty-five dozen of Women's Outing Flannel Wrappers, made of fine material, such as most stores ask $1.00 for and they are worth it but they will go for.....79 each.

LOT NO. 11.
A table full of Boys' Underwear for boys 10 to 15 years, good, warm wool shirts that you would pay 50c. for in the regular way, will go for 19c. each.

LOT NO. 12.
Two hundred pairs of black, grey and white corsets, every pair worth $1 and some $1.50, will go in this sale for.....59c. the pair.

Not only the above attractions does the store offer, but more, thus: The Coat and Suit Department with its fine assortment of Capes, Jackets, Suits and Skirts; the Millinery Department, that needs no advertising; the Women's Underwear Department, that is offering the best of values in the finest of Wool Garments. Then there is the Sale of Laces—fine, all linen Torchon Laces that are worth from 15c. to 25c. the yard, we ask only 7c. The sale of fine White Aprons, the Women's Muslin Underwear Sale, all these should attract you to the store where your money will go the farthest.

EDWARD WHITE.

Now We Are In It!

Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

"COLUMBIA"

ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75. MODEL 49 (Improved) $40.
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GEO. W. ROCKFELLOW, Agt. Park Ave. and Fourth St.

PUTNAM & DE GRAW.

Men's Fleeced Wool Underwear.....50c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets from.....$1.00 up.
Men's heavy Wool and Buck Gloves, all prices.
Ladies' Black Satine Skirts.
Ladies' and Children's Underwear, best goods, low prices.

SECOND Serviss Illustrated Lecture.

"Spain, — the land of the Bull Fight and the Alhambra."

AT THE CASINO,

Thursday, Nov. 10th, at 8:15 p. m.

Reserved Seats 75c., Now on Sale AT ARMSTRONG'S PHARMACY. 11 5 5

It will pay you to come to H. GOLDSTEIN to have your SHOES repaired at the following prices.

Gent's shoes soled and heeled.....55 cents.
Ladies' " " " " .....40 "
Boys' " " " " .....40 "
Children's " " " " .....35 "
Gents' shoes hand soled and heeled, white oak, 80c. Done while you wait.
230 East Fourth St., cor. Watchung Ave., Plainfield, N. J. 11 5 6

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Undergoing a thorough renovation, and when completed the public will find this a first-class hotel in every respect. 10 27 tf

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Only first-class help furnished. 10 7 3m

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Friday Night, Nov. 11, 1898.
Something out of the ordinary.
The latest Big Melodramatic Success.
"The Sleeping City."
An up-to-date representative of New York after dark, produced by A. Q. SCAMMON
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A GREAT PLAY!
AN EXCELLENT COMPANY!
DELICIOUS HUMOR!
ELABORATE SCENERY.
PRICES 25c., 35c., 50c. and 75c., AS USUAL.
Box office open daily from 9 a. m.

NO TRESPASSING ON THESE GROUNDS WITH DOG OR GUN UNDER PENALTY of the LAW.

The above signs on Muslin, 12x12 inches, for sale at this office for 5 cents each.

ROSES, carnations, violets and a large assortment of choice cut flowers, decorative and flowers, an immense stock of specimen plants for decorations, the largest stock of plants and cut flowers in this vicinity. Baskets, bouquets and floral designs made up at short notice. Store, 142 North avenue, Plainfield; greenhouses, South avenue, Netherwood, near depot.
CHARLES L. STANLEY.

JACOB MINTZ,
50 PEARL ST.
BEST CATTLE DEALER,
paying cash. 9 28 3m

A TALE OF GOLD.

Dawson City Miners Are Remarkable For Their Honesty.

Much has been written of the wonders of the Klondike goldfields, a correspondent writes, but practically nothing has been said of the almost phenomenal honesty of the miners. What amazed me most during my first few days in Dawson City was the reckless way in which miners left thousands of pounds' worth of gold exposed in empty cabins and tents, as if inviting the first comer to help himself. There were millions lying about without anyone looking after them, and so far as one could see, they belonged to nobody.

I explored many of these cabins during their owners' absence, and in the very first cabin I entered I saw a dirty, tattered blanket carelessly thrown over two mackerel kits. I lifted the blanket and found that the kits were almost full to the brim with gold dust and nuggets to the value of at least £5,000. The miner was out prospecting on Bear Creek, and had no more anxiety about his pile than if it were safely housed in the Bank of England.

It was the same in nearly every cabin I entered. Gold greeted me everywhere. There were shelves full of oil-cans, meat-tins, fruit-jars; and buckskin and walrus bags packed with the precious metal, all as unprotected as if they were full of potatoes.

One Norwegian miner on Hunker Creek had made a strong-box of a pair of canvas overalls, the legs of which he had sewn up. I lifted the uncanny "safe" and found that it weighed a good 100lb., every ounce of which was virgin gold; and the least value I could place on those dirty overalls was £5,000.

There were five gallon oil-cans full of gold carelessly pushed under the miners' bunks, every one of which held a fortune, for which most men strove a lifetime.

Out on Eldorado Creek there is a settlement of miners who have no fewer than fourteen rich claims, and are washing out gold at the rate of many thousands of pounds a week. Their strong room is a common galvanized washing-tub, and when I was there it was three-quarters full of gold, and much too heavy for two strong men to lift. Had I been inclined I might have pinched thousands of pounds' worth. Gold abounded on every side which seemed to belong to nobody.

Even if a miner leaves his cabin for a week or more, he simply leaves a notice to this effect attached to the walls. He never thinks of putting a guard over his pile.

Of course there have been attempts at theft, but the perpetrators have been invariably detected. In one recent case the thief managed to carry his booty a distance of ten miles, when cold and exhaustion compelled him to take shelter at the cabin of one of the miners. His host's suspicion was aroused by the man's conduct and by the bags of gold, for which he could not satisfactorily account.

The miner detained his guest, communicated with some of his fellows; and fifteen of them assembled in the hut and sat in judgment on the thief. He was found guilty, and half-a-dozen bullets put a sudden end to his career.

Such cases, however, are very rare: and it speaks volumes for the honesty of the 40,000 men who are now gathered in Dawson City that they can see hundreds of thousands of pounds' worth of gold lying about, without even thinking of laying hands on it.

To my mind by far the luckiest man in the Klondike is a man you have probably never heard of—Halsey Putnam. Before coming to the Klondike, Halsey had tried and failed in almost every calling a man can follow, from blacksmith to laborer in the Brooklyn parks, and from printer to barman. When he reached Dawson he had not the necessary 50 cents for a shave; and ½lb. of meat at 70 cents a pound would have put him in the "Bankruptcy Court."

Within a few months Halsey had mined and sold £14,000 worth of gold; and to-day, after little more than a year at his last lucky venture, he could write you a cheque for £50,000, and yet retire on a fortune.

BISMARCK STATUE FOR BERLIN.

The proposed statue to Bismarck to be erected in the public square of Berlin is to be of bronze, of heroic proportions, and designed by Herr Begar.

NURSERY OF THE SEA

DISCOVERY OF THE WINTER HABITAT OF SALT WATER FISHES.

In the Deepest Hollows of the Ocean They Congregate During January and February—Thousands of Pounds Recently Caught.

The most important discovery in coast fishing so far has been made by the fishermen off shore of Beaufort N. C., and there is reason to believe that there will be far-reaching results obtained in the future through improved methods of deep-sea seining. In the two winter months of January and February, all of our littoral species of fish disappear almost entirely from the waters off our coast, and fishermen are compelled to fold up their seines, and wait until spring for the reappearance of their favorite game.

Scientists have concluded that the fishes go to some unknown region or depths of the ocean to breed during these two cold months, and upon their return in the spring they are accompanied by innumerable hosts of young fry. The discovery off shore at Beaufort is nothing less than that of a winter nursery of our littoral species of fish. From six to eight fathoms below the surface of the water the fish have been found to be literally swarming in countless numbers, and hooks and seines let down to that depths invariably bring up rich hauls. No amount of coaxing and temptation can induce the fish to leave their warm winter habitat far below the surface and the fishermen have to adopt new methods of catching them.

The discovery is important in modifying our prevailing methods of catching marketable food fish, and in cheapening the supply in winter and in furnishing the needy workers with employment at an off season when poverty and hardship often press most severely upon them.

The fish are found off Beaufort and Morehead City in deep holes or corrugations. In the summer time they come ashore further and swarm around the oyster beds and the bays and inlets. A great variety of food fish is found in this winter nursery, such as the red drum, gray trout or weak fish, spotted sea trout, bluefish, croakers and many others.

A new sort of seine has been used at Beaufort. It is designed just for this deep-water fishing. It closes up in the shape of a long, narrow eel pot with a heavy weight at the lower end. It dangles over the side of the fishing smack by several ropes, which are manipulated either by the men or a tackle. When the lead reaches the bottom the seine is allowed to rest for some time, while the men spread it open. This is done by means of ropes. Four rowboats leave the smack and each one pulls a rope attached to a corner of the seine. Thus it is spread out on the bottom of the sea directly under the flocks of sea fish. Then it is gradually hauled up. A deep pocket in the bottom of the seine is quickly filled with so many fish that they threaten to break through the meshes by their very weight. In each haul the fishermen bring up at least 500 pounds of fish.

The number of fish seem inexhaustible. When one hiding place is pretty well cleaned out the fishermen hunt around for another. The bottom of the sea off the coast is undulating, forming deep hollows or holes in which the sea fish hide. They are never found on the ridges of the bottom, but always in the hollows. Consequently the fishermen carry sounding leads with them in search of a new hiding place or winter nursery. When the water is six to eight fathoms deep they drop the net, and leave it there for a short time before hauling it up. If they strike it rich, they haul it up and let it down until their boat is loaded.

The fact being established that the fish merely sink to a good depth off the coast in winter instead of migrating to some tropical sea, the question of discovering the hiding place of other species becomes interesting. It is thought that the same sort of fishing may be applied to the codfish off the Newfoundland banks, and to the red snappers off the Florida coast. If the winter habitat of these fish is not too deep, they may be caught right through cold weather with properly constructed seines. It is believed now that countless millions of shad, salmon, herring, striped bass and other anadromous fish are hidden away in the fields of the ocean a short distance off our coast, and that only a small per cent. of them enter our rivers to spawn in a given season. In fact, if one-hundredth of all that are in the ocean should make a simultaneous movement in this direction they would completely choke up every river in the country. Hence, it is quite important that their winter hiding place should be discovered. In the nets off Beaufort an occasional striped bass, bluefish, salmon, herring and shad have been caught, demonstrating that they are aground somewhere in the deep corrugations of the ocean's bottom. The man who discovers their winter hiding place will open a new industry of tremendous importance to the country.—Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

As He Understood It.

Dennis—"Say, Pat, do yez belave in woman's rights?"

Pat—"Faith, I take no shtock in the rights av thim, but me ould woman shwings a nashty left!"

Not Much of a Thinker.

He—"I always say what I think."

She—"If you don't say any more you won't strain your voice."—New York Journal.

TRICKY TRICKS OF THE RAVEN.

As Strategists, These Birds are Something Remarkable

Many stories are told of the cleverness of the raven, a bird which really seems to have reasoning powers. One of these stories tells how a raven, by a skillful stratagem, got a young hare for his dinner. It had pounced upon the little animal, but the mother hare drove it away.

Then the raven slowly retreated, encouraging the mother to follow him, and even pretending that he was afraid of her. In this fashion he led her to a considerable distance from her young one, and then, suddenly, before the hare had time to realize the meaning of the trick, he rose in the air, flew swiftly back, caught the young hare in his beak and bore it away.

A similar plan was adopted by some ravens that wished to steal food from a dog. They teased him till he grew so angry that he chased them from the spot, but the artful birds turned sharply round, easily reached the dish before him, and carried off the choicer bits in triumph.

As to the raven's power of speech, the following story—which is given on the authority of Capt. Brown, who vouches for its truth—will show how aptly it can talk. A gentleman, while traveling through a wood in the south of England, was startled by hearing a shout of "Fair play, gentlemen; fair play!" uttered in loud tones. The cry being presently repeated, the traveler thought it must proceed from some one in distress, and at once began to search for him. He soon discovered two ravens fiercely attacking a third. He was so struck with the appeal of the oppressed bird that he promptly rescued him.

It turned out that the victim was a tame raven belonging to a house in the neighborhood, and the cry that it had used so opportunely was one of many that it had been taught to utter.—Philadelphia Times.

YOUTHFUL POTENTATES.

Queen Isabella Ascended the Throne When Only Three Years Old.

Spain is always the land of the Infante. To-day it is the kingdom of an infant, just as it was sixty-five years ago, when the king's grandmother, Isabella II., ascended the throne at the age of three, assuming the actual government when she was thirteen. If our own Prince Alfred had not declined the crown of Greece in favor of the Dane, he would have been a king at nineteen, and carried on the traditions of the many child-monarchs of Great Britain, including his mother, when she was wakened on that historic night in June at Kensington palace to hear that her uncle, William IV., was dead, and that she reigned in his stead. Henry III. had become King of England at the age of ten; Edward III at the age of fifteen, Richard II at the age of eleven; Henry VI. at the age of eight; Edward IV. when he was twenty, while his son, Edward V., became king at the age of thirteen, which again proved an unlucky number, for he was murdered in the Tower with his only brother, the Duke of York, after he had reigned less than twelve weeks. Henry VIII. was only eighteen when he came to be king; his son, Edward VI., was just ten and was dead before he was fifteen, while his would-be successor, the hapless Lady Jane Grey, was proclaimed queen before she was eighteen, and lost her pretty head before she was nineteen.

Pets Travel In Baskets.

Not to be debarred from carrying Fido on railroads where dogs are not allowed, except in baggage cars, the up-to-date woman has adopted an ingenious device. Some of the large stores have been displaying unique wicker baskets of a pattern and finish which immediately attract the attention of the shopper. These baskets are shaped like an ordinary market basket, though finished a little more artistically, and are opened at one end for ventilation, but barred by rattan rails to prevent Fido from escaping. Madam can carry her pet on board a train and, provided the dog or tabby makes no noise, she is free from detection.

Other shops are showing bags for cats, parrots, monkeys and dogs. These bags come in all sizes, are oilcloth lined, and shield the pet from the conductor's objecting eyes. Each end of the satchel has heavy wire gratings, which admit the air, and may be instantly covered by canvas screens in case a railroad official comes uncomfortably near.—Philadelphia Press.

Labouchere's Clever Wooing.

Mr. Labouchere, father of the first Lord Taunton, was employed as a young man in the great mercantile house of Hope. He applied to Sir Francis Baring for leave to pay his addresses to his daughter. Sir Francis demurred, as Labouchere, though a rising young man, had no fortune.

"But if Hope takes me into partnership?" said Labouchere.

"Oh, yes, if Hope takes you into partnership."

Labouchere then went to Hope and intimated his wish for this arrangement. Hope in his turn demurred.

"But if I marry Baring's daughter?"

"Oh, if you marry Baring's daughter—"

So Labouchere married Baring's daughter and became a partner in Hope's.—New York Mail and Express.

"That musical young man's voice is remarkable for its volume, isn't it?" remarked Mrs. Blykens.

"Volume," echoed her husband. "When he gets to telling you what he knows it's a whole library."—Washington Star.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Preußen.

Provinz Brandenburg.

Berlin. Einen Urnenhain zu schaffen, beabsichtigt der hiesige Verein für Feuerbestattung. Die Verwaltung des städtischen Friedhofs in Friedrichsfelde soll ersucht werden, einen Theil des Friedhofes für die ober- und unterirdische Beisetzung von Aschenresten zu reserviren. Dieser Theil soll durch ein Gitter abgegrenzt und in besonderer Weise mit Cypressen, Taxus und ähnlichen Gewächsen bepflanzt werden. —Für seine jüngsten Söhne läßt der Kaiser auf dem sogenannten Pflasterterrain in der Nähe der Ringbahnstation Grunewald ein Schloß erbauen, weil die Wasserverhältnisse dort gesunder sind, als im Marmorpalais bei Potsdam.—Die 58 Jahre alte Frau eines Tischlers Schulze dahier, welche mit ihrem Manne beständig in Streit lebte, hat sich, nach einem heftigen Auftritt mit ihrem Gatten, gemeinsam mit ihrem Schooßhündchen vergiftet.—Seine Zahlungen eingestellt hat einer der größten hiesigen Rinder-Engrosschlächter, Albert Meye. Derselbe betrieb sein Geschäft seit mehr als 20 Jahren und galt stets als reicher Mann. Er hat früher wöchentlich regelmäßig 200 bis 300 Rinder geschlachtet, in der letzten Zeit immer noch 100 bis 150. Die Schulden belaufen sich auf 50,000 Mark, von denen Meye seinen Gläubigern 40 Prozent angeboten hat.

Rummelsburg. Kürzlich ist auf dem hiesigen Wochenmarkt unter den aufgetriebenen Beständen die Schweineseuche thierärztlich festgestellt worden.

Wittenberge. In dem Dorfe Kuhblank wurden 12 Gehöfte mit etwa 30 Gebäuden eingeäschert; auch verbrannten sechs Pferde, fünf Kühe, zehn Kälber, mehrere Schweine und viel ungedroschenes Getreide. Man vermuthet Brandstiftung.

Provinz Hannover.

Gifhorn. Der Stadtförster Weidna stieß im Forstort Barmbruch auf zwei Wilddiebe. Als sich diese mit einem soeben geschossenen Rehbock entfernen wollten, rief sie der Förster an. Die Wilderer drehten sich um, legten auf den Förster an und schossen nach ihm. Die Kugeln gingen fehl. Nun schoß der Förster bei der Verfolgung auf die fliehenden Männer und traf einen derselben im Rücken; dieser stürzte nieder, erhob sich aber wieder und ist auch trotz Verfolgung mit seinem Komplizen unerkannt entkommen.

Papenburg. In Folge des ungünstigen Ausfalles der Honigernte in Deutschland und der billigen Preise in Holland treffen jetzt täglich ganze Wagenladungen mit Honig beziehungsweise mit lebenden Völkern auf den Stationen Salzbergen, Meppen und Lingen ein. Die Stöcke und Körbe werden mit lebenden Völkern hier eingeführt, die sofort nach dem Passiren der Grenze abgeschwefelt werden. Eine Firma in Meppen bezog an einem Tage über 1500 Körbe aus Holland. Der diesjährige Preis für Honig, wie er eben den Körben entnommen wird, stellt sich auf 48 Mark pro 50 Kilogramm.

Provinz Hessen-Nassau.

Marburg. Der Bau einer Eisenbahn von hier durch den Ebsdorfer Grund nach Londorf ist genehmigt worden. Die Vorarbeiten werden demnächst in Angriff genommen. Mit der neuen Bahn wird eine der Bodenindustrie sehr günstige Strecke erschlossen und verhütet, daß Gießen der Stadt Marburg den Verkehr mehr und mehr entreißt.

Wiesbaden. Dieser Tage fiel beim Arbeiten an der Telephonleitung ein Draht auf die Leitung der elektrischen Straßenbahn herab, so daß an der Berührungsstelle die Flammen emporschlugen. Die Feuerwehr mußte requirirt werden, um die Drähte zu zerschneiden. Auf dem Telephonamt fielen in Folge der Berührung fast sämmtliche 700 Klappen herab.

Provinz Pommern.

Buchwalde. Einen enormen Schaden erlitt Gutsbesitzer Putzig auf Wilhelmshöhe. Fast sämmtliches Rindvieh wurde nämlich von Tollwuth befallen und mußte erschossen werden.

Greifswald. Ein eigenartiger Konflikt ist in dem bürgerschaftlichen Kollegium ausgebrochen. Der Stadtverordnete Brinck ist wegen Wuchers bestraft und sollte nach dem Antrage eines Mitgliedes aus dem Kollegium ausgeschlossen werden. Nach lebhafter Verhandlung, in welcher betont wurde, daß das Kollegium keine Disziplinargewalt über die Mitglieder habe, wurde festgestellt, daß Brinck sein Mandat nicht niederlegen will. Ein Antrag, ihn zur Niederlegung aufzufordern, wurde als zwecklos zurückgezogen.

Provinz Posen.

Posen. Der Reichstagsabgeordnete für den Wahlkreis Pleschen-Jarotschin-Wreschau, Rechtsanwalt Dziembowski (Pole) legte sein Mandat in Folge moralischen Druckes seitens der polnischen Volkspartei nieder, die die Rechtmäßigkeit seiner Aufstellung bemängelte. Dziembowski gehörte der sogenannten Hofpartei an.

Gnesen. Das Schwurgericht verurtheilte den Stadtkämmerer von Wreschen, Wardenski, wegen Unterschlagung städtischer und Kirchengelder, sowie Urkundenfälschung zu vier Jahren Zuchthaus.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, †10.7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 36, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at † 10, † 55, 8 40, 9 05, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 06 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 35, 5 51, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 35, a.m; 2 08, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 18, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 5 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 35, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 9 06 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m, way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 35 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.- For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 55, 10:37, a. m; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a.m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 36*, 6 36*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 36* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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Mr. Wilder's system does not include the petty outlays of everyday life, but he has a way of systematizing his business that is hardly less complete than that of Davidge. All the good jokes, stories, and anecdotes, for example, he labels and lays away, as a bugologist would a strange new specimen of beetle or butterfly. It can be said of Wilder that he can put his hand on any particular joke or story at any hour of the night without striking a match. He has jokes and jokelets, stories and anecdotes, labeled, indexed and cross-indexed, and can turn instantly to any given dog or cat story of any stated breed or color.

The little joker's business system includes an index of every person of prominence he meets, and turning to his books he can tell at a glance just how much he is indebted to any particular individual for contributions to his jund of jokes.

"Harrison—Harrison—Harrison," reiterated Wilder as he ran his twinkling eyes down the long list of H's; "it seems to me I have heard of that name somewhere. Ah, here it is. 'Harrison, Benjamin. President of the United States.' I was almost sure I had heard it somewhere."

Mr. Wilder grew reminiscent for a moment.

"First time I met Benjamin Harrison was in the White House. I carried a letter from his son. I didn't want an office, had no claim to an office, and of course I was a little out of my atmosphere. 'How do you do, Mr. President?' 'How do you do, Mr. Wilder?' That was all. Not a joke or a funny story. Not a word about the weather. Not a word about the crops. I waited long enough for the President to limber up; he didn't limber. I withdrew with great dignity, pausing only long enough in the waitingroom to request Private Secretary Halford to kick me with great severity."

Wilder had a later meeting with President Harrison, some of the particulars of which are best told by another. It occurred when W. J. Arkell entertained President Harrison at Mt. McGregor. Mr. Wilder was one of the guests. The party was on its way down to the village. "Mr. President," said the little humorist, with mock gravity, "I regret the fact exceedingly, but I feel sure there will be a large concourse of people down here to greet me. I understand they have a brass band and I fear they will raise a great hullabaloo. I sincerely trust the cheering and noise generally will not disturb your Excellency."

When the party reached the foot of the mountain there were carriages to receive them, and the inevitable crowd to cheer the President. The band, of course, struck up "Hail to the Chief." By some misunderstanding on the part of the cabby who drove Wilder—or was it by Wilder's own hocus pocus?—the crowd fell apart for him. Hats were swung, handkerchiefs fluttered, and the air was split with cheers. Wilder's quick wit enabled him to seize the situation by the horns. Hat in hand, he bowed to the right and left, and, as they say on the stage, "took the whole scene." The ovation was all his own.

Wilder's joke foundry is an interesting place. The walls of his library in The Alpine, on Broadway, are literally papered with photographs of celebrated men and women, most of which bear the autographs of the originals, with some pleasant greeting to the "prince of entertainers," as Mr. Cleveland dubbed him—"the entertainer of Princes"—as he dubbed himself.

"How are jokes made?"

"Jokes are like poets," said Wilder, "they are born, not made. They develop. They evolute. There is a grub and then there is a butterfly. Julius Caesar compiled a book of puns, but he never made a joke, even though he was the victim of a few. Every great event has its jokes. The greater the event, no matter how serious, the more jokes. They drop around and spring up everywhere. The late war with Spain gave birth to more jokes than any event since the flood.

"Here are a few:

"'The Madrid Government is trying hard to keep the Bible out of Spain.'

"'Why?'

"'So that the Spanish people will not know the exact strength of Sampson.'

"That's bad, of course; but it's a war joke, and we had to accept it.

"'Why is Courtlandt street, in New York, like Cuba?'

"'Because it's between Liberty and Dey.'

"Nothing could be worse than that, but it went. There are about a lion things like that, and the spirit of patriotism kept them afloat. Camara's fleet couldn't sink one of them There are others not so bad:

"'Did you curry the horse this morning, John?'

"'Yes, s'r.'

"'Did you comb out his tail?'

"'Yes, sir.'

"'Did you remember the Maine?'

"Here's another on the same lay:

"'Do you remember the great blizzard in New York?'

"'Oh, yes.'

"'Forget it, and remember the Maine.'

"If we have another war," said Wilder, "I intend to propose a war tax on every joke, and make it pay its own way."

The humorist explained the repair department of his factory.

"Sometimes a joke is a little lame. Maybe it has the heaves, mumps, bumps, thumps, grumps; or probably the blind staggers. I can generally cooper it up so that it will pass muster.

"Very often one idea serves for a good many jokes. General Sherman once wrote me a seven-page letter about jokes and other solemn things. It was by way of acknowledging a copy of my book, 'People I Have Smiled With.' In that letter he told the story of the Irishman who was too much given to strong drink. 'You must sign the pledge and stop drinking,' said his priest, 'or you will be so saturated with the fumes of liquor that sometime when you try to blow out a candle your breath will take fire and you will burn up.'

"'Then give me the pledge,' said Pat, and he wrote: 'I hereby solemnly promise never to blow out a candle again.'

"That is General Sherman's story," continued Mr. Wilder, "and here is the way I fixed it so as to make it fit a particular occasion:

"'You must stop drinking, Pat, or you'll soon be totally blind.'

"'Well,' said Pat, 'I guess I've seen about everything.'

"Here is one of the latest baseballisms:

"'A foul, a foal,' howled a crank from the grand stand.

"'Nonsense,' said his wife, 'I see no feathers.'

"'Of course not. This is a picked nine.'

"Speaking of Mr. Depew's latest dog story reminds me of another.

"'Rory O'More, there,' said an Irishman, pointing to his canine asleep in the corner. 'Rory O'More is the most intelligent beast I ever saw. That dog understands every blessed word I say to him. Begorra, I'm studying German just to see if I can throw him off.'

"Ever hear the story of the great statesman who resembled Daniel Webster? A politician settled himself in the chair of an old colored barber who had shaved the Massachusetts statesman and orator.

"'They tell me, Uncle, that I resemble Daniel Webster. What do you think of it?'

"'Well, boss, I tink myself dat you done resember my ole fren'.'

"'Just in what particular do you see a resemblance between me and the great statesman?'

"'Well, I don't 'zactly see de resembrance, boss; hit's mostly in yo' bref.'"

ROBERT W. CRISWELL.

Tackle Making.

Save shooting, no sport, perhaps, has connected with it more steady-going business in the way of appliances than has angling, and it will rather surprise many to know that there are hundreds of patents—some of them bringing in thousands a year—dealing with fishing appliances.

The trade, too, is notable for the fact that, save in the making of rods and hooks in the rough, women are the chief workers, almost the whole of the dainty flies and well-secured hooks being tied by girls and women, some of whom can fabricate hundreds of trout-flies in a day. At least four-fifths of the fishing tackle-making employees are women, many of whom possibly never saw a man fishing in their lives.

Another notable fact in connection with the trade is that many of the manufacturing firms have been established for from fifty to one hundred years. England and America — but chiefly the former—supply the fishing tackle of the whole world, and all the principal manufacturers have special stocks for India, the Australian colonies, and the most remote waters of the globe.

As to patents, one man has made a fortune out of an artificial spinning bait, and another who invented so apparently simple an appliance as a novel kind of rod ring for the line to run through sold the patent for $50,000.

Where Noah Kept His Bees.

Dr. James K. Hosmer, while recently visiting Boston, had occasion to visit the new public library. As he went up the steps he met Edward Everett Hale, who asked the Doctor his errand.

"To consult the archives," was the reply.

"By the way, Hosmer," said Dr. Hale, "do you know where Noah kept his bees?"

"No," answered Hosmer.

"In the ark hives," said the venerable preacher, as he passed out of earshot.—Ladies' Home Journal.

He Knew What He Wanted.

"Do you want my daughter for her money or for herself?" demanded the old gentleman.

"It's this way," stammered the young man, as he tripped backwards over the edge of the rug. "I want her for myself and I want her money for herself, and I want both of them for ourselves, and you certainly must understand."

A GIFTED POETESS.

PORTO RICO'S "NIGHTINGALE OF THE HILLS."

An Interesting Sketch of the Career of Lola Rodriquez de Tio, Whose Songs Have Added Fuel to the Freedom Forging Flames.

Lola Rodriguez de Tio is a woman with three reputations, each of them excellent and extraordinary. She ranks high among the world's conchologists, as a poetess she is read with keen emotion and delight wherever the Spanish language is understood, and as a public speaker she is one of the leaders of Porto Rican thought. An exile from her native island of Porto Rico, and a refugee from Cuba, whence she fled from the wrath of Weyler with her husband, also an exile, some time before the butcher was recalled, she is living now in New York city, with Signor Tio and their daughter, a graduate in philosophy of the University of Havana. The Tio home is a charming center of the intellectual life of the Porto Rican colony and affords an admirable illustration of the hospitality for which Porto Rico is so famous. There the poetess holds court, and with her husband, formerly the editor of those outspoken papers, La Razon and La Patria, debates before her friends upon the future of the island they love so fondly.

Signora Tio, "the nightingale of the hills," as the Porto Ricans call her, was born in the Villa de las Lomas, San Yerman, in September, 1851. Her grandmother had been a writer of distinction and an admirable linguist. Her father was a doctor of laws, a scholar and an eloquent advocate with practice extending over the whole island. His example was her inheritance. She learned unconsciously from him to speak directly and agreeably and to write gracefully. He was an autonomist, though at that time the government of Porto Rico forbade the use of that word by any political party on the island, saying it was only a synonym for Separatist. The daughter took kindly to her father's ideas, and when hardly in her 'teens was an out and out Separatist. She wrote many popular songs and ballads full of the spirit of freedom. These had a wide circulation and were the lullabys of many a Porto Rican household.

Dr. Nalverde, a political exile from San Domingo, and a friend of Signor Rodriguez, interested himself in the girl's education, being attracted by her gift of poesy, and instructed her in the Spanish classical style. She was an apt scholar and soon composed verse that attracted attention throughout the Spanish West Indies and even in Spain. In 1873, the year that saw the end of slavery in Porto Rico, Lola Rodriguez, then just 22 year old, made an address at the graduation exercises of the college in Mayaguez. She was the first woman in the island to speak publicly before an audience. It was a time of much political excitement. Porto Ricans were eager for reform. They wished Spain to separate the military and civil departments of the government. They were willing, they said, to have a captain general, but let him confine himself to military affairs exclusively and let another man hold the chief civil office. They wished also to elect their own provincial governors, instead of having them sent over by Spain, who appointed them not because of their fitness, but because she wished them out of the way. These worthy Spanish appointees shed tears on leaving their beloved Spain, but swore upon their honor to return again as soon as they had stolen enough to pay their debts. Another thing the native Porto Ricans wished was freedom of the press. The captain general's regulations demanded that at least four hours before any paper was issued the proof sheets should be sent to the censor for approval. His blue pencil was a judgment against which there was no appeal.

The signorita spoke eloquently, though guardedly of all these things. She besought Spain to give a mother's love to her child, far from her, almost hidden in the bosom of the sea, and she prayed that the child should show herself worthy of such love and deserving of perfect trust. The grace of the speaker's manner, the beauty of her language, won all hearts, and the brave words she spoke wrought her audience to the highest pitch of enthusiasm. In a day she had added to her fame throughout the island. She was poetess and prophetess in one. Her college address was the beginning of an active propaganda in Porto Rico that ended only when she and her husband were offered their choice between jail and the wide, wide world.

La Razon and La Patria were suppressed, but the words of the patriot editor remained in the minds of the people. Even a captain general cannot imprison an idea. Nor could the ballads and poems of the sweet singer of the hills be exiled. The first volume, "Mes Cantares," appeared in 1876, and soon was in every book stall in Mexico, Central America, South America, the West Indies and even in Spain. A second volume appeared in Caracas, Venezuela, in 1878, followed by "Mis Poesias" in 1880, and "Mi Libro de Cuba" in 1892. In Caracas a warm friendship sprang up between the Tios and Professor Hostos, who was then at the head of educational affairs in Venezuela. After two years in Caracus a new governor general came from Spain to Porto Rico and the poetess returned to her native island, where she and her husband continued the work they had done so much to promote in earlier years. In the meantime Signora Tio' poems were gaining fame for the authoress. An Italian critic known as Amicis, was adding to his reputation by translating them. Fasteurath was calling them to the attention of the Germans and several French critics, among them Pierre Loti, were putting them into copy for the Parisian publishers. In Spain Mendez Pelayo, a member of the academy, a distinguished critic, called a meeting of his confreres, among whom were Peuaranda, Balayuer, Campillo and Lepoldo Alaz, who sent a testimonial of congratulation to Signora Tio and a diamond brooch in the symbolic design of a harp. This is the proudest of her possessions.

In 1887 Porto Rico was again too uncomfortable, owing to official persecutions, and the Tios came to New York, whence they soon went to Cuba. Then the poetess, who for some years had been gathering and classifying the shells of the Antilles as a recreation and diversion from her political and literary work, made the acquaintance of several eminent naturalists, who brought her to the notice of their friends in other parts of the world. She received many contributions from distant lands. One enthusiastic conchologist in the Philippines, no less a personage than the captain general himself, wrote that the interest her exquisite verse had awakened in him had been augmented intensely now that he learned from his esteemed friend, Carlos de la Torre, that the queen of verse had rare knowledge of shells as well as rythm. He begged her to accept a few specimens from the island of the Pacific. With the letter came a complete collection of the shells of the Philippine islands.

While the Tios were in Cuba Signorita Tio entered the University of Havana and in due course was graduated from that famous seat of learning with the degree of doctor of philosophy. Signor Tio was busy with his editorial work and the poetess carried on her propaganda against Spanish oppression. In 1892 her fourth volume of poems appeared and the Spanish speaking world accorded it a hearty welcome. The outbreak of the revolution gave much encouragement to the cause for which the Tios had dedicated their lives, but with the coming of Weyler they soon suffered a persecution compared to which their troubles in Porto Rico were mild indeed, and they were glad to escape with their lives.

POP CORN FOR INSOMNIA.

New cure That Has Proved Efficacious Wherever Tried.

A northern business man living in the south has found an agreeable cure for insomnia. It answered perfectly in his case, and no longer needing it as medicine he continues it as food. It is a most agreeable dish of pop corn. The corn is popped in the usual wire basket, and while hot it is put in a hot bowl. Scalding milk is poured over it, and in two minutes it is soft and ready to be sprinkled with sugar, unless salt and pepper are preferred. The addition of a little vanilla transforms the juvenile favorite into a delicate hasty pudding. To keep the corn after gathering, put it (on the cob) in a cool place; if shelled it loses its moisture sooner, and after a while will not pop. The place where other corn is kept is best to preserve it in. Pop corn hot served in bowls of hot milk is a southern refection at card parties.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Ingrowing Toe Nails.

This is a very common and troublesome affection, and most usually occurs by the side of the big toe. The surrounding soft parts first become swelled and inflamed by constant pressure against the edge of the nail from the use of tight shoes. If this is allowed to continue, an ulcer is formed in which the edge of the nail is imbedded. The pain from this, in some instances, is sufficiently severe to prevent walking. When this condition is arrived at a doctor's treatment becomes necessary.

The first object is to remove the cause, the tight shoe, then proceed to lessen the irritation and reduce the swelling. After soaking in hot water, the nail should be thinned by scraping, and, if very painful, a linseed poultice will give relief. When the irritation has thoroughly subsided, soft cotton should be pressed between the flesh and the nail, and then, if the skin is not broken, it should be slightly saturated with tincture of iodine. Repeat the treatment for several days, after which the tenderness will disappear.

Notes of Interest.

Among the queen ants captured in and around Buluwayo, for which a prize of half-a-crown is paid by the sanitary board, have been some specimens measuring four and a half inches and as thick as a man's thumb.

The curfew law obtains in Seoul, Korea. When the huge bronze bell of the city proclaims the hour of sunset and the time for closing the gates, every man is obliged to retire to his home, under pain of flogging.

Germany and Austria have about 150 cooking schools. A four years' course is necessary before the student obtains a diploma. Most of the hotel chefs have diplomas from these schools.

The time necessary for the conversion of a forest tree, or a part of it, into a printed paper, in a recent test made in Germany, was two hours and twenty-five minutes.

A proposal has been made by a French chemist to obtain easily assimilable iron tonics from vegetables by feeding the plants judiciously with iron fertilisers.

A Reason For Her Hope.

First Fair American: "I do hope the Government will hold on to the Philippines."

Second Ditto: "Why? In what way are you specially interested in the Philippines?"

"George says that if they are still in our possession next spring, we'll go there on our wedding trip."

SPORTING.

GOLF.

At the monthly meeting of the trustees of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club Monday night the following active members were elected: Miss Marion P. Bowen, Messrs. Duncan W. Taylor, Frank A. Pattison, William W. Moore, Ellis W. Hedges, Francis G. Moore, Brockholst K. Miller, Frederick W. Perry, Walter J. Moore, W J. B Thiers and Edgar S. Hyatt. S. Durell Lounsbery, of Somerville, was elected a non-resident member, and Mrs. Walter J. Moore, Mrs. Frederick W. Perry, Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, Miss Anna W. Miller, Mrs. Frank A. Pattison, Mrs. Duncan W. Taylor, Richard L. Minford and Lewis W. Minford.

Yesterday was comparatively quiet at the course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club. The event of interest was the play of the first and second rounds for the Chapman championship cup. In the first round W. L. Glenny beat Reeve Stockton, Augustus Shepard beat W. R. Richards, C. W. Fisk beat J. H. P. Wharton, A. R. Fisk beat H. D. West. In the second round Augustus Shepard beat W. L. Glenny, C. W. Fisk beat A. R. Fisk. The finals will be played next Saturday between C. W. Fisk and Augustus Shepard. During the day there was a large complement of players on the course and there was a great deal of individual play. The usual tea was given in the afternoon in the clubhouse and was well attended. Many who were present during the day attended the opening of the Park Golf Club later in the afternoon. This had a tendency to decrease the attendance at the grounds somewhat.

AT THE TRAPS.

The final shoot in the Central New Jersey Trap Shooters' League and the regular monthly shoot of the Climax Gun Club will take place next Saturday on the grounds of the Climax Gun Club. The Climax Gun Club has scored three wins, the New Brunswick two, and the Dunellen two. If either the Dunellen or New Brunswick club wins on Saturday this will leave a tie with the Climax Club in the contest for the Peters' Cartridge Co's. trophy, and the tie will be shot off Saturday.

CYCLING COMMENT.

An unknown bicycle rider got caught in the street car tracks at the corner of Watchung avenue and East Fifth street yesterday afternoon and sustained a severe fall.

REPUBLICAN SWEEP.

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Pro., 11.

For members of General Assembly, Edgar, VanAnglen and Silvers, Rep., 143; Eckert, Ridgeway and Quaid, Dem., 140; Marshall, Garrison and Horner, Pro., 11.

Crane's plurality over Voorhees' was 26. Howell's over Convery's 30. The Republicans gave each of the candidates for Assembly 3 plurality.

NEW MARKET.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

New Market, N. J., Nov. 9.—New Market gave Foster M. Voorhees a plurality of 97 votes over Crane yesterday and he ran 6 ahead of his ticket. 451 votes were cast, of which 267 were Rep.; 172 Dem.; 7 Pro.; 5 County Dem.; and 11 Socialistic Labor.

The vote for Governor was as follows: Voorhees, Rep, 273; Crane, Dem., 176; Maguire, Socialist Labor, 11; Landon, Pro., 7.

For member of Congress, Howell, Rep., 274; Convery, Dem., 161; Williams, Socialist, 11; Bird, Pro., 7.

For members of Assembly, Edgar, Rep., 267; VanAnglen, Rep., 267; Silvers, Rep., 266. Eckert, Dem., 172; Ridgeway, Dem., 171; Quaid, Dem., 173. Marshall, Garrison and Horner, Pro., 7.

Voorhees' majority over Crane was 97; Howell's over Convery's, 113.

UNION COUNTY.

In Mountainside borough, Voorhees received 17 plurality, Fowler 21 plurality, Cross 21 plurality, Murray 18.

In the First district, Westfield, Voorhees received 133 plurality. Fowler 131 plurality, Cross 135 plurality, Murray 130 plurality.

In the second district, Westfield, Voorhees received 110 plurality, Fowler 97 plurality, Cross 107 plurality, and Murray 93 plurality.

The pluralities in Clark township were Crane 2, Snyder 2, Ford 4. The coroners ran even.

The pluralities in Cranford were Voorhees 120. Fowler 129. Cross 118 Murray 91. Houston 80. Squier 51.

Linden borough gave Crane 5 plurality. Linden township gave Crane 14 plurality.

Roselle gave Voorhees 180 plurality Union township gave Voorhees 125 plurality.

FANWOOD BOROUGH.

For Governor, Voorhees, Rep., 50; Crane, Dem., 20. For Congress, Fowler, Rep., 50; Snyder, Dem., 17. For Senator, Cross, Rep., 49; Ford, Dem., 17. For Assembly, Houston, Rep., 49; Squier, Rep., 48; Murray, Rep., 50; Collins, Dem., 18; Scudder, Dem., 18; Higgins, Dem., 18. For Coroner, Randolph, Rep., 46; Horning, Dem., 18.

FANWOOD TOWNSHIP.

GOVERNOR.

Voorhees, R.	149
Crane, D.	105

Majority, 44.

CONGRESS.

Fowler, R.	151
Snyder, D.	102

Majority, 49.

SENATOR.

Cross, R.	149
Ford, D.	104

Majority, 45.

ASSEMBLY.

Murray, R.	149
Houston, R.	149
Squire, R.	144
Collins, D.	100
Scudder, D.	111
Higgins, D.	103

Murray's majority 49. Houston's majority 49. Squire's majority 41.

CORONER.

Randolph, R.	143
Horning, D.	104

Majority, 39.

Total vote, 261. Republican ticket, 150. Democratic ticket, 104.

NORTH PLAINFIELD BOR.

GOVENOR.

	1st dist.	2d dist.	Total.
Voorhees, Rep.	320	256	576
Crane, Dem.	184	169	353
Landon, Pro.	7	12	19
Maguire, S. L.			
Schraysbum, Peo.			
Crane, U'ty Dem.		3	3

Voorhees, plu. 223.

CONGRESSMAN.

	1st dist.	2d dist.	Total.
Howell, Rep.	328	262	590
Convery, Dem.	180	165	345
Bird, Pro.	7	12	19
Williams, S. L.			

Howell's plu. 245.

ASSEMBLY.

	1st dist.	2d dist.	Total.
Cooper, Rep.	306	262	568
Childs, Dem.	197	166	363
Rhodes, Pro.	7	12	19

Cooper's plu. 205.

SHERIFF.

	1st dist.	2d dist.	Total.
VanDoren, Rep.	320	261	581
Scho'nm'k'r, Dem.	188	167	355
Murphy, Pro	7	12	19

VanDoren's plu. 226.

CORONER.

	1st dist.	2d dist.	Total.
Reed, Rep.	316	257	573
Demott, Rep.	282	247	529
Brady, Dem.	175	163	338
Adams, Dem.	235	191	426
Lunger, Pro.	7	12	19
Dutchers, Pro.	7	12	19

Reed's plu. 147.

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JAPAN'S CRYSANTHEMUM.

A National Authority Writes Concerning Its Origin.

James Morton, who has spent years in the culture of the chrysanthemum and is the national authority on its culture and history has written the following concerning its oriental status:

There are good reasons for supposing that the chrysanthemum was cultivated with much devotion by the gardeners of both China and Japan for centuries before its importation into Europe. A well known traveller in those countries tells us in one of his works that "so great a favorite is the chrysanthemum with the Chinese gardeners that no persuasion will deter them from its culture, and they will frequently resign their situations rather than be forbidden by their employers to grow it." In support of this statement he relates the experience of an English resident in that country, who, without the slightest interest in the plant was compelled to allow his native gardener the pleasure of cultivating it solely on that account. The Chinese often train the chrysanthemum into curious and fantastic forms, such as pagodas, horses, stags, ships, etc. Another peculiar method of culture practiced at Cheayuen, where it is entensively cultivated, is the grafting of cuttings into stout stems of Artemisia indica as a stock. Among the Japanese the chrysanthemum is no less prized than in China, and they display great skill in its culture, calling it the Queen of Flowers. At the most popular of the Japanese festivals the people display effigies of their traditional heroes constructed of massive chrysanthemum blossoms, Benkei, the Japanese Hercules, appearing gorgeously appareled in white, yellow and purple pompons.

In many other ways the Chinese and Japanese reveal their love for this plant, but probably in no more apparent and lasting manner than by applying the talent of their most skillful artists to portray its fair form and vivid coloring on their pottery and household fabrics, as well as in numberless illustrated books and pamphlets.

In Japan the Imperial Order of the Chrysanthemum is the most distinguished decoration of the empire. It was founded in 1876, and consists of a star and collar hung around the neck by a riband, the whole work being in gold, silver and enamels. Bestowed, with rare exceptions, only upon royal personages, it is consequently considered a very high distinction among European sovereigns who have been wearers of this mark of the Mikado's favor. The chrysanthemum, or "kiku," as it is called in Japan, is also one of the crest badges of the imperial family, and is used as an official seal. The hilts of the swords forged by the Empero. Go Toba, who ascended the throne in 1186, had the kiku figured upon them.

The chrysanthemum season in Japan is looked forward to with much pleasure, and the different communities manifest the greatest enthusiasm in its culture. A certain day is set apart as a festival, when all turn out to pay due homage to their national emblem, the many-hued chrysanthemum. During their blooming period the gardens of all the prominent florists present an exhibition of great beauty. Each evening for many weeks the notables of rank, as well as the peasants in holiday attire join in the happy festivities. The fetes are always held in the evenings and the grounds are beautifully illuminated, presenting a scene brilliant beyond description. His Majesty also opens his gardens at the imperial palace on this grand fete day. All the highest native officials and foreign residents of distinction are present, and invitations are highly prized and much sought after. It is one of the few occasions when the Empress is to be seen in public. She delights in having the most dainty handkerchiefs of gauze embroidered in chrysanthemums of all colors. Her ladies of honor also appear in gorgeous dresses with chrysanthemums worked upon them. Upon this occasion the display of the national flower is said to be unequaled. Nowhere can they be found in such profusion, so fully developed and brilliant in color, while the rich imperial violet silk with which the tents and buildings are draped bear upon them the heraldic kiku in all its pristine loveliness. As the day draws to a close the people return to their homes to complete the slow process of intoxication by drinking saki, into which are thrown the blooms of chrysanthemums, which, they suppose, will preserve them from evil the coming year.

A Nice Distinction.

It was the unusual duty of a Los Angeles clergiman of great physical and intellectual girth to deliver the dedicatory address at the opening of a new cemetery. The burying ground was swept by a high wind which was blowing from the sea at the time. The parson showed himself as wise as witty in his apology for keeping his head covered during his mental performance.

"I do not remove my hat," he remarked, "because, while I am willing to be the first incumbent of this cemetery, I do not want to be its first occupant."—San Francisco News Letter.

A medical journal advises against the excessive use of salt. It is first of all a perversion of taste, the condiment destroying the flavor of delicate dishes if too pronounced. Furthermore, it is asserted that an excessive use of salt seriously overtaxes the kidney to remove it, and that many cases of derangement and disease are due to this excessive use. The salt habit, it is added, is easily acquired, and persons indulging themselves soon reach a point where nothing is palatable that it is not strongly impregnated with salt.

TO SAVE MARIA TERESA.

Navy Department Orders Two Vessels to Cat Island to Rescue Her.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The navy department is without advices concerning the Maria Teresa, but, acting on newspaper statements of her reported stranding on Cat island in the Watling group, has sent orders to the Vulcan, at Norfolk, and the Potomac at Santiago, to leave immediately for Cat island, and if the vessel is found to do everything possible to save her.

The expedition will be under the command of Captain McCalla, who commanded the Marblehead in the Spanish war, and is now in charge of the Norfolk navy yard.

The Vulcan should reach the scene in forty-eight hours, and the Potomac in less time.

Secretary Long and Assistant Secretary Allen expressed great hope that the reports about the Maria Teresa were true.

They acknowledge that they have only the newspaper dispatches to go upon, and nothing official.

Yet the secretary thought they were sufficient to order the searching party of the Vulcan and the Potomac.

The two vessels will coast and cruise up and down the Atlantic until they meet each other, and if the Teresa is afloat they will certainly come across her.

The Vulcan has on board everything to render assistance to the cruiser and she can be repaired if necessary.

Assistant Secretary Allen said if anybody could save the Teresa, if she is afloat and can be saved, Captain McCalla is the man, and that is why he was sent on the Vulcan.

No News at Nassau.

Nassau, New Providence, Nov. 9.—No information is obtainable here which in any way tends to confirm the report in circulation in the United States that the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa, which was abandoned in a sinking condition off Watling island on November 1, has been sighted aground off Cat island of the Bahama group.

The rumor that the cruiser has been sighted is discredited here.

Maria Teresa Located.

Norfolk, Va., The Merritt Wrecking Company has received information that the former Spanish cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa is ashore at Cat island.

Captain Chittenden will leave here with the steam tug Merritt at once for Cat island.

Troops for Manila.

San Francisco, Nov. 9.—The transport Newport has sailed for the Philippines with General Miller and staff. On this ship were thirteen ladies, wives of officers who are going to and some of whom are at Manila.

The troops were the First battalion of the Twentieth Kansas regiment, the Wyoming Light Battery, Assistant Surgeon Charles S. Huffman and Acting Assistant Surgeon Hanna, members of the Hospital Corps, and clerks attached to headquarters.

The war department has chartered the steamer St. Paul from the Alaska Commercial Company to sail to Manila November 7, carrying supplies for the army.

The United States training ship Adams on or before December 1, will start on a seven months' cruise after receiving her batteries at Mare island.

She will proceed from here to Magdalena bay, where she will spend the month, and then go to Honolulu and Oriental ports.

The Panama Arrives.

New York, Nov. 9.—The United States transport Panama, from Santiago via Havana, arrived at quarantine yesterday with ninety officers and soldiers. The Panama left Santiago October 31, touching at Havana on November 3, for a few hours, where Congressman Dalzell and party of five landed.

The transport then proceeded on the voyage and experienced variable winds and weather.

She will remain at anchor off quarantine until she is ordered to proceed to the city.

Captain Hanlon was much surprised to learn that any uneasiness had been felt for the ship's safety.

He said that shortly after leaving Santiago he ordered the vessel cleaned up between decks. Numerous boxes and other material were thrown overboard, and drifted toward shore, and this no doubt gave rise to the report that the transport had been wrecked.

The Nova Scotia Fisheries.

Montreal, Nov. 9.—The Nova Scotia shore fisheries are by far the worst in years. This is true alike on the western and eastern coasts, except in parts of Cape Breton.

Notwithstanding this, the receipts just now at the port of Halifax are fair, but this is considered due to all the available fish being hurried into market.

The close of next month will show a decided shortage.

In the herring fishery there is not half an average. The bank catch, it is estimated, will be 13,000 quintals less than last season.

The Magdalen islands mackerel catch is the best for two years, but in Nova Scotia very little has been done.

Heavy Snow-storms in Alaska.

Port Townsend, Wash., Nov. 9.—The City of Topeka arrived Monday night from Alaska, bringing 114 passengers. She reports that heavy snow storms have visited various sections of Alaska and nearly all mining operations have been suspended, except quartz mills, located near tidal water.

On November 2 four feet of snow fell on Chilkoot and White passes, which completely put a stop to travel.

Telephone messages from Lake Linderman to Skaguay announce that about four hundred persons are snow bound there.

A Pittsburgh Brewery Scheme.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 9.—Negotiations are in progress for the formation of a corporation, capitalized at about $20,000,000, to take in all the local breweries.

The intention of the promoters is to merge the interests of the sixteen breweries in Allegheny county and operate them as one great company.

FEATS OF THE CAVALRY HORSE.

Douglas' Plucky Ride Through Rain and Mud to General Ewell.

The one sad feature about the war is that the cavalry horse was not tested. In fact the muddy roads, the long distances required for transportation made this almost impossible. Yet some wonderful feats have been performed by our horsemen to train them for the campaigns of actual warfare. General King tells of a plucky ride made in the seventies by Lieut. James F. Bell, of the Seventh, just to show what our mounted soldiers could have done had the campaign developed. Bell was ordered to Medora, a little town at the crossing of the Little Missouri by the Northern Pacific railway, where he found important dispatches for his brother officer, Lieutenant Garlington, then in the field, and, all alone, Bell rode away from Medora at sunrise on an August morning, covered fifty to fifty-five miles through the roughest country in the Northwest by noon, got a fresh mount in Captain Varnum's camp, and just after sunset reached Garlington. The distance covered was at least one hundred miles, and the gait was trot or gallop all the way.

The records of the cavalry regiments on duty in Arizona or Wyoming during the Indian campaigns of the last twenty years furnishes numerous instances of long rides of this character.

The annals of the great war have many more—perhaps the most remarkable being that of Henry Kyd Douglas, now Adjutant-General of Maryland, but at the time a young officer selected to bear despatches for Stonewall Jackson, through pitchy darkness, over river and mountain, from Harrisonburg in the Shenandoah valley, around Massanutten mountain, over the Blue Ridge through Swift Run gap, then by way of Stannardsville, Madison Court-House, Culpeper, and Brandy Station, to General Ewell, then "in the field." Douglas started just after sundown of an April evening, and in a pouring rain splashed through mud and mire and the blackness of Erebus over the mountain trail; exchanged his gallant blooded mare for a big, raw-boned racer some forty miles from the starting point; used up mount No. 2 in a fifteen-mile spurt to Madison C. H., where he swapped him for a little gray which stumbled in the mire and darkness after a run of barely a mile, and could not be induced to rise. The magic of Jackson's name won him mount No. 4, who carried him nine miles and gave place to a gaunt roan. The next stage was the eleven-mile dash to Culpeper, where, in the faint, cold glimmer of dawn, the young officer reached General Dick Taylor, who steered him on to Brandy Station and beyond. Just twenty hours from the start, Douglas found General Ewell and delivered his rain-soaked despatches. He had covered the entire distance, of one hundred and five miles in less than twenty hours.

NEWS READINGS IN DAWSON.

Enterprising Man Makes $300 Reading to the Miners.

A novel story is told by the Portland Oregonian about the way the news of the blowing up of the Maine was received in Dawson City. An enterprising Yankee got hold of the first copy of a newspaper containing the account. He made arrangements for getting the news abroad in this business like fashion:

Renting a vacant saloon building, he caused bulletins to be issued giving an inkling of the character of the news that had been received, most judiciously worded, and announcing that the full account would be read in public in the evening in the mammoth one story log edifice next the Blue Ruin dive on Brimstone street; admission two pennyweights of gold, ranging in value from $1.50 to $1.75.

At the appointed time the miners gathered to hear the news, and two hundred or more of them tossed their gold dust into the door keeper's scales and crowded inside. The reading was satisfactory, if the news was not, and there was no grumbling about the investment. No less than $300 and probably much more, was realized from that idea. The reader was a liberal sort of chap, and he read the other news in the paper merely as a courtesy to the assembly.

This practice grew as the nation neared war and after the war began, and it is a frequent occurrence for a public reading of important news to be given in Dawson at so much per head for permission. And the cooped up men pay for nothing more cheerfully than war news. Their liberality in this matter is sometimes taken advantage of, and stale stuff palmed off for news, and even the Dawson City public is discriminating in this particular, and is strongly disposed to resent the swindle.

Sacred Fires of India.

The sacrtd fires of India have not all been extinguished. The most ancient, which still exists, was consecrated 12 centuries ago in commemoration of the voyage made by the Parsees when they emigrated from Persia to India. The fire is fed five times every twenty-four hours with sandalwood and other fragrant materials, combined with very dry fuel. This fire, in the village of Oodwada, near Bulsar, is visited by Parsees in large numbers during the months alloted to the presiding genius of fire.

Mr. Gotrox—But you are a poor man, and my daughter has been accustomed to every concelvable luxury. Do you think she could stand such a change?

Impecunious Lover—Certainly, sir. Just see how readily those rich Rough Riders took to hard tack and bacon. —Judge.

A Special Manufacturers' Sale of Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Fine Clothing

consisting of high-grade fall and winter suits, overcoats, ulsters, reefers, trousers, etc., respresenting a value of over $16,000. This extensive offering is a combination of leading New York City, Boston and Rochester manufacturers, who, owing to the lateness of the season, have asked us to dispose of their large surplus stock of merchandise, to which we invite your attention. Remember that every garment bears the name of the maker, and in order to give the public an idea of the marvelous bargains to be had here, a few prices are here mentioned.

Men's melton cass fall suits that are sold in any and every store at $12 to $14, can be had here at $4.75. English diagonal dress suits worth $18 go at $7.50 Elegant imported worsted Prince Albert silk and satin lined suits at $8.90, worth $22. Men's business suits, strictly all wool, latest deeigns, worth $10, at $3.50. Men's fancy silk striped trousers worth $4 50, at $1.90. Men's fancy dress trousers at $2 50, worth $6. Boys' suits worth $4 at $1 45. Men's elegant fall overcoats, some silk and satin lined, $4.50 and $5.50, worth $13. Nobby youths' suits $4, worth $9 50. English fall top coats, silk or satin lined, $6.75, worth $18. Men's cheviot sack suits worth $14 at $4.75. Imported Vienna English box fall and winter overcoats, lined with heavy twill silk, $7.25, worth $19. Foreign wide wale worsted dress suits, silk faced, worth $22, at $8.50, Double or single breasted cheviot suits at $5.90, worth $12. Men's elegant cassimere frock suits at $7 50, worth $17. Men's heavy blue cloth double breasted suits at $8 40, worth $16. Men's blue kersey overcoats $6 90, worth $15. Young men's dress suits $5 75, worth $14. Men's melton cassimere pants 90c., worth $2. Men's imported clay diagonal dress suits, silk lined, worth $21, at $8 50. And thousands of other extraordinary bargains not mentioned here to be sold in the next 8 days at less than 50 per cent of the cost of making.

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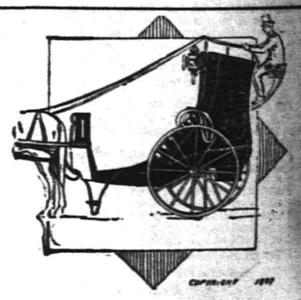

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POLITICAL PLUMS FOR VOORHEES TO DROP.

Patronage That Next Governor Will Distribute.

MANY IMPORTANT PLACES.

WILL APPOINT A SUCCESSOR TO HIS LATE OPPONENT IN ESSEX.

A Number of Prosecutors and Judges Will be Appointed by Mr. Voorhees, Among Them a Successor to Judge Bartine in Somerset County—High Salaries and Great Power Go With Many of the Selections.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Nov. 10—The Governor-elect Voorhees will have a large number of offices to fill, but not as many as were filled by Governor Griggs in his term of but little over two years.

The appointments to be made by the next Governor will be found below:

In 1901 the term of Chancellor McGill will expire. The Chancellor will then have completed two terms of seven years each as the head of the Court of Chancery. In the same year the fifth term of Supreme Court Justice Depue will expire, and in the year previous, 1900, Justice Lippincott will have finished his first term on the Supreme Court bench. Chancellor McGill is a Democrat, as is also Justice Lippincott. Justice Depue is a Republican. None of the terms of the appointed (so called "lay") Judges of the Court of Errors will expire during the term of the next Governor.

The terms of Circuit Court Judges Child and Miller, both Democrats, will expire in 1900. The names of the outgoing County Judges and Prosecutors, together with the year of their retirements and their politics are as follows:

In 1899: Judges—Joseph H. Gaskill, Rep., Burlington; Jas. R. Hoagland, Dem., Cumberland.

Prosecutors — William A. Logue, Dem., Cumberland; Elvin W. Crane, Dem., Essex.

In 1900: Judges—Robert S. Woodruff, Dem., Mercer; J. Clarence Conover, Dem., Monmouth; John D. Bartine, Dem., Somerset.

Prosecutors—Peter W. Stagg, Dem., Bergen; Eckard P. Bull, Dem., Burlington; Wilson H. Jenkins, Dem., Camden; Jonathan W. Acton, Dem., Salem; Nelson Y. Dungan, Dem., Somerset.

In 1901: Judges—Henry S. Douglass, Cape May; H. Burdett Herr, Hunterdon; Woodbridge Strong, Middlesex; Clement H. Sinnickson, Salem; all Republicans.

Prosecutors—Lewis Starr, Gloucester; Walter F. Hayhurst, Hunterdon; John H. Voorhees, Middlesex; Eugene Emley, Passaic; Geogre A. Angle, Warren, all Republicans.

Besides the above judicial appointments the next Governor will have the naming in 1901 of successors to the following named District Court Judges: Jeline, Camden; Atwater, Elizabeth; Bedle, Jersey City; Guild and McCarter, Newark; Bellstab, Trenton, and Lewis, Paterson. Judges Bedle and Guild are Democrats, appointed by Governor Griggs, and all the others are Republicans.

The term of Chancery Clerk Lewis A. Thompson will expire in 1901, as will also the terms of State School Superintendent Charles J. Baxter and State Road Commissioner H. I. Budd, in 1899; Bank and Insurance Commissioner Wm. Bettle, and State Prison Inspector E. J. Anderson, in 1900, and State Factory Inspector John Ward, in 1901; all of these are Republicans.

The next Governor will also have the appointment, in 1899, of successors of the six members of the Board of Prison Inspectors and of the four members of the Riparian Commission. These boards are both bi-partisan, as is the State Board of Taxation. Of the members of the latter board, the terms of Commissionrs Black (Dem.) and Lentz (Rep.) will expire in 1901. All of the members of the State Board of Assessors will retire within the next three years; Messrs. Green and Meeker (Dems.) in 1900, and Messrs. Spencer and Gibbs in 1901. In the latter year the terms of the four members of the State Board of Arbitration will also expire.

Among the less lucrative offices that will become vacant are: All sixteen of the places on the State Board of Education, five of the eight places on the board of managers of the State Hospital for the Insane at Morristown, and two on the Trenton Asylum Board, six Commissioners of Pilotage, the four places on the Fish and Game Commission and two members of the State Board of Health.

There are also minor places, from a political standpoint, such as on the State Board of Medical Examiners, State Board of Pharmacy and State Board of Dentistry.

A FANWOOD MARRIAGE.

CELEBRATED IN ALL SAINTS EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The Edifice Handsomely Decorated for the Occasion—Miss Grace Estelle Kyte Was the Charming and Pretty Bride.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 10.—A pretty church wedding took place in All Saints Episcopal church, last evening, when Grace Estelle, daughter of Henry Kyte, and granddaughter of Charles Kyte, of Fanwood, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Stanton William Pentz, of Bergen Point. The church was filled with friends and relatives.

The marriage has been looked for ward to by all as one of the leading society events of the season. The church was handsomely trimmed with white chrysanthemums, evergreens and holly. A large arch of chrysanthemums and evergreens had been erected over the centre of the chancel rail, and under this the couple pledged their troth.

To the strains of the wedding march first came the four ushers, Messrs. Marclay Pentz, brother of the groom, L. V. B. Cameron, Howard Tyrell and George Wicks, all of Bergen Point, followed by the maid-of-honor, Miss Elizabeth Kyte, sister of the bride.

Then came the four bridemaids, Miss Alice Maud Kyte, Miss Marguerite Kyte, Miss Ethel Kyte and Miss Jean Pentz. The bride appeared leaning upon the arm of her grandfather who gave her away. The bride's gown was a creation of real valenciennes lace and white organdie.

The bridal party was met near the chancel-rail by the groom and his best man, Adam Pentz, a brother. The party then proceeded to their positions under the large arch, where they were met by Rev. Lewis Cameron, rector of the Holy Communion church, of South Orange, who performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Edward True, rector of the church.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's grandfather after the ceremony, but only the relatives and a few intimate friends of the couple attended.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Pentz will take up their residence in Bergen Point.

HOW UNION WENT.

The Republican Candidate's Home County Rolled Up 2,167 Majority for Him.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, November 10—Voorhees' plurality in Union county is now placed at 2,167; Fowler's, 2,443; Cross, 1,986. The Republican Assemblyman are elected by an average plurality of 2,200.

Elizabeth's vote is: Voorhees, 4,050; Crane, 3,810; Voorhees' plurality, 240. Fowler, 4,004; Snyder, 3,761; Fowler's plurality, 243. Senator, Ford, Dem., 3,969; Cross, Rep., 3,817; Ford's plurality, 152 in the city.

The semi-official returns from Union county are as follows:

PLURALITIES FOR VOORHEES.

Cranford	120
Fanwood	44
Fanwood Borough	27
Mountainside Borough	17
New Providence	52
Summit	92
Union	126
Springfield	44
Roselle	188
Westfield	244
Rahway	179
Plainfield	820
Elizabeth	240
Total	2193

PLURALITIES FOR CRANE.

Linden Borough	4
Linden Township	14
Clark Township	8
Total	26

Gas Jet too Close to Wall.

Election night Justice Newcorn was entertaining a number of friends in his office on West Front street, when some one accidently pushed the lighted gas jet too close to the wall and in a moment the paper had caught fire. Prompt action on the part of one of the company, who quickly smothered the blaze, prevented considerable damage.

Christian Work by Men and for Men.

The general subject of the meeting at the Seventh-Day Baptist church Friday night will be Christian work by men for men. Addresses will be given by Dr. A. H. Lewis and by some man prominently connected with the Y. M. C. A. work of our city, whose name will be announced tomorrow.

Taken to Jail.

Pearl Rogers, colored, of East Third street, who was committed to the Somerset county jail yesterday by Justice Crosley, on charges of assault, breaking and entering, was taken to Somerville yesterday afternoon.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

—The holiday styles in hats at Sebring's, new shapes.

THIS MAN IS A FREAK.

APPEARS TO HAVE TWO HEARTS AND TWO SETS OF RIBS.

Can Move Them at His Own Will Without Pain—Is an Aged Colored Man Depending on Charity for His Living.

There is a colored man in town, William King by name, who is exciting the wonder of some few people who have examined him, among the curious being members of the medical profession. King is a wonderful human being, for he claims to have two hearts and two sets of ribs, which he can move from place to place in his body without pain.

King struck town Saturday night and was taken charge of by Thomas Martin, warden of the city jail. Tom provided King with a bed in the jail and furnished him with meals.

Yesterday morning to a group of officers and press representatives King consented to demonstrate his peculiar anatomy. Baring his broad chest, the spectators were invited to listen attentively with ear pressed close to the breast, on the left side, where the heart usually is, and there it was beating away in a regular manner.

The ear was removed and placed close to the chest on the right side, and sure enough the steady throb of another heart could be distinctly heard. A few convulsive movements of the chest and stomach on the man's part, and then at his invitation hands were placed low down on his stomach, and the two organs on the right and left sides could be felt beating as though in their natural position.

King claims to have two sets of ribs, one of which he is able to bring out from some concealed position and lay across his stomach.

He carries a letter signed by Dr. M. B. Long who has given him an examination and who testifies to the man's peculiarity of construction. The doctor says that King has no diaphragm, but a double sternum which he keeps behind the normal one.

King's last exhibition was undertaken with an iron cane, one inch in diameter. Taking the cane in his right hand, and swinging it around his head rapidly, he brought it down with all his force upon a bunch of muscle on his left forearm, just below the elbow. Repeating this four or five times, he handed the cane to the spectators who could easily perceive that the bar of iron was bent at least one inch. He straightened it out again in the same way.

King says he was born in Massachusetts, and has traveled over most of the globe, and been examined by physicians everywhere.

The stranger is of medium height, broad and strong, and has repulsive features. He looks no older than 50.

WHO STOLE THE PUMPKIN?

No One Knows, But a Good Time Was Had Just the Same.

Several weeks ago a prize pumpkin was taken from the residence of James Lewis on Grove street, and it was a mysterious question as to who had made made way with it. Last evening a social was given in honor of the event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Tigar, of Duer street.

During the evening a mock trial was held for the purpose of determining who stole the pumpkin, but after considerable dispute all decided to let the matter drop. The whole affair caused a great deal of amusement. The guests were served with refreshments, and before they departed for home each one was presented with a small pumpkin pie.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Strayer, Mr. and Mrs. John VanHorn, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Doeringer, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Blackford, Mrs. William Colthar, Miss Adelaide Lewis, Miss Ada VanHorn, Miss Estella Brooks, Miss Minnie Winkleman, George W. Bird, Chauncey Colthar, Vanderveer L. Brown and Raymond Strayer.

KNEW NOT WHAT HAPPENED.

But Her Face Was Bruised and Covered With Blood.

With her face bruised and covered with blood, a young colored woman was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza this morning. She has spent the night in jail, having been arrested last night for being drunk and disorderly. She pleaded guilty to the charge, but could answer none of the Judge's question as to how her face happened to be in its present condition. She didn't remember anything about it at all, she said. The Judge fined her $5.

Hospital is Busy.

There are twenty patients at present in the hospital, including five private patients. This is about the limit and the nurses are kept busy constantly.

BATTLED WITH HOBOES IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

Fanwood Citizens Captured Them at Graceland Station.

DEFIED W. R. STANBERY.

WHEN HE STOPPED THEM THEY PREPARED TO SHOOT.

Man in United States Army Uniform Promised to Convert Mr. Stanbery Into a Sieve—Mr. Stanbery Reinforced—Hoboes Prepared for Action—The Fanwoodites Retreat—Hoboes Caught.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Fanwood, Nov. 10—Wm. R. Stanbery has again distinguished himself in the eyes of his fellow-townsmen. This time it was chicken thieves that he attempted to run to earth. He met the enemy, but when the latter brought their artillery to bear, he beat a retreat and called on a minion of the law to capture them, all of which was accomplished in due time.

Yesterday noon Mr. Stanbery was returning home from Plainfield on his wheel. As he sped along between Scotch Plains and Fanwood his meditations on the result of the election were suddenly interrupted by the hail of Mr. Wright, a resident of that neighborhood, who told the passing Fanwoodite that there were three strange men in the barn of Fred K. Clark, near by. Just at that moment three men appeared out of the barn door. One wore the uniform of the United States Army.

As the strangers sighted Stanbery, they growled forth some unseemly remark, and slinging a bag over their shoulders started down Forest avenue. The olifactory organs of Mr. Stanbery scented trouble from afar off, and, mounting his wheel, he followed them. He slipped around Park avenue and met them as they entered Midway avenue, the name now applied to the old railway cut.

"What have you in that bag," remarked Mr. Stanbery as he confronted the strangers.

"None of your —— business," replied the soldier, where upon he promptly drew a revolver and pointing it in the direction of Mr. Stanbery, made some remark about converting him into a sieve. Declining the challenge to single combat, Mr. Stanbery started to retreat when he was reinforced by Fred K. Clark and LeRoy Day who came running across the fields.

Marshalling his uniformed array behind him, the servant of Uncle Sam prepared to do battle. He informed Mr. Clark that they were prepared to fight for their liberty and warned him away unless he and Mr. Stanbery both were anxious to appear as sieves. Then the men departed.

Now a hour before this had happened, V. L. Frazee, of Plainfield, had driven past the barn of Mr. Clark and seen three men chasing chickens and shooting them. He had told Mr. Clark who had hastened to the scene of action just in time to come to Mr. Stanbery's aid.

After the victory of the strangers, the defeated detachment of Fanwoodites hurried to Scotch Plains for aid and artillery. Constables Walpole and Traynor and several other good citizens turned out and the posse went in pursuit of the strangers.

At the old Graceland station, they found the strangers awaiting a coal train to carry them to parts unknown. Each had a dead fowl under his arm. The strangers sprang up at the approach of the posse and warned them to keep away unless they were all prepared to act as targets. The representative of the army flourished his revolver and vowed to shoot the first man who approached.

The representives of law and order held a short consultation and then closed in on the strangers. The soldier singled out Mr. Clark and prepared to follow out his threat. Mr. Clark closed in at once and had the satisfaction of partially disfiguring the stranger's face with a blow from his fist. Seeing the defeat of their leader and artillery, the other two surrendered after a short struggle and were escorted back to Scotch Plains.

At Scotch Plains, the three men were arrigned before Justice Clark on the charge of killing and stealing Mr. Clark's chickens. The one in the uniform gave his name as Joe Bowers and the other two as Joe Cummings and George Brooks. They lived out of the State, they said. Judge Clark committed them to the county jail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Dr. Westcott was sent for and identified the two ununiformed ones as his assailants of several nights ago, the story of his encounter with which was told in The Daily Press at the time. He immediately made a complaint to which they will have to answer in time.

MOTHER DEFIED POLICE.

SAYS JERRY CASH CLUBBED HER SON WITHOUT CAUSE.

Young O'Keefe Objected to Remarks of Colored Folk—Made a Dash for Them—Colored Men Scattered—Trial Saturday.

Just how it started City Judge DeMeza and the police are puzzled to know. At any rate, the neighborhood of Liberty and West Third streets was suddenly converted last evening from an orderly and law-abiding place to the scene of a fight and almost a riot. As a result, a white man, two colored men and a colored woman were locked up and haled before the City Judge this morning.

It was soon after 6 o'clock last evening when Mrs. Clara White, colored, her son, William Green, and a friend, William Raines, stood on the corner of Third and Liberty streets in friendly converse. Old "Pop" Jones was with Raines. Just then Thomas J. O'Keefe walked by. He admits that the fumes of strong drink had him in their grasp.

A remark made in the little group of colored people floated to the ears of O'Keefe. O'Keefe's mother was near at hand and says that the remark was intended for her son. O'Keefe's mind is an utter blank regarding the incident. The colored folks say that they had no idea that O'Keefe was within half a mile of the place and made no reference to him.

At any rate O'Keefe started for the crowd. A few hands fanned the air and then the two colored men left hurriedly while O'Keefe went sailing forth into the street. Mrs. White screamed when O'Keefe started for her son and started the latter to a place of safety. O'Keefe toppled over into the gutter.

Sergeant Kiely and Patrolman Cash were coming down the street. They heard the screams and ran to the place. They found O'Keefe rushing about the street with a crowd, headed by Mrs. White, close behind him. When Jerry Cash attempted to arrest O'Keefe the latter's mother tried to lead the boy away.

Jerry says she resisted him and fought when he tried to arrest her son. Mrs. O'Keefe claims that she would have led her son home without trouble only Jerry rushed at him and pounded him over the head with his club. Jerry is very wroth at this last statement and declares that Mrs. O'Keefe should go to jail for perjury.

This morning, City Judge DeMeza heard the various sides to the story. He wanted to hear the testimony of more witnesses and so set the trial down for Saturday morning.

APPEAL FOR HOSPITAL.

Finance Committee Asks for Contributions From the Public.

The finance committee of the hospital is compelled to appeal to the people of Plainfield and its vicinity for assistance in providing for the current expenses of the coming year.

The money received from the "Spielkartenfest" is now entirely exhausted and contributions are urgently needed.

Muhlenberg Hospital is justly entitled to hearty financial support from the people generally and the committee hopes that this appeal may meet with a prompt and generous response.

An annual payment of $200 will endow a bed; a payment of $100 will constitute a life member, and an annual payment of $10 a subscribing member.

Contributions may be sent to H. P. Reynolds, Treasurer, No. 71 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, or to any member of the finance committee. Francis Wood, 313 Franklin place,
John H. Whiton, 821 Central avenue,
Charles Schipper, 705 West Seventh street,
Charles J. Fisk, 211 West Seventh street,
Edward H. Ladd, Jr., 303 Franklin place,
Finance Committee.
Plainfield, Nov. 10th, 1898. 10 3t

A NOON-DAY WEDDING.

Marriage of Miss Martha R. Cook and Leonard M. Leach.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., officiated at a wedding this noon and united in wedlock Leonard Merryfield Leach, of Dunellen, to Miss Martha R. Cook, of North avenue, daughter of Mrs. A. L. Cook. The ceremony took place at the bride's home, in the presence of the members of the immediate families of the two.

The bride wore a handsome traveling dress of cadet blue cloth trimmed with white satin, and a hat to match. She carried white roses and was attended by Miss Anna Templin as flower girl, and Harold Thompson Leach, the groom's brother, as page.

The couple left for New York on a wedding trip and when they return will take up their residence in Dunellen. The groom is an electrician, and is in business in Bound Brook.

FIREBUG DOES HIS WORK

BARN SET ON FIRE IN THE BOROUGH EARLY THIS MORNING.

Flames Were Discovered by Marshal Campbell, Who Sent in an Alarm—Fire Department Did Good Work.

At 1 o'clock this morning an alarm of fire was sent in from Box 162, corner of Linden avenue and Grove street, by Marshal William Campbel. The fire was in a barn on Grove street near Greenbrook road, owned by Mrs. Rick, of Vine street, and was undoubtedly of incendiary origin. Only a short time before the marshal passed the place and everything was all right. He had not gone far when a bright light appeared and illuminated the sky for a considerable distance. The officer hastened to the fire box and sent the alarm in.

Considering the hour, the department responed quickly and succeeded in saving the greater portion of the barn. In the barn there was a team of horses and a quantity of hay, besides some wagons owned by Chris. Lubeck, a teamster. Everything was saved, and only the top of the building was burned off. The firemen did good work in protecting the adjoining property which was threatened with destruction.

There was every indication that the barn was set on fire, for Mr. Lubeck left everything all right when he put his horses in for the night, and nothing suspicious was noticed when the officer passed the place only a short time before the fire broke out.

HOME FROM CUBA.

Plainfield Boy a Member of a Gallant Illinois Regiment.

W. I Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, of Prospect avenue, who is a member of Comany B, Third Illinois Volunteers, who has been in Cuba for sometime past, arrived in New York yesterday afternoon on the Government transport Roumania, with his regiment, and he was met by his parents, brothers and sister. He secured a leave of absence for two hours through the courtesy of Rev. D. D. O'Dell, chaplain of the regiment, and he came to Plainfield during that time. He related briefly to his folks something of his experiences in Cuba. His regiment took several important parts in the war. The regiment left New York last evening for Illinois where they will be mustered out.

Col. Scott is Sick.

Colonel Julian Scott, the well-known artist, of West Front street, is confined in the Muhlenberg Hospital with a severe attack of pneumonia. Mayor Wilson, of the borough, who is an intimate friend of Mr. Scott, heard of the latter's sickness yesterday afternoon and he immediately telephoned to the hospital and had a private room reserved for the sick man. Mr. Scott was soon after taken to that place, where he will remain as the guest of Mayor Wilson until he has fully recovered from his sickness.

A Soldier to Talk.

William Hauptman, of the Twenty-second Regiment, stationed at Fort Slocum, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday at 4:15 p. m. He spoke on two occasions about three years ago. At that time he was connected with the Rescue Band of the Chinatown Mission, of which he was one of the original members. Since he he was here he has been a student at Oberlin. He is an earnest, interesting speaker.

From a Noted Sunday-school.

Miss Anna S. Harlow, of John Wanamaker's Sunday-school in Philadelphia, will be at the annual Institute and third anniversary of the Plainfield Primary Sunday-school Teachers' Union, to be held Thursday afternoon and evening, November 17th, at the First Baptist church. She will make an address. A cordial invitation is extended to all persons who are interested.

Settled Out of Court.

The contract case of Eulalie Morel against John Watta, which was to have come up in the Court of Common pleas, has been settled out of court. Murphy & Blatz represented the plaintiff, and S. S. Swackamer the defendant.

Roundsman Flynn to Build.

Roundsman John Flynn has purchased from William Martin, of West Front street, a piece of property located near West End Park on Front street, and he will erect a house thereon. Plans are now out for the building.

—The attention of The Daily Press has been called to the way Westervelt avenue is numbered in the borough. People living on the street are much annoyed by the system now used, which is anything but satisfactory. It should be numbered to correspond with the system used on the same street in this city.

A CORPORATION CAN BUY ITS OWN STOCK.

Important Decision Handed Down by Supreme Court.

MURPHY & BLATZ'S VICTORY

THEY ENFORCED THE CLAIM OF WALTER L. CHAPMAN.

The Plaintiff Secured a Position by Buying $800 Worth of Stock, But When He Was Discharged Declined to Purchase the Stock as Agreed Upon—Supreme Court Declares They Can do so.

The Supreme Court of this State has just rendered a decision in an important case which means a great deal to corporate bodies and their supporters. The court has decided that a corporation has a right to purchase shares of its own stock for legitimate purposes.

The decision was rendered in answer to a demurrer filed by Besson, Stevens & Lewis, a firm of Hoboken lawyers, who represents the Iron Clad Rheostat Company, a Westfield concern. Murphy & Blatz took issue on the demurrer, and the matter was argued before the Supreme Court last summer.

Walter L. Chapman is the plaintiff in the case. He is now operating a bicycle repair shop at Somerville, but two years ago, when the Iron Clad Rheostat Company was incorporated, George Colgate, the president of the company, and a warm friend of Chapman's, induced him to enter the employ of the company. The terms under which he went to work were that he was to receive a stated salary, but must purchase 10 shares of the stock. This stock, however, was to be repurchased by the company at its par value when Chapman was discharged or left their employ.

Soon after this another set of men succeeded Mr. Colgate and others. The new president had no use for Chapman in the office, where he was employed, and sent him out in the shop to work. Chapman refused to go, and resigned his position. Through Murphy & Blatz he demanded that the corporation purchase his $800 worth of stock as they had agreed to do. Acting upon the advice of their counsel they refused to do so, so Chapman brought suit in the Supreme Court for $1,000, the extra $200 being for damages.

Murphy & Blatz filed their declaration, and then the defendants' lawyers filed a demurrer to which the plaintiff took issue. The defendants claimed that the contract entered into by their successors was beyond their power to perform. First, because a corporation cannot deal in or agree to purchase its own stock; second, that the corporation had no authority to make an agreement to enter into any such contract as they had made with Chapman.

The argument was made at the June term of court before Justices Ludlow, Collins and Dixon by Clarence L. Murphy for the plaintiff. As there were no decisions on record in such cases it made new law, and the Court took until November 7th to hand down their decision which is in favor of the plaintiff, that a corporation has a right to purchase of its own stock when it is to be used for legitimate purposes.

FACILITATED COUNTING.

Use of the Murray Tally Sheets a Success in Some Districts.

Although it was not used through all the election districts, the Roger F. Murray tally sheets were given a good trial election day and its usefulness demonstrated. It was used in the First and Third wards and the third district of the Fourth ward. In the first district of the First ward, the election officers did not quite understand the new sheets and had considerable trouble with them. Even then, however, it was only 1 o'clock when they had completed the third count while it is usually 3 o'clock in the morning before their work is over.

The Third ward, where the count usually lasts until long after midnight, the count was all completed at 9:30 o'clock. The Third district of the Fourth ward was also completed early before the other districts of that ward were half through their labors.

Put Over the Term.

The case on contract of Woolston & Buckle against Ambrose Male, which was to have come up this term in the Court of Common Pleas, is off this term by consent of counsel.

Thompson Store to Be Rebuilt.

Estimates are being secured by A. D. Thompson for the rebuilding of a structure on North avenue to take the place of the one destroyed by fire a short time ago.

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ROOSEVELT'S ELECTION

Later Returns Decrease His Plurality Somewhat.

LEGISLATURE REPUBLICAN

The Congressional Delegation However No Better Than Sixteen Out of Thirty-Four. A Sound Money Senator Certain to Succeed Edward Murphy. Citizen's Candidate Fared Slim.

New York, Nov. 10.—Colonel Roosevelt has carried fifty-two--probably fifty-three—counties out of the sixty-one in the state, and his net plurality over Van Wyck on present figures is 19,553.

The figures are being slightly altered as complete returns come in, but there is little probability that Roosevelt will lead Van Wyck by more than 20,000 at most.

In 1896 Black carried every county in the state except Schoharie, but this year Roosevelt lost Albany, Erie, Kings and New York, Queens, Rensselaer, Richmond and Schoharie, and possibly Clinton also, though the latter is now claimed for Van Wyck by 38 votes.

The total Van Wyck pluralities in nine counties are 86,892, and the total Roosevelt pluralities are 106,425.

Bacon, the Citizens' Union candidate, did not get a dozen votes in some counties.

The legislature will in all probability stand in the senate twenty-nine Republicans and twenty-one Democrats, and in the assembly ninety Republicans and sixty Democrats.

Collier, elected by the Republicans in the Tenth district of Kings to the assembly by 32 plurality, and Davis, Republican, elected to the senate in Kings by 191 plurality, may have a larger or a smaller vote when the soldiers' ballots are counted.

This will also apply to Irving Brown, Democrat, elected to the assembly in Rockland, and David N. Heller, Democrat, elected in the Chemung district. In any event the Republicans are sure of both houses, and from 44 to 46 majority on joint ballot for the election of a United States senator to succeed Murphy.

The congressional delegation, at the present time having only 6 Democrats out of 34 members, will stand 18 to 16 at best from the Republican viewpoint. That may be changed by later returns.

The districts in doubt are the First, comprising Queens and Suffolk counties, where James M. Belford is running a close race with Townsend Scudder.

In the Thirty-second district, comprising Niagara county complete, and part of Buffalo, Rowland B. Mahany, Republican, hopes to pull through over William H. Ryan.

The chances favor the Democrats, however, in both of these districts.

TO SUCCEED MURPHY.

New York Republicans Already Discussing Senatorial Possibilities.

New York, Nov. 10.—With the assurance of a strong majority on joint ballot in the next legislature, Republican leaders are beginning to discuss the question of a United States senator to succeed Edward Murphy and represent the Empire state for six years from March next in the highest legislative body of the nation.

There are quite a number of aspirants for the position and the contest bids fair to be a most interesting one.

Elihu Root, who gave his services at the Saratoga convention in behalf of Colonel Roosevelt in establishing his constitutional right to fill the office of governor, is talked of as a possibility.

General Stewart L. Woodford is also talked about, and he has declared that he would like to be elected.

The general's chances for the position are not considered bright at the present time.

Colonel Roosevelt has been talked of, but he has declared, if elected governor, he would serve out the term as governor, and would under no circumstances leave the position for another to fill.

Chauncey M. Depew, it is also said, has an eye upon the position, and, it is said, would feel honored to have it, but no one is yet in a position to say he is a real candidate, as he has not expressed any opinion.

The latest person spoken of in connection with the position is Lieutenant Governor Woodruff, and Senator-elect Davis said yesterday morning that he thought it would be an excellent idea to send the lieutenant governor to the United States Senate and give to Brooklyn a lively representative in Washington.

Governor Black, who refused to take the position when it was offered to him as a solace for being retired from the gubernatorial contest, it is said, will also be in the fight when the legislative contest begins. He has the reputation of being able to charm members of the legislature, and it is said that he will make the contest a memorable one because of the interest it will create.

THE NEXT CONGRESS

The Administration Will Have the Support of Both Houses.

SMALL MAJORITY IN HOUSE

Republicans Gain Nine Seats in Senate. In the House the Republicans Will Have from Ten to Fifteen Majority. A Conservative Estimate Gives 186 Republicans, 164 Democrats and 7 Populists.

New York, Nov. 10.—Present returns seem to indicate that the Republicans have carried both branches of Congress and will have a fair working majority in each house.

In the Senate at least nine seats have been gained through the election of Republican legislatures in California, Delaware, Indiana, Nebraska, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

At present there are forty-four Republicans in the Senate, and this gain of nine seats would increase the Republican vote to 53, as against a combined opposition of 37. This gives an excellent working majority for the Republican side.

Among the defeated senators are White of California, Gray of Delaware, Turpie of Indiana, Smith of New Jersey, Murphy of New York, Roach of North Dakota, Faulkner of West Virginia and Mitchell of wisconsin.

In the present House of Representatives the Republicans have a majority of fifty-five. This will be materially reduced as a result of the elections, but still the Republican majority will vary anywhere from ten to fifteen. The exact majority will not be known in many cases until the results have been determined by an official count.

In the table which is given below the estimate is conservative and based upon the best information obtainable. This table gives the Republicans 186, Democrats 164 and Populists 7, a Republican majority over all of 15. In addition to the figures set forth in the table, it is claimed by the Republicans that Jerry Simpson, Populist, of Kansas, has been defeated; that one of the North Carolina districts has gone Republican; and that the congressional situation through the West looks favorable to the Republicans wherever a district is doubtful.

It is believed also, that the Republicans will carry Dayton's district in West Virginia, and that they may make gains in Missouri, where Silver Dollar Bland and Champ Clark are threatened.

The Senate.

The senate of the next congress will be made up as follows:

Alabama—John T. Morgan, Dem., E. W. Pettus, Dem.

Arkansas—James K. Jones, Dem., James H. Berry, Dem.

California—————, Rep., George C. Perkins, Rep.

Colorado—H. M. Teller, Silver Rep., E. O. Wolcott, Rep.

Connecticut—O. H. Platt, Rep., ——, Rep.

Delaware—E. R. Kenney, Dem., ——, Rep.

Florida—S. R. Mallory, Dem., ——, Dem.

Georgia—A. O. Bacon, Dem., A. S. Clay, Dem.

Idaho—George I. Shoup, Rep., Henry Heitfeld, Pop.

Illinois—S. M. Cullom, Rep., W. E. Mason, Rep.

Indiana—C. W. Fairbanks, Rep., ——, Rep.

Iowa—W. B. Allison, Rep., J. H. Gear, Rep.

Kansas—Lucien Baker, Rep., W. A. Harris, Pop.

Kentucky—William Lindsay, Dem., W. J. Deboe, Rep.

Louisiana—Donelson Caffery, Dem., S. D. McEnery, Dem.

Maine—Eugene Hale, Rep., W. P. Frye, Rep.

Maryland—Louis E. McComas, Rep., G. L. Wellington, Rep.

Massachusetts—George F. Hoar, Rep., ——, Rep.

Michigan—James McMillan, Rep., ——, Rep.

Minnesota—Knute Nelson, Rep., ——, Rep.

Mississippi—H. D. S. Money, Dem., W. V. Sullivan, Dem.

Missouri—G. G. Vest, Dem., ————, Dem.

Montana—T. H. Carter, Rep., ——, Rep.

Nebraska—J. M. Thurston, Rep., ——, Rep.

Nevada—John P. Jones, Sil., ————, Pop.

New Hampshire—W. E. Chandler, Rep., J. H. Gallinger, Rep.

New Jersey—W. J. Sewell, Rep., ——, Rep.

New York—T. C. Platt, Rep., ————, Rep.

North Carolina—J. C. Pritchard, Rep., Marion Butler, Pop.

North Dakota—H. C. Hansbrough, Rep., ——, Rep.

Ohio—J. B. Foraker, Rep., M. A. Hanna, Rep.

Oregon—C. W. McBride, Rep., Joseph Simon, Rep.

Pennsylvania—Boies Penrose, Rep., ——, Rep.

Rhode Island—N. W. Aldrich, Rep., G. P. Wetmore, Rep.

South Carolina—B. R. Tillman, Dem., J. L. McLaurin, Dem.

South Dakota—R. F. Pettigrew, Sil. Rep., J. H. Kyle, Ind.

Tennessee—T. B. Turley, Dem., ——, Dem.

Texas—Horace Clinton, Dem., ——, Dem.

Utah—J. L. Rawlins, Dem., ————, Dem.

Vermont—J. S. Morrill, Rep., Redfield Proctor, Rep.

Virginia—J. W. Daniel, Dem., T. S. Martin, Dem.

Washington—George Turner, Pop., ——, Rep.

West Virginia—S. B. Elkins, Rep., ——, Rep.

Wisconsin—J. C. Spooner, Rep., ——, Rep.

Wyoming—F. E. Warren, Rep., ——, Rep.

The House.

The following table is a conservative estimate, based on the latest returns:

	Rep.	Dem.	Pop.
Alabama	..	9	..
Arkansas	..	6	..
California	6	1	..
Colorado	..	..	2
Connecticut	4	..	..
Delaware	1	..	..
Florida	..	2	..
Georgia	..	11	..
daho	..	1	..
Illinois	15	7	..
Indiana	9	4	..
Iowa	11	3	..
Kansas	4	4	2
Kentucky	2	2	..
Louisiana	..	6	..
Maine	4	..	..
Maryland	4	2	..
Massachusetts	10	3	..
Michigan	12	..	..
Minnesota	7	..	..
Mississippi	..	7	..
Missouri	4	11	..
Montana	..	1	..
Nebraska	4	..	1
Nevada	..	2	..
New Hampshire	2	..	..
New Jersey	6	2	..
New York	17	17	..
North Carolina	..	8	1
North Dakota	..	1	..
Ohio	15	3	..
Oregon	2	..	..
Pennsylvania	22	8	..
Rhode Island	2	..	..
South Carolina	..	7	..
South Dakota	2	..	..
Tennessee	2	8	..
Texas	1	12	..
Utah	..	1	..
Vermont	2	..	..
Virginia	..	10	..
Washington	2	..	..
West Virginia	3	1	..
Wisconsin	9	1	..
Wyoming	1	..	..
Total	186	164	7

Republican majority over all, 15.

THE BETTING ON ELECTION.

Estimated That $500,000 Changed Hands in Wall Street.

New York, Nov. 10.—Altogether it is estimated that fully $500,000 changed hands on the result of the election. Bell & Co., stock brokers at No. 80 Broadway, handled about half of this sum. They were the representatives of the big Tammany bettors.

Edward Bell, the senior member of the firm, and Edward Talcott, also a member, wagered large sums on their own accounts. Mr. Bell declined to say how much he had wagered, but people who ought to know declare that Roosevelt's election will cost Mr. Bell and Mr. Talcott something like $60,000.

Some of the biggest winners in Wall street are Jacob Field, a new member of the Stock Exchange, who is said to be about $55,000 ahead. Alfred De Cordova, whose winnings are estimated at from $40,000 to $50,000; Wasserman Brothers, stock brokers, $22,000; Washington Seligman, $12,000; Richard H. Halstead, stock broker, $10,000; H. P. Frothingham, $8,000; F. T. Adams, $8,000. Then there is the $20,000 bet made by Chairman Odell last Saturday, and also half a hundred other wagers, ranging from $200 to $1,000.

Richard Croker's loss will be more than $50,000, and John F. Carroll, Maurice Untermyer, Chairman McCarren of the Democratic state committee, all wagered large sums that found their way into Wall street.

The amount of money lost by the members of the Democratic Club, Croker's own particular organization, is believed to be over $200,000.

The Cuban Tariff.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The treasury's temporary tariff customs for Cuba will probably soon be modified in some particulars, especially in the tobacco schedule.

It is complained by persons engaged in the tobacco industry in Cuba that German tobacconists have discovered a method of competing with them which is liable to prove disastrous in more than one way.

The Germans can make a cigar for five dollars a thousand which they can send to Cuba, pay the present temporary duties, and ship from Cuba to the United States as Havana cigars, selling them here at eight dollars a thousand, and yet realizing a very neat profit over all expenses.

Eight dollars a thousand is as low a figure as the Cuban remonstrants say they can reach with the first cost of the cigars, and they consider the competition very unfair as regards prices alone, to say nothing of the damage done to them indirectly through the sales of inferior German stock under the Havana name.

The treasury will probably impose the Dingley cigar schedule in place of the temporary schedule of which complaint is made.

Deserters on Cruiser.

Newport, Nov. 10.—The cruiser Buffalo, Commander J. H. Hemphill, which left New York a few days ago for Manila, put in here during the night to await orders.

She had on board about seven hundred and fifty men for the ships of Admiral Dewey's fleet, but a considerable number deserted before the vessel left New York.

It is not known whether the Buffalo will proceed to the Pacific by way of the Suez canal or go around Cape Horn.

The Buffalo's machinery has broken down. Captain Hemphill asked for an investigation to fix the responsibility, and Secretary Long appointed Commander John McGowan, superintendent of the training station; Commander S. H. Stockton, president of the War College, and Chief Engineer R. S. Griffin of the Mayflower, a court of inquiry, with Lieutenant W. I. Chambers as judge advocate.

Race Issue in North Carolina.

Washington D. C., Nov. 10.—A special to the Star from Wilmington, N. C., gives the details of a mass meeting of six hundred citizens of that city yesterday to assert the supremacy of the white man.

Ex-Representative Waddell presided and read a series of resolutions declaring the determination of the whites to forever rule the city and to commence the work immediately, declaring that hereafter white labor should be given preference over colored and calling for the banishment of the negro newspaper publisher who printed an objectionable editorial recently.

An amendment was offered calling on the mayor and chief of police and the board of aldermen to vacate their offices now instead of waiting until their terms expire in March.

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Corporation Notice.

Commissioners of Assessments report for sewerage construction on consideration before the Common Council, Plainfield, N. J.

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Common Council of the City, of Plainfield, N.J., held on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of October, there were presented and laid before the Common Council (the same having first been filed in the office of the City Clerk September sixth, 1898,) the report and assessments of the Commissioners of Assessments of said City heretofore appointed under the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Assessments under Chapter CXLI P. L. 1895," approved April 25th, 1896, containing the assessments of damages and benefits or expenses, as the case may be, for the making and constructing of sewers and appurtenances (including house connections) under and by virtue of the Act of the Legislature, entitled, "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in Cities of this State", approved April 7th, 1890, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and ordinances and other proceedings of the Common Council had under said Acts of the Legislature, said report and A assessments covering the whole of said system of sewerage and appurtenances already completed, (not covered by assessments heretofore made) and particularly in and through the following described streets and parts of streets, to wit:

Steele avenue, from Plainfield avenue easterly 1148 feet to a point near Central avenue.

Plainfield avenue, from West Eighth street to Steele avenue.

Berkeley avenue, from Ravine Road southwesterly 379.7 feet to a point near Belvidere avenue.

Somerset street, from Front street northwesterly 265 feet to a point near Green brook.

Orange place, from Elm place northeasterly 291.5 feet to a point near Westervelt avenue.

Hillside avenue, from Putnam avenue southerly 379.6 feet to a point near Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue, from East Front street northwesterly 186.6 feet to a point near Greenbrook, including house connections and including appurtenances of said sewerage system in connection therewith; the said streets and parts of streets in which the same were so made and constructed and the location and dimensions of the several lots, tracts and parcels of land and real estate so assessed being delineated on a certain set of maps numbered "1 a" and "2 a", and each map marked "Sewerage Construction Assessment Map dated August 8th, 1898" and attested by the signatures of the said Commissioners and filed in the office of the Collector of Taxes September 6th, 1898.

And it was ordered that said Common Council will proceed to consider, review, alter, ratify and confirm said report and assessments at a meeting to be held in the Common Council Chamber, 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, N. J., on the twenty-first day of November, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which meeting all persons interested in or affected by said assessments, on account of which said assessments were made, will be given ample opportunity to be heard upon the subject of said assessments.

The Character of the work and improvement for which said assessments have been made is shown by the foregoing, and in general is the construction of said sewers and appurtenances (including house connections), and said system of sewerage and appurtenances; and the streets and avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assessments are those hereinabove particularly set forth.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 24th, 1898.

JAMES T. MacMURRAY, City Clerk.

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ESTATE of Herman F. Schnellendruessler, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surrogate of the County of Union, made, on application of the undersigned, Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the sixth day of October, 1898, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ALBERT L. FORCE, Executor.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

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THE GENERAL RESULT.

Largely Increased Majorities for Republicans in Many States.

New York, Nov. 10.—The returns of Tuesday's elections show that large and important Republican gains have been made in Nebraska, Missouri, California and other sections of the West that were regarded as the stronghold of free silver and Populism.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt has been elected governor of the state of New York and the legislature is Republican in both branches. A sound money Republican will be elected to the United States Senate to succeed Edward Murphy, who voted for the Teller resolution last winter. The Democrats have gained several congressmen in this state, in Illinois and the South, but they have lost in Missouri, California and other western states.

The Republicans will elect senators in New York, New Jersey, Delaware, West Virginia, Wisionsin and California to succeed Democrats, and they also gain two more in Missouri and Nebraska. The next Senate will be Republican and will be for sound money by a working majority.

The Democrats have gained a number of congressmen, but the Republicans will control the next House by a small majority and Thomas B. Reed will be re-elected speaker. Chairman Babcock of the Republican congressional campaign committee asserts that the next House will contain 199 or 200 Republicans.

In this state the Republicans made gains in many country districts and lost some votes in the cities. The plurality for Colonel Roosevelt is about 18,000. This may be changed slightly by the votes of the 9,000 volunteers in the field. These votes will not be canvassed until December 22, but they cannot materially change the result.

Tammany carried the ten Congress districts in New York county by large pluralities. Congressman Quigg in the Fourteenth district is beaten by 6,000 That was regarded as the strongest Republican district in the city. In this county the Republicans lose two state senators and gain one or two assemblymen. They also elect regular Republican assemblymen in two districts now represented by independent Republicans.

The result throughout the country shows some falling off in the Republican pluralities in Republican states, but in the West, where free silver was the only issue before the people, the Republicans have made large and important gains.

The Republican plurality in Massachusetts is 85,000. Connecticut is Republican by 20,000, and a Republican will be elected in the United States Senate. New Hampshire is Republican by a reduced majority, and the Republican plurality in Pennsylvania may not exceed 150,000. The Democrats gain five congressmen in that state. New Jersey and Delaware are safely Republican, insuring a gain of two United States senators. The Republicans have lost two congressmen in Maryland and other districts are close, but the Republicans have carried West Virginia, including the legislature, which will elect a senator to succeed Charles J. Faulkner, free silver Democrat.

In Ohio the Republican plurality is larger than last year, and there is no change in the political complexion of the delegation to Congress. Illinois goes Republican by 30,000, but the Democrats gain three congressmen. The Republicans have carried Indiana and will probably control the legislature, which will elect a successor to Senator Turpie, free silver Democrat.

The Democrats have made some gains in the southern states. In North Carolina the white Democrats have overthrown the Republican and Populist fusion and have probably elected a solid delegation to Congress.

No Republican congressmen have been elected in Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Texas and Arkansas.

The Republicans elect two congressmen in Kentucky and one district is doubtful.

Two surprises of the election are the votes in Kansas and Nebraska. In Kansas the Republicans elected the state ticket and six out of eight congressmen. Nebraska has gone Republican by about 25,000. The party will control the legislature.

W. J. Bryan's home city, county and congressional district have gone Republican. Lincoln county, in which Bryan lives, shows a Republican gain of 1,400.

The Republicans have apparently made almost a clean sweep of California, electing their state ticket, a large majority of the legislature and six of the seven congressmen.

The legislature will elect a successor to Senator White, free silver Democrat, who opposed the annexation of the Hawaiian islands.

Quay Says He is Safe.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 10.—The next Pennsylvania legislature, which meets in January and elects a successor to United States Senator Quay, will consist of 254 members on joint ballot, 128 votes being necessary to elect.

The friends of Senator Quay claim that they have 131 votes on joint ballot for Mr. Quay, three more than necessary.

The anti-Quay people claim they have elected sufficient members of the assembly to defeat the re-election of Senator Quay.

Senator Quay conceded the election of two Democrats to the legislature from his home county of Beaver by 400 majority.

Emperor William and Spain.

Madrid, Nov. 10.—Inquiries made here concerning the proposed visit of the Emperor of Germany to Spain, show that the Spanish government has been notified that two German warships, one of them having the emperor and empress of Germany on board, will arrive at Cadiz on November 20.

But it is claimed that it is not yet known whether the visit of their majesties is of a private or of an official character.

The Klondike Gold Output.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The reports which have reached the director of the mint show the Klondike gold output as reflected by the deposits in San Francisco and Seattle, to have been between $10,000,000 and $11,000,000 from July 1 to November 1.

These figures in detail will go into Director Robert's annual report.

SPAIN GIVEN ANSWER

The U. S. Peace Commission Replies to Her Queer Claims.

MUST OBSERNE PROTOCOL

American Peace Commissioners Will Not Yield to Demands for Return of Customs Collections at Manila. Will Insist That America Shall Observe Faithfully All Clauses of the Protocol.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Yesterday's session of the peace commissions began at 12.12 p. m., and ended at 3 p. m. The Americans presented the answer of the United States to the claims submitted on Friday in behalf of Spain.

The document consisted of nearly fifty sheets of typewritten matter.

The American presentation was a refutation of the Spanish allegation that because the words "possession," "ownership" or "cession" do not occur in the protocol clause touching upon the Philippine islands, the peace commissions have no right to discuss them here, and that even if they did it must be in the light of the alleged fact of an exterior agreement that Spain's sovereignty should not be impaired.

The Americans also answered Spain's claim for the restitution to her of public money and customs collections taken by the United States officials since the capitulation of Manila, and made reply to Spain's claims for an indemnity on account of the alleged imprisonment by the United States authorities of Spanish troops of Manila and for their consequent restraint from being of service to Spain in the suppression of the insurrection and the preservation of property.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Gaulois says. "It is certain that the Spanish peace commission will maintain that all clauses of the protocol must be faithfully observed by the Americans, as they have been by the Spaniards, regarding Cuba and Porto Rico. The Spanish commission holds that no discussion on the Philippines can be tolerated, and that the sovereignty of Spain over these islands will be maintained.

"Spain, before admitting the possibility of any agreement in regard to the archipelago, exacts that the United States recognize that her rights in the Philippines are unassailable."

TROOPS FROM PORTO RICO.

The Roumanian Here With the Third Illinois Volunteers.

New York Nov. 10.—The United States transport Roumanian, Captain Walcott, which sailed from Arroyo and Ponce, Porto Rico, on November 3, arrived at quarantine yesterday morning, with all well.

She brought the Third Illinois volunteers, commanded by Colonel Bennett; forty-two officers and 984 men.

After a brief inspection at quarantine the Roumanian proceeded to Weehawken, where they arrived at noon.

The transport was made fast to freight dock H of the Erie Railroad and the work of unloading the baggage was soon commenced.

This was loaded on to one of the special cars in waiting. The work was slow. The regiment left in three section trains for Chicago.

FRENCH NAVAL PREPARATIONS.

The Mediterranean Fleet Ready for Sea.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Echo de Paris publishes a dispatch from Toulon that says the entire French Mediterranean squadron is ready for sea.

It adds that Admiral Fournier, its commander, received a cipher dispatch yesterday evening, whereupon he signalled to the Forbin, a third class cruiser, to bank her fires, and the fastest torpedo boat conveyed orders to the admiral commanding the squadron of French cruisers and torpedo boats to assemble his fleet immediately at Toulon.

All the vessels there are prepared for action, and the arsenals and shipyards have been worked all night.

Later it was announced that Admiral Fournier had been summoned to Paris.

Dr. Parkhurst to Col. Roosevelt.

New York, Nov. 10.—The Rev. Dr. C. H. Parkhurst has sent to Colonel Roosevelt the following telegram:

Theodore Roosevelt, Oyster Bay, N. Y.:

Notwithstanding my regret for some circumstances attendant upon your nomination, I nevertheless cordially congratulate you upon your election, and shall show myself loyal to your administration in so far as it aims with a single eye to promote the collective interests of the state and the individual interests and well being of its citizens.

(Signed) CHARLES H. PARKHURST.

Soldiers Back from Santiago.

Norfolk, Nov. 9.—The transport Port Victor, which came up from Santiago yesterday afternoon, landed about forty immunes from the Fifth and Sixth regiments, some civilians, and a few sailors, whose times had expired.

She then sailed for New York. The Victor is the vessel which started from Santiago with miserable accommodations for the soldiers, and was held up by General Wood, military governor of Santiago, who ordered her back, and the ship was refitted.

More Outrages in Porto Rico.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Spaniards here having interests in the island of Porto Rico have been disturbed by private cable advices saying that the lives and property of Spaniards there are threatened by seditious persons in the country districts and suburbs of the cities, where assassinations and the burning of coffee plantations are said to be continuing.

The Government of Crete.

Constantinople, Nov. 10.—Great Britain, France, and Italy, have accepted Russia's proposal to appoint Prince George of Greece high commissioner of the powers in the island of Crete.

The Turkish government has appealed to Germany and Austria against the proposal; but the appeal has been ineffectual.

SURGEON-GENERAL WYMAN'S PLANS

The Marine Hospital Officers There.

Washington, Nov. 10.—Dr. Wyman, surgeon general of the Marine Hospital service, when questioned yesterday as to the letter Dr. Brunner is reported to have written him from Havana, urging his immediate presence there, said that he had not yet received this letter, and was not in a position to say what he should do when he did receive it.

Two physicians of his service, he said, are already on the spot, where they are doing duty as inspectors to prevent the transmission of yellow fever to the United States, and two others, who were engaged in a scientific investigation of yellow fever when interrupted by the outbreak of the war, are on their way to Cuba to renew this work.

The intimation conveyed by his comments was that he did not personally feel that he was called upon to go to Cuba.

At the treasury department it was stated that there seems to be no necessity for Dr. Wyman's going, and that the department would feel very loath to let him leave the country at this juncture on account of his remarkable organizing powers, and the need of keeping an officer of that sort at the head of affairs at home.

Movements of Battleships.

Brooklyn, Nov. 10.—Repairs to the battleship Massachusetts at the navy yard are practically completed and she is taking on ammunition. After coaling she will leave the yard on Wednesday, November 16, and anchor off Tompkinsville waiting orders.

A consignment of six hundred men arrived at the navy yard yesterday by way of the Pennsylvania railroad from Newport News to take the places of the men who went on the Buffalo last week to Manila to fill the complements on the ships under Rear Admiral Dewey. They were taken to the receiving ship Vermont and are ready for draft.

When the navy department decided to lay up the torpedo boats the Brooklyn yard was selected as the place of rest. With a view of accommodating these vessels there is now being laid in and along the slip from which the Maine was launched a marine railroad, and alongside the slip heavy timbers are being placed, twenty feet apart, to which the boats will be shifted and laid away, it having been decided that this is the best way to preserve the vessels, which have a skin of but three-sixteenths of an inch, from the corroding and rusting influences of the water.

When the boats are thus laid up a shed will be built over them for protection from the influences of the elements. The torpedo boats coming to Brooklyn are the Foote, Rodgers, Porter, Ericsson, Winslow and Cushing.

South Carolina Race Trouble.

Charleston, S. C., Nov. 10.—A special from Greenwood, S. C., says:

Intense excitement prevailed here all day yesterday because of the shooting of Boaz Etheridge, one of the election judges at Phoenix, and a subsequent riot between the whites and the blacks at that place, in which J. R. Tolbert and several negroes were mortally wounded.

The negroes had a separate box, in charge of Tolbert, in which those who could not vote in the regular boxes could deposit certificates that they were not allowed to vote for R. R. Tolbert for Congress, which certificates he expected to use in his contest for Latimer's seat.

Mr. Etheridge attempted to take the box in charge and was shot dead by one of the negroes who were crowding around it.

Immediately the few white men who could procure arms or had them, opened fire on the crowd.

The whites, several hundred strong, are well armed and determined, and if the leaders in Tuesday's trouble are caught no power on earth can save them from a lynching.

The Lord Mayor's Show.

London, Nov. 10.—The lord mayor's show yesterday was favored with fine weather and was witnessed by the usual crowds of people.

The enthusiasm was divided between the car representing the Soudan, with the soldiers of the regiments which took part in the battle of Omdurman, and the car representing the English speaking races.

The latter displayed, among other things, Britannia and Columbia seated beneath a canopy, while the American flag was borne by a British sailor and the British flag was carried by an American sailor.

There was also an illustration of Admiral Tatnall's "Blood is thicker than water" and of Admiral Kimberley's repetition of the same expression to Captain Kane after the disaster at Apia, Samoa. This car was warmly acclaimed.

The Death of Harold Frederic.

London, Nov. 10.—Miss Kate Lyon, a member of the household of Harold Frederic, the late correspondent here of the New York Times, who died on October 19 at Kenley, and Mrs. Athelie Mills, the Christian Scientist, who attended Mr. Frederic, and against whom a verdict of manslaughter was returned by a coroner's jury Tuesday, were arraigned in the police court at Kenley yesterday on this charge, and were remanded for a week. They were admitted to bail.

A Great Flood in China.

London, Nov. 10.—A dispatch has been received here from the Baptist mission in the province of Shan-Tung, China, which says the Hoang-Ho, or Yellow river, has left its bed near the city of Tsi-Nan-Fu, capital of Shan-Tung province, and flooded 2,000 square miles of territory.

Hundreds of villages have been destroyed, and a million people are threatened with famine.

The Fashoda Dispute.

Paris, Nov. 10.—The French newspapers generally approve the silence of the Chamber of Deputies on the subject of Fashoda, and congratulate M. Brunet on his withdrawal of the interpellation which he intended to address to the government on the subject.

The Siecle says that it regrets that Major Marchand did not observe the same reticence at Caire.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 10—Warren Engine Company's entertainment in Saengerbund Hall.
November 13—William Hauptman, of the Twenty-second Regiment, New York Volunteers, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.

Aftermath of Election.

In the aftermath of knowledge of exact results and the natural dispelling of gloom that always comes to the defeated party for the moment, the Democrats are looking about and seeing that they have in their hour of general defeat, at least made encouraging gains in some sections. The complete returns from the twenty-one counties tn ihe State show that Voorhees is elected by a plurality of 5,864. The official figures may change this a few hundred one way or the other, but in a general way the figures are correct.

The returns show that the Democrats have carried six counties for Crane against three for McGill three years ago, and have total pluralities of 16,645 against 7,241 in 1895. From a Republican standpoint, of course, the three years ago is regarded as an extraordinary one and the result of which they do not anticipate will be duplicated under such conditions as prevailed this year.

For the past four years the Republicans have had a solid Congressional delegation from New Jersey, but this time two Democrats were successful. The later returns make no changes in the Legislature as indicated by the earlier calculations. The Republicans elected seven of their eight Senatorial candidates, the one Democrat being Allan L. McDermott, in Hudson county. With the seven hold-over Senators the Republicans will have a total of 14 members and the Democrats 7, a Republican majority of 7. In the Assembly the Republicans will have 36 members and the Democrats 24, a Republican majority of 12. This gives a Republican majority on joint ballot of 19, and practically assures the election of John Kean to succeed United States Senator James Smith.

Chemical Proof of God.

A singular argument was recently presented before the British Association in advocacy of the existence of supreme intelligence by Professor Zapp. Long ago Pasteur discovered the connection between the visible activity of certain chemical bodies and a peculiar asymmetry in their structure, like the relation between the right and left hand, where the want of symmetry is strictly complementary. When light passes through solutions of bodies with molecules in twin pairs, it is unaffected. When the solution has an excess of right or left hand structures, light is twisted accordingly. When organisms act on a neutral solution, they transform it into an active one by selective absorption of one set of the component parts. Organisms alone produce isolated bodies of right and left handed asymmetry. It also appears to be the case that in artificially formed organic bodies the twin halves are in such equal proportion that they neutralize each other.

Professor Zapp applies to these facts a peculiar sort of reasoning. Chemists are able through the help of the microscope to pick out and combine these asymmetric molecules in compounding pairs and so to make optically active bodies. Here is the operation of man, a living organism, acting through the microscope to produce active organisms. At the first beginning of life there must have been some selective agency comparable to the action of the chemist with his microscope. This was the thing to be demonstrated. The reader may be left to himself to decide how far the learned professor proves his point. But it may be remarked in passing that it is to the infinite satisfaction of man that he has far more conclusive reasons for believing in a first cause than any which can be deduced from molecular chemistry.

CRUISING TO SAVE LOST SOULS.

A unique expedition is the cruise of the Countess Schimmelmann, a Danish noblewoman, who sold her jewels and left home as a Christian missionary. After cruising the most important ports of Europe she, with her three adopted sons, set sail for America in her splendid yacht Duen. Pictures are from the New York Herald.

The Daily Press does not do things by halves, as was emphasized in the manner the election returns in this vicinity were presented in yesterday's paper. It was aimed to make the returns complete, correct and concise and it was accomplished. By glancing over the tabular forms presented in this paper those interested could tell in a look just what they wanted to find out. The system of the arranging the vote made it very easy to make comparisons between various candidates and to quickly arrive at information that election figures show to the politicans and others interested in the exact results.

Now is the time to commence agitating the matter of bringing before the next Legislature the project of consolidating Plainfield and North Plainfield into one municipality. There is a similar plan on foot to consolidate all the municipalities in Hudson county into one city. It is urged that if such action was taken it would reduce the taxes by the elimination of unnecessary officers and the reduction of other expenses that each town now as to maintain separately. What is true of Hudson county is true of the Plainfields.

Colonel Snyder, the Democratic candidate whom Congressman Fowler defeated, takes the Bepublican victory cheerfully and philosophically. Col. Snyder takes the following view of the election:

Naturally I would be more pleased had I been victorious, but I am beaten clean and clear and I heartily congratulate Mr. Fowler on his re-election, and I hope that he will enjoy the fruits of his victory. He is a gentleman and a scholar and he makes a good Congressman. I am a sort of a good loser, however, and I want to say this much, the Democrats will be in the fight again, you know, and we will get there next time.

Political gossip has connected the names of Councilman Barrows, Marion Ackerman, J. F. Hubbard and Nelson Runyon, of the Republicans, and James E. Martine and Leonard Spangenberg, of the Democrats, with the Mayorality nomination to be made in a short time.

On Monday a conservative Republican leader in Union county figured that Voorhees would receive a plurality of 1,575 outside of Elizabeth. He was just about 500 out of the way.

While other sections of the State will now settle down to the even tenor of their way Plainfield is scheduled for more political excitement than is usual within the next month.

Evidently the voters misconstrued the advice of David B. Hill in New York. Instead of knocking down the election officers they knocked down the Democratic candidates.

Mr. Voorhees has the distinction of not only being a former Governor but a Governor-elect of New Jersey. He is the only man who has ever had that distinction.

Foster Voorhees was once a school teacher, but it can't be that it was in that position that he learned to wallop the Democrats so dexteriously.

We wonder how much the Democrats would have given to have had such weather as prevails today arrive two days earlier.

Crokerism doesn't seem to be a favorite political morsel for the up-State Republicans of New York.

The way the Democrats spell it now is i-i-c-k-e-d.

Well, what are going to do about city election.

—Have you seen those all wool school suits at Sebring's at $1.95

—Department Commander Wm. C. Smith, of the G. A. R., has about completed the making of official visitation among the various posts in this State. He reports all to be in excellent condition.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"I've heard roosters crow one day that had their heads chopped off the next" is a truism that is aptly illustrated in "The Sleeping City," which comes to Music Hall tomorrow night. The plot, which is skillfully woven, tells of the trials of one, Jack Morton, who, through the machinations of his arch enemy, is sent to prison and afterward to an asylum. You may have seen all the so called new plays, but until you witness "The Sleeping City" you will not have seen the latest in stage craft, the acme of realism so far as the limitations of the stage will permit. The sensational escape from Sing Sing and the burning asylum are thrilling in the extreme, and these scenes enthuse the audience to the uttermost. Manager A. Q. Scammon has a company without a weak spot, and it is said that each player is thoroughly suited to his or her part. The specialties are sparkling and up-to-date. There are four acts and from first to last there is interest and amusement enough to entertain and satisfy the most exacting critic.

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"Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," will be seen at Music Hall Tuesday of next week. Henry Cranfrau, son of the famous original of this great play, appears as Kit and will have a strong supporting company, special scenery, etc.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

There are two little towns, one in western New York and the other in Rhode Island, that are brought in rather close connection with Plainfield owing to the fact that, like this city, they are gathering places for Seventh Day Baptists. Alfred, N. Y., is particularly well-known here as the site of Alfred University, the educational institution of that denomination. Alfred is a quaint little village half hidden away among the hills of western New York. It lies in a fertile valley with hills rising sharply on either hand. There is a terra cotta works, a machine shop and several stores which occupy the attention of part of the eight hundred people that make up the population of the village. The attention of the remainder is devoted to the cultivation of the soil. The university is the principal part of the town with its two hundred students. The buildings are scattered about the side hill above the village and are well equipped. The latest addition is the Babcock Hall of Science, a gift of the late George H. Babcock of this city. It is a co educational institution and is attended by students from all over the country although many are drawn from right around in that section. Many of the students board around the village but there are two dormitories for those that prefer that phase of college life. It seems more like a great family than a college for everybody knows each other and the parts of college life, prominent in many other similar institutions are absent here.

—The Rasores Club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Wilson Strong, Seventh street.

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Woven Wire Bed Springs, all sizes, Heavy Wood Frame and a good one, - $1.37
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Entire new line Upholstered Cots, - 98c.
Extra Heavy Divan Cots, heavy legs, large castors. - - - - 1.98
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Children's 10c. " 2 " .....14c.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 10.—The Whittier school has been closed now all this week. The Board of Education decided on this step last week because of the many cases of diphtheria that have broken out among the school children. The cases are not serious, neither are there very many, but all the cases seem to be traced to the school. The building is being thoroughly fumigated this week, and when the sessions are resumed again it is hoped that the germs will all be liminated.

Miss Edna Coriell gave a birthday party Tuesday night to a number of her little friends which was a very pleasant affair indeed. The evening was passed with games and music and refreshments followed as usual. Among those present were the Misses. Margaret VanArsdele, Ethel Boice, of Plainfield; Edna Vail, Ethel Smith, of Bloomsbury: Alice Apgar, Annie Samson, Nellie Dodwell, Edna Bodine, and Maude Wilcox.

A meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Holy Innocents church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. O. Sutton, which was addressed by Mrs. White, of Elizabeth, who has been a missionary to Japan. A number of ladies from the Presbyterian church attended.

Miss Maud Bolton, of Somerville, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Harman, has returned to her home in Somerville.

Miss Carrie Fisher, one of the school teachers, entertained a party of lady friends Tuesday night at a nut party

A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will be held tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Runyon, of Plainfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon yesterday.

Mrs. Elias Milliken, of West Front street, spent yesterday with friends in Bound Brook.

Harry Swackhamer and John Fenner spent Tuesday visiting relatives at Pluckamin.

Mrs. G. Smalley, of Greenbrook, visited relatives in Plainfield yesterday.

E. Dorsit, of Elizabethport, spent Tuesday with his aunt, Mrs. Shepherd.

Isaac J. Stites visited relatives on Staten Island and Bayonne Tuesday.

Mrs. Love's two children, who have been ill with diphtheria, are improving.

T. W. Dellinger has moved from Mauch Chunk into the Ludevici house.

Mr. and Mrs. Firman, of Jersey City, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Miss Maud Bolton, of New Brunswick is a guest of Dunnel friends.

Wm. VanMiddlesworth spent yesterday in New Brunswick.

Miss Mary Powers, of Flemington, is visiting Miss Laing.

Miss Viola Tinsman is able to be out again after her illness.

Mrs. T. W. Day spent yesterday in New York.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 10.—Rev. Edward True, rector of All Saints P. E. church, has tendered his resignation to the board of trustees as pastor, the resignation to take effect the 1st of December.

A very successful entertainment was given in the Baptist church last evening for the benefit of the Sunday-school Christmas tree fund. The committee feel much elated for the support given and a nice little sum was realized for the fund.

Election returns were received at Hand's and Emery's Hotels Tuesday night. This stopped the usual exodus of cranks to New York and Plainfield, as has been costumary since time immemorable.

William Haydon, the blacksmith, has closed his shop on Front street, and taken a position with John Stevens, in Plainfield.

The football team are practicing hard every every evening. A game is being arranged with Westfield for Saturday afternoon.

A number of the young Republicans in the village were kept busy yesterday collecting their election bets.

Robert Johnston, of Plainfield, spent Tuesday with friends and relatives in town.

John B Stiliger, of Roselle, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stiliger, Tuesday.

Mr. Gilmore, of Newark, was the guest Tuesday of Dr. and Mrs. Westcott.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 10th—The Board of Education has decided to close the public schools Friday after Thanksgiving Day as well as on that holiday. The Board also voted to purchase a microscope for the High School at a cost of $50.

A mission meeting is being held at the New York Avenue Catholic church this week. Services are held each evening and in the morning two masses are said, one at 5 o'clock and the other at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tilly, George Fowler and Winchester Rogers have been admitted to membership in the Methodist church.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Read fish car ad on page 8.

—The election of officers in the Reform Club will be held this evening.

—Dory Vroom is lettering the windows of the United States Express office.

—Woolston & Buckle's men are painting the woodwork at the First Baptist church.

—The regular meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last evening.

—Street Commissioner Gavett has been having small repairs made to the roadway on North avenue.

—There is some initiatory work on hand for the meeting of Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, tomorrow evening.

—An entertainment will be given in Grace M. E. church Thanksgiving evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

—The election returns received by the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company, last Tuesday evening, were promptly and correctly given.

—A Thanksgiving social will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church tomorrow evening by the Ladies' Aid Society of that church.

—The Women's Society for Christian Work of the Seventh-Day Baptist church held a sewing meeting in the church parlors yesterday afternoon.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will hold its meeting for sewing tomorrow afternoon in the church parlors.

—Next Saturday the Sunshine Mission Band will give a birthday sociable in the Crescent Avenue church parlors from 4 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

—A meeting of the cabinet of the Elizabeth District Epworth League was held in Vincent chapel Tuesday afternoon. Routine business was transacted.

—A multitude of offerings in new dress trimmings at Peck's. A gathering of all the latest designs in all that is the most desirable and at prices that speak for themselves

—The local telephone company rendered excellent service last Tuesday evening for giving the election returns, and the operators deserve much credit for their prompt efforts.

—The monthly meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church was held yesterday afternoon. Nothing but routine business was considered.

—Readers of the Press will do well to read carefully the advertisement of Woodhull & Martin for Friday. The "specials" they offer are straight, honest goods, and at the prices quoted real bargains.

—Minerva Temple met Tuesday and initiated one candidate and accepted an invitation to attend the Grand Temple session of New York State, to be held in Tottenville, N. Y., November 16th and 17th.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

C. E. Hepburn, of this city, has secured a position in New York.

Charles Dunlap, of East Fifth street, is detained at home by illness.

Miss Nellie Brown, of Dunellen, has been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Miss Lizzie VanCleef, of Bordentown, is visiting borough relatives.

Mrs. David Kenney, of the borough, has returned from a visit in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Lindsey Woolley, of West Front street, is detained at home by illness.

Edward Richards and family, of this city, are visiting relatives in Somerville.

Miss M. G. Morse, of Franklin place, was the guest of friends in Easton Tuesday.

Councilman Murry Burtis, of the borough, has about recovered from a recent illness.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, is confined to the house with an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. James Southard, of 135 North avenue, is confined to her home with a serious illness.

Lawyer Winfield Angleman is prominently mentioned as a candidate for the City Judgeship.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolfinger, of Madison avenue, have returned from a visit with New York friends.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Thomas H. Kellar, of New York, formerly of this city, spent Tuesday with friends in Plainfield.

Miss Harriet Loomis, of New York, has returned after visiting Miss M. G. Morse, of Franklin place.

Willard Force, of New York, has returned home after a visit with his parents on Carlton avenue.

The Misses Johnson have returned to this city after attending the funeral of their brother, who died recently.

Charles W. Burton, of Watchung avenue, returned Tuesday after an outing at Atlantic City in time to vote.

Allan B. Laing, of Craig place, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is so much improved as to be able to sit up.

W. O. Chapman will lead the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the First Baptist church next Friday evening.

Miss Bessie Baldwin, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Evelyn Lewis, of West Seventh street, has returned home.

George H. Willey, manager of the Gotham Stock Company which is at Elizabeth this week, came to Plainfield Tuesday to vote.

Dr. William Sheldecker, of Columbia P. and S., has been the guest of his college chum, Rolland Tomlinson, of LaGrande avenue.

Mrs. Anesta Corwin, formerly of Park avenue, who has been ill for some time past, has been removed to the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Gilbert Fletcher, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Emmons, of Jackson avenue, returned home today.

Mrs. Charles B. Morse, of Manlius, N. Y., who has been a guest at the home of Joseph E. Morse, of Franklin place, has gone to Easton to visit relatives.

Private Daniel Shea, of Co. H, Third Regiment, will soon return to his former position as letter-carrier in this city. He expects to be discharged in a few days.

Mrs. Wolfe, of Fourth street, who has for some time past been helped by charity, is to be taken to the City Industrial Home, where she will receive proper treatment.

Corra Ryno, of Codington avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in Phillipsburg, Warren county. Mrs. Ryno and daughter Emma are still visiting at that place.

George Wills, of this city, a volunteer in the recent war, who has been confined to the house by illness, was able to be out yesterday for the first since his return from the army.

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Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Sebring is offering a big line of men's suits at astonishing low prices.

—S. Scheuer & Co tell of some great bargains in their new adv in today's Press.

—There will be a meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps tomorrow evening.

—Painters are at work on the North avenue station giving a new coat of paint.

—Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will hold an important meeting tomorrow evening.

—There will be no meeting of the Browning Circle of the Congregational church this week.

—We will sell oysters by the quart for 30c. Prime oysters $1, $1 50 and $2 per hundred. Rogers.

—The Second Church of Christ will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Keoyer, of East Third street, Friday evening.

—An important meeting of the Sons of Veterans will be held next Tuesday evening. All members are urged to attend.

—Eden Boice, the janitor of Washington Hall, provided a pleasing and substantial luncheon for the election officers last Tuesday night.

—This evening at the meeting of the Reform Club there will be an election of officers. An excellent programme will be presented as an attraction.

—The reception that Rev. J. W. Richardson was to tender to the Park Avenue Baptist church and congregation this evening has been indefinitely postponed on account of the death of Deacon Haynes.

—The bedding factory and store located on Somerset street is nearer than Newark or New York for bedding, springs and iron beds, and a great many people have found out, cheaper than either of the above places.

—Prof. Watts and family, of New Bedford, Conn., will give an entertainment and concert in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church tonight. A large attendance is desired as the proceeds are for the benefit of the church.

—Thus far, since Rev. Mr. Jackson has been pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, 201 persons have re-registered, and seventeen new members have been received and baptized. The registration will close the third Sunday in this month.

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"Do!" said she, holding out the innocent-looking little book with the flowered cover. "You promised."

"I must have time to think it over," I protested.

"That would never do. The confessions have to be quite impromptu."

I turned over the leaves doubtfully and shook my head. "The questions are terribly searching. Why, I should have to confess enough to hang me!"

"Why not—if you deserve hanging? I dare say you do, you know." I hadn't looked at it like that.

"Now," said she, firmly. "This is a J pen—you use a J, don't you?" She planted the writing materials in front of me with an air of determination.

"Well—if I must—" I took up the pen and stared blankly at the ceiling. "What am I to do?"

"First you write your name—here." She came and stood beside me and pointed over my shoulder. So I subscribed myself hers to command. "Now your age."

"What does that matter?"

"It shows how much wisdom may be expected."

"Thirty-one, then, if I must. It's awfully old, isn't it?"

"No—o; not for a man. Now the date. That's right."

"Now you must answer the questions. What is the thought uppermost in your mind?"

"Your pleasant company."

"O! whatever will people think?"

"That I've got one answer right." I leaned back triumphantly in my chair.

"Now you must be quite serious, please. This is a very important question. Is life worth living? No! You are not to write till you have told me the answer."

"In the present company—yes."

"You are not to mention me.

"Then my inspiration's gone." I laid down the pen.

"Please!" I took it up again.

"If the liver works. Will that do?"

"It isn't original," she objected. "Four people have written it already."

"I know," said I, seizing the book and writing rapidly. It depends on the answer to another question, when I ask it.

"That's altogether too vague."

"Shall I make it more explicit?" I looked right at her, and she went prettily pink.

"There's no room for any more," said she, hastily. "Now you turn over. You have a lot more questions to answer."

Then I committed myself to the statements that my favorite author was Shakespeare, (she wouldn't hear of Kipling!) my favorite composer, Wagner, (which wasn't true,) my favorite drink, beer, (which was,) and various other important facts.

"Now for your aesthetic tastes. Your favorite colors?"

Blue in eyes and brown in hair;
Whatever color my lady wear!

"Shall I add, 'gray,' at present?" I inquired. Of course, that was what she was wearing.

"I don't know what color your lady wears. I didn't know you had 'a lady.'"

"There is one I should like to have."

"But that isn't the question," she said quickly.

"But it's going to be."

"Never mind. Go on. Your favorite name?"

"Edith, of course. That is her name, you know."

"You're making game."

"Indeed I'm not."

"Now your favorite qualities in woman. Seriously, mind! I really want to know."

"Yours," I announced, decidedly. She hastily removed the ink-pot.

"I won't have any more nonsense."

"You told me to put down the truth."

"I shall have to tear it all out."

"Well," I sighed, "I'll put something else; but it won't be so true." She released the ink. "All," I wrote.

"The next question is a poser," I remarked, "If not yourself who would you be?"

"Some great hero—or writer—or painter?" she suggested, looking over my shoulder. Her hair just brushed me—and that made my mind up.

"I'm not so ambitious as that."

"Well, put down whatever you wish, so long as it's something nice."

"She—it—is very nice."

"But it mustn't be anything silly."

"Um! I'm afraid, perhaps, what I want—"

"Want to be?"

"To have."

"Oh, no! That's not the question at all."

"But suppose that my ambition is to possess something—or somebo—"

"That isn't the point," she interrupted. "Do answer it properly."

"I know. Whomever you liked best."

"Every one will laugh at you."

"I don't mind." I nibbled the penholder thoughtfully. "Is marriage a failure? What am I to say to that?"

"Well—er—you don't know."

"I might say I'll try."

"Yes—er—but—"

"With someone's assistance?" She blushed furiously. "Do you know, Edith, it's a very difficult question to answer—alone?" She toyed with her handkerchief.

"Perhaps you'd better skip it," she advised.

"I don't want to skip it," I answered, firmly, laying down the pen. "What I want is someone to help me in answering it. Someone of whom I'm very fond, very fond." I stood up and took hold of her hands. "Will you try, Edie, my dear?"

The answer is going to be a very big "No"; for little Edie—my Edie—said "Yes."—Black and White.

NUNS AS WAR NURSES

SISTERS CARE FOR OUR FEVER-STRICKEN SOLDIERS.

President McKinley Expresses His Gratitude For Their Services In the Spanish War—Prominent Part Played by Them During the Civil War.

Hundreds of Sisters of Charity and Sisters of Mercy are nursing the heroes of the Cuban campaign back to health at the various army hospitals throughout the south.

The sisters have been famous as nurses in wartimes, and there have been few big battles in modern history where the wounded have not been nursed by them. Their work has been perpetuated in song and story, and their deeds of mercy are recorded along with the deeds of armies and nations.

During the civil war in America the sisters played prominent parts on both sides, and there are but few survivors of that great struggle who will not testify to their kindness, bravery and gentle ministrations. They were on the battlefield, in the hospital, in the camp and in the cities. Their own private institutions suffered while they were engaged in alleviating the sufferings of the wounded and dying.

Among the soldiers who bore testimony to the skill of these sisters was Major William McKinley, now president of the United States. In one of the many battles in which he participated he received a wound that necessitated a lengthy stay in one of the hospitals. There he came to know the sisters and to admire them. Near the end of the war he met the mother superior of the order in America, and, after praising the work of her companions, exacted a promise from her that in case America should ever become involved in another war she or her successor would supply it with nurses.

Major McKinley became president after many years, and the war with Spain broke out. Though pressed with a thousand cares and his attention distracted frequently, he had time to consider the question of nurses. Then after long years came back remembrances of the work of the sisters and the promises he had received from the then mother superior. She had long since died, but he immediately wrote to her successor, Mother Superior Marietta, stationed at Emmitsburg, Md., where is located the head house of the order in America.

President McKinley asked her for 100 nurses, and she immediately agreed to furnish them. Orders were sent to the various institutions throughout the country for all the sisters to hold themselves in readiness to start for the front at an hour's notice. Then, as they were needed, the president called for the nurses, and they were promptly supplied. Forty went to Santiago, more to Porto Rico, to Tampa, Jacksonville, Fort Thomas, Ky., and Chicakamauga, until the 100 had been exhausted.

But they had again shown that they were excellent war nurses, and the president found that he could use more of them, so he asked Mother Marietta for another 100.

When the call came for the nurses to qualify for service as nurses at Santiago, Mother Marietta accompanied the band to Washington. Her headquarters were at the Providence hospital, which is under the charge of Sister Beatrice. When President McKinley was told of Mother Marietta's presence in Washington, he asked that she call at the White House that he might express to her personally his appreciation of the offer of the sisters to serve whenever or wherever needed. Sister Beatrice accompanied Mother Marietta on the visit to the White House. The call was necessarily a brief one. But the president was most cordial in his expression of appreciation. He said that he remembered the services the sisters had rendered during the civil war and was glad to welcome them back to the army.—San Francisco Monitor.

Method of Catechizing.

When children can repeat their catechism, their parents should begin to exercise their reason and teach them to think by little short questions, such as may help them to understand the meaning of words and the sense of what they learn. For here lies the main difficulty of catechists—how to engage the attention of children and impress on their tender mind a due sense of what is contained in the catechism. Boudon in his excellent treatise on this subject observes that the catechism is often of no use to children, because they learn it only by rote, without understanding it. He says that he had found children of 12 or 14 years of age who knew perfectly well how to answer the questions in the catechism and who nevertheless had no knowledge of God. They would say and repeat that "there is one God and three persons—that one mortal sin was sufficient to damn a person," etc., but they pronounced all this like parrots, without any meaning and without having any proper ideas of religion.

To Celebrate the Century's End.

Pope Leo has put in the charge of an international committee, Italian, French and German, the duty of providing for a proper celebration of the end of the century. This committee has arranged pilgrimages to various holy places, to Lourdes in France, Loretto in Italy, St. Iago de Compostella in Spain, etc., and especially to Rome. In particular there is to be "a dedication of the Catholic world anew to the divine heart of Jesus." In Germany the bishop of Munster proposes to build a grand church in honor of the heart of Jesus to be dedicated June 16, 1900.—Public Opinion.

Woman.

Shall she come down and on our level stand?
Nay, God forbid it! May a mother's eyes—
Love's earliest home, the heaven of babyland—
Forever bend above us as we rise!
—Father Tabb.

CORRECTION OF CHILDREN.

Parents Must Exercise a Good Deal of Discrimination and Discretion.

Provoke not your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and correction of the Lord.—Ephesians vi, 4.

The passions of children are certain motions or affections of the soul, which from the disobedience of our first parents are become rebellious and exceedingly dangerous. These corrupt inclinations must be prudently restrained in their infancy, that they may be brought under the government of reason. When by proper management their inordinacy is pruned away, the passions may prove excellent instruments of virtue, but if cherished or not restrained in children they soon grow unruly, pervert the judgment and precipitate them into all kinds of vice and wretchedness. It is the duty of parents therefore to curb the passions of their children, to make them subject and obedient to reason and to discountenance everything that savors of pride, vanity, envy, furious anger, etc. It is also proper to show them the unreasonableness and deformity of any such passions and to accustom them to frequent disappointments by checking their eager desires for this or that favorite object. The correction of children ought to commence as soon as they begin to discern between good and evil. This branch of education will appear to be of more consequence than parents generally imagine, if we consider the nature of true religion and how the authority of parents may be made subservient to it. True religion consists in choosing and following the will of God in preference to our own will.

His authority is absolute; it should silence all our perverse reasonings and obtain from us an implicit obedience to all his commands. When a parent therefore requires from the child an entire submission to his authority, such submission will prove an excellent handmaid to religion. Let the object only be changed and filial obedience to the parent become piety toward God. With respect to the correction of children, a good deal of discrimination and discretion must be exercised by the parent. In cases of obstinacy, whether it take the form of violence or sullenness, if candor and calm representations produce not the desired effect on the child's mind, punishment must be resorted to, but it should be sparing and moderate and inflicted gradually, so as to give time to the child to recover itself from its fit of perverseness, and when its temper is altered and bends to the yoke with docility, the punishment should cease. On some occasions it will be proper to punish a child in the way of some restriction or by exacting some moderate sacrifice (such as staying in the house for some hours) in order to prevent salutary impressions from slipping too soon from his mind through youthful levity. Undoubtedly the faults of children are to be counteracted, but by moderate measures, unaccompanied by anger and violence in the parent. As to the system of those who reprobate all punishment of children, it is certainly founded on an erroneous view of human nature.

What can be more false than to represent and treat man as a creature always disposed of himself to act rightly and to cultivate every good disposition as the best means of promoting his happiness? Had this been the case we should have seen virtue clearly predominant in the world and vice merely an exception to the general state of things. The great business of education therefore should be to counteract the natural bent of the mind to evil, and to instill and foster, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, a new nature, the very reverse of that which we all bring into the world as children of sinful Adam.

Catholics In Cuba and Porto Rico.

If, as seems most probable, says The Ave Maria, Cuba and Porto Rico ultimately become a part of the United States, the number of Catholics added to our census will be about 3,000,000. Three new sees—one of them, Santiago de Cuba, is the oldest in the western hemisphere—will most probably, though not necessarily, be attached to the hierarchy of the United States. Just at this juncture it will interest our readers to learn that Cuba was once known to the world as "the Isle of the Ave Maria."

Brief Catholic Items.

The pope has sent the queen of Holland, together with an autograph letter of congratulation, a magnificent mosaic table.

It is stated that Spain supports from her treasury 117,000 monks, nuns and other persons under religious vows.

Vatican statistics state that from 600 to 700 converts to Rome are made every month in England and Wales.

Father Richard Henebery of the Catholic university at Washington occupies the only chair of Gaelic in the country.

Leo XIII has created 117 cardinals during his pontificate, and during the same period 123 members of the Sacred college have died.

The new Chinese embassador to France is a Catholic. His name is Tsching-ta-Jen, and he belongs to a family that was converted 200 years ago and has stuck to the faith ever since.

News comes from Rome that the "war has already resulted in a loss to the papal revenues of 300,000 francs. The receipts of Peter's pence, both from Spain and America, have been greatly diminished."

When news came to the Vatican of the passing away of the Iron Chancellor, the pope, says "M. A. P.," turned familiarly to Dr. Lapponi and said with a smile, "After all, my poor body proves more resistant than those of the giants of the century."

It is said that Bishop Becker of Savannah has now on hand money enough with which to commence the rebuilding of his cathedral, which was destroyed by fire some time ago. The new edifice will be built on the same lines as the old cathedral.

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Provinz Ostpreußen.

Ortelsburg. In dem königlichen Forst Dzadken bemerkten zwei Forstbeamte, daß mehrere russische Offiziere auf preußischem Gebiet jagten. Der Aufforderung der beiden Förster, die Gewehre abzugeben, wurde nicht stattgegeben. Die Offiziere verhöhnten vielmehr die beiden Beamten. Nachdem diese ihre Aufforderung noch mehrmals vergeblich wiederholt hatten, schossen sie und verletzten einen der Offiziere. Diese ergriffen nunmehr die Flucht und nahmen den verwundeten Kameraden mit. Hinter dem Grenzgraben angelangt, befahlen sie dann den russischen Grenzsoldaten, auf die beiden Förster zu schießen. Die Soldaten thaten dies auch, trafen aber nicht.

Rositten. Zur Nachtzeit sank kürzlich auf dem Kurischen Haff während eines Sturmes ein Kahn, wobei zwei Männer und zwei Frauen ertranken.

Provinz Westpreußen.

Elbing. Hier ist die Gemahlin des Landraths und Großgrundbesitzers Birkner, welcher dem Kaiser unlängst das am Kurischen Haff gelegene, seines vorzüglichen Wildstandes wegen berühmte Gut Cadinen zum Geschenk gemacht hat, in Folge eines Unfalls aus dem Leben geschieden.

Schloppe. Die Kartoffelernte ist hier mittelmäßig. Für Fabrikkartoffeln werden 27 Mark für 25 Centner gezahlt.

Rheinprovinz.

Barmen. Die Waarenausfuhr aus dem Konsulatsbezirk Barmen nach den Ver. Staaten stellte sich im 3. Quartal auf insgesammt $1,280,281.45 gegen $1,103,517.34 in der entsprechenden Zeit des Vorjahrs, sie weist somit eine Zunahme von $176,764.11 auf.

Lennep. Der kürzlich gestorbene Geheime Kommerzienrath v. Haardt-Berlin hat der Stadt Lennep, deren Ehrenbürger er war, für wohlthätige Zwecke 30,000 Mark vermacht.

Merzig. Der Mühlenbesitzer Franz Basenach aus Brotdorf wurde durch einen unglücklichen Schuß von seinem Freunde, dem Wirthe Diverjy aus Bachem, auf der Jagd erschossen. Da die Schrotladung dem Getroffenen in die Herzgegend gegangen war, trat der Tod nach wenigen Minuten ein.

Provinz Sachsen.

Quedlinburg. Die Gärtnereeheleute Lutte dahier und deren Sohn erstickten in Folge eines Fehlers an der in Unordnung gerathenen Dampfheizung.

Weißenfels. Dieser Tage fand die feierliche Einweihung des eigenen Heims der Provinzial-Taubstummenanstalt statt. Die Anstalt war bisher in Miethsräumen untergebracht. Das eigene Gebäude wurde aus Provinzialmitteln und aus den Geldern eines Legates des verstorbenen Zimmermeisters Walther errichtet und bildet eine Zierde der Stadt.

Provinz Schlesien.

Breslau. Die Baronin Hirsch in Paris schenkte dem hiesigen israelitischen Krankenhaus 300,000 Mark.

Görlitz. Am Geburtstage Kaiser Friedrich des Dritten ist hier der Grundstein zu einer Oberlausitzer Ruhmeshalle und einem damit verbundenen Kaiser Friedrich-Museum gelegt worden.

Ziegenhals. In einer hiesigen Cellulosefabrik platzte dieser Tage ein Holzbottich, in welchem sich 40,000 Liter Lauge befanden; die Hälfte dieser scharfen Flüssigkeit gerieth in die Biele, wodurch ein großes Fischsterben entstand; viele hunderttausend Fische wurden todt gefunden, und der Schaden ist enorm.

Provinz Schleswig-Holstein.

Kiel. Die hiesige Rhedereifirma Diedrichsen und die Hamburger Firma Rüdenburg richten regelmäßige Segelschiffverbindungen zwischen Deutschland und Kiaotschau ein. Diedrichsen läßt monatlich, Rüdenburg in unbestimmten Zeiträumen expediren.

Flensburg. Zwischen Langenhorn und Leck wurde ein Handwerksgeselle ermordet und beraubt aufgefunden. Als der That dringend verdächtig wurden seine beiden Reisebegleiter, welche kurz zuvor mit dem Ermordeten zusammen in einer Wirthschaft gewesen waren, verhaftet.

Provinz Westfalen.

Münster. An der hiesigen Akademie können jetzt, zufolge ministerieller Verfügung, Studirende der Medizin das ein bis zwei Semester umfassende vorbereitende naturwissenschaftliche Studium abmachen. Die Neuerung ist namentlich für die Mediziner aus der Stadt Münster von besonderem Werth.

Soest. Das alte, mit feinen Mauern und Wällen umgebene Soest soll durch Beseitigung der Binnenwälle und Wälle, Ausfüllung der „Gräften" (Wallgräben), Schaffung von Ringstraßen u. s. w. in eine moderne Stadt umgewandelt werden. Die Stadtverordneten beschlossen auf Vorschlag des Magistrats, von dem Geheimen Baurath Stubben, dem genialen Schöpfer der Kölner Ringstraßen, ein Gutachten einzuholen.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, *7 50, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 36, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at *10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 26, *2 25, 3 30, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m. 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 8?, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, *2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 03 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, *19, 6 33, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 56, a.m *2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, *7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 20, 4 35, 5 25, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 1 27, 5 25, 6 33, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m.; *2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

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8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 53, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sun days 8 52 a.m.; 5 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 6 32 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a.m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a.m

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 36*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 36*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a.m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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By Oscar Thomas.

"The finest horseman I ever saw," exclaimed a gentleman who, with a party of pretty and fashionable girls, was watching the performance on the track from a box on the grand stand.

"Perfectly lovely!" exclaimed one of the girls, while "And so handsome, too!" said another charming admirer; and then there arose a chorus of "Ohs!" as the rider gracefully performed a daring feat.

The object of their admiration was Tom Baker, formerly cowboy, but now "doing" country fairs in New England States with a troop of rough riders.

Tom was only twenty, and never until a month previous had he been a hundred miles from Western life. Now here he was, "showing off," as he put it, before thousands of well-dressed people, who "howled like young bucks at a war dance" every time he shot at the glass balls.

It was easy work for Tom to break the globes at each shot, for Jim threw them, and he and Jim had signals that no one else understood; so after Tom had finished his fancy riding with Wild Fox, his trained broncho, Jim would ride ahead, cantering this way and that, tossing into the air colored glass balls which Tom broke in a graceful manner at each crack of his superb rifle.

Tom was a picture as he sat astride Wild Fox, a thoroughbred, dressed in his cowboy costume of buckskin, a large felt hat poised carelessly on a perfectly shaped head while his bronzed face, with its deep thoughtful expression was set in a frame of golden curls that contrasted strangely with the rest of his appearance. He rode a horse as though he were part of it; he was the envy of every small boy on the grounds, and the admired of hosts of maidens—and not a few matrons also.

But while many who watched talked of Tom and the wonderful skill he displayed, Tom was thinking of practical, every day matters, and as the last "crack" sounded from his rifle he wondered if "Oily Skin" as he called the manager, would 'ante up" his week's wages when due.

Tom seldom laughed. His life had been too hard and dreary for that; but a peculiar smile stole into his eyes as he thought what might happen to "Oily Skin" if he didn't pay up.

He pulled Wild Fox far back on his haunches, right in front of the well-filled boxes, and with a graceful bow touched his slouch hat and the show was done. So said the gentleman in the box; but he didn't know, neither did others. A show not on the bills was already beginning.

The first Tom knew, there was a great commotion down the track, a scattering and mad scrambling of the crowd, which seemed to break away before there burst into view a pair of frightened runaways attached to a fashionable turnout, the driver's seat empty! Tom pushed in towards the fence to give them room to pass, and as they went by in their mad rush, the carriage swaying and snapping, two little frightened faces peered over the seats pitiful to witness.

With the words, "At 'em, Fox!" Tom was bending low in the saddle, tearing after the maddened animals and with each step getting nearer.

How the crowd watched! Every one stood up who could and how the faces blanched when crack! went a rear axle and a side of the carriage dragged in the dust. But a cheer arose as Wild Fox, now close behind, lightly cleared the broken wheel with a bound, and in a few strides reached the frightened horses' heads.

"He's motioning to the children!" excitedly spoke a girl.

"He's trying to reach the horses' heads," exclaimed the gentleman. "But he can't stop the beasts that way."

"Oh, look!" shouted another girl, for Tom had half risen on his feet on the back of Wild Fox, and with a spring landed on the back of the nearer of the horses both of which were now madly plunging.

A shout went up from the grand stand. The runaways were half way around the track. Tom heard the shout, though faintly and muttered.—

"If they dont stumble, I'll fix the cusses."

And now a wail went up from the onlookers for Tom had apparently fallen from the horse and dropped out of sight; but he had only slipped to the pole between the runaways, and holding on with his legs tightly gripped, and getting badly bruised at each lunge, he was reaching for the ribbons dangling from the bits.

Another moment a mighty roar was heard from thousands of throats for there stood Tom between the horses, braced back with all his might, and—well, even wild horses know a master, and a minute after they came up along the grand stand at a dog trot.

A frightened father and weeping mother held two darling children to their breasts while Tom, with apparently no effort, jumped astride of Wild Fox (who had followed his master closely) and tried to ride away.

But the crowd wouldn't let him go. They shouted at him, cheered him, and "gave me a great bluff," as he afterwards said. Then a portly gentleman made his way to him and his lips trembled when he talked. He held out his hand and wrung Tom's hand, and said.—

"My boy, how can I thank you?"

"Don't want any thanks sir. Why, that's nothing to punchin' steers," he added. "The little fellers (they happened to be girls) was scared a bit, but I guess not hurt, eh?"

The gentleman talked on; he must do something for Tom—why, he had saved his children! What was Tom's name, and where did he live? to which Tom answered, "Tom Baker, sir, and I live twenty miles west of Agents Station, near Cherokee strip. It's a ranch," he added indifferently.

The crowd closed in, and a rousing three cheers, with a tiger, came from the grand stand, and Tom looked up, and amid the waving of kerchiefs his eye caught sight of the prettiest girl he had ever seen in all his life. She sat in a box with a number of other girls, and she was waving her handkerchief and smiling at him, too. Tom was so taken aback that for an instant he nearly fell from his horse; but in another moment he had recovered from what was to him a fright, and sitting very erect in his saddle, he gracefully lifted his big hat, blushing through his tan as he did so, and then in a manner boyishly shy, tossed a kiss to the pretty face before him.

As he rode rapidly away, he heard a chorus of voices exclaim with mingled amusement and dismay,—

"Oh, Nan!"

"And so her name is Nan," he thought.

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A number of years after this episode, a man paused before a picture that hung in a conspicuous position in the gallery of the Metropolitan Art Museum. The picture was nearly life size, and represented a cowboy seated on a rugged horse. It was eventide, and in the distance could be seen the camp fires of his comrades, while in another direction was a black mass—the tired steers. He was dressed in buckskin and wore a big slouch hat that half shaded his eyes while across the pommel of his saddle rested his rifle, the barrel gleaming in the last rays of the setting sun. On either side and just below the filled cartridge belt protruded the butts of heavy revolvers. One hand hung idly by his side, while the other carelessly held the bridle rein.

You might, indeed, have turned away after noting these details of the picture were it not for the face of the subject, but that face would hold you to the spot.

Under the slouch hat clustered ringlets of golden hair, which framed the bronzed face and seemed to cause the bright blue eyes to fairly twinkle, eyes at once boyish and again strong and manly. You could almost see the bright face break into a smile; the next instant it took on a look of deep thought, and was a face full of resolution, strength and courage.

"The Young Cowboy," the picture was labelled, and hundreds gazed at it, for it was a masterpiece of its kind.

On this day the gallery was empty save for the man who stood in front of the painting. He was tall and well built, and his dress at once proclaimed him of the "well to do;" yet his face was a deep tan, showing his exposure to outdoor life.

He stood looking at the portrait before him, seemingly in a revery, which was broken by the words,—

"Well, Tom, you did well."

Footsteps approached and he turned away; but before taking many steps he passed a girl whose face instantly caused him to pause and watch her. She walked up to the painting and gazed earnestly at the figure on the canvas.

He noted her trim figure and the womanly grace of every movement, and as she half turned her face he stood irresolute a moment, then went forward boldly.

Just before he reached her side she turned; meeting his look, a flush of recollection rushed to her face which quickly changed to one of mingled confusion and gladness, the last of which he was quick to notice.

"Pardon me, but is not this"—hesitatingly—"Nan?"

He spoke with a tinge of emotion.

"Yes," she answered frankly, "and this is—she glanced quickly up at the painting and then back at him—"Tom?"

Well, it rained outside, but these two found a settle in a cosy corner and heeded not the storm.

A long time afterward, the girl and the man passed down the entrance steps together. As he raised an umbrella, he bent low and asked,—

"Nan, are you afraid of the rain?"

"I fear nothing when Tom"—how she lingered over the name—"is near."

Down the steps they went. Of course it rained slightly and there was only one umbrella, and they walked close together—yes, very close.

Making Up a Boston Mind.

"Do you love me, sweetheart?" he asked, passionately.

"I think I do, Henderson," she replied demurely. "But love is such a funny term and means so many things. In Boston it involves so much that is abstract, in Chicago so much that is passionate, and in New York so much that is plainly business, that I hesitate to say."

"Still, dear, do you love me?"

"I think I do, Henderson. I am an American girl. Born in Boston, I think of you as differentiated from yourself. Educated in Chicago, I am not indifferent to love. And since you are rated as a millionaire in New York I rather think I can be happy with you. Yes, Henderson, I will come to your arms."—Harper's Bazar.

Rising Politician (whose friends have given him a brass band serenade) —My fellow-citizens, this spontaneous tribute touches me deeply. I am at a loss to find words to express my thanks. You have laid me under obligations I shall never, never be able to repay.

Leader of brass band (in alarm)—But dis vas to be a gash dransaction, mein friendt!—Worcester Spy.

THE FOOTBALL HERO.

GETTING INTO FORM FOR THE GREAT COLLEGE GAMES.

The Leading Players of the Four Most Important College Elevens in the United States and What They Have to Accomplish.

In the east football will begin this year with three youngsters at the head of three of the most important college elevens in the United States, and a seasoned player as captain of the fourth team of the big four.

Dibblee of Harvard; Outland, of Pennsylvania, and Chamberlin, of Yale, cannot measure their years of experience with those of Kelly, of Princeton. In spite of Kelly's prestige, his knowledge of the game and his great ability as an aggressive player, his task, with that of Dibblee's, is the hardest in the quadrangular group standing for the best of American football.

The reason for this lies in the fact that each man finds it neccessary to build up not only a team that can play, but a team that thinks it can play. The spirit of Harvard and

Princeton was crushed by the unexpected reverses received at Yale's hands last year, and it will take much first-class missionary work to put the men into the proper humor for winning work.

Outland's task is not entirely an easy one, as he succeeded a winning captain, and at the outset was something of a stranger to the duties that are required of the head of an eleven. One thing in his favor, however, is the hitherto cordial relations between the members of "Pennsy's" football eleven and the harmonious support with which they always "back up" the head of the team. They seem to be keeping up their record this year.

If any one of the four might be said to have comparatively easy sailing, Chamberlin appears to be the man. He is the leader of an eleven that finished the season of 1897 with an overwhelming stock of confidence in its ability to defeat anything in the football line. Criticised, abused, even sneered at when the season was in its infancy, Yale made a finish that startled the sporting world and sent the youngsters of the eleven home with pride beaming from every lineament of their features—and it was pardonable pride, too.

Something about the personal characteristics of the present captains is not amiss.

Dibblee and Kelly belong to the dashing class of players. The latter, particularly, when the sky seems overcast for Princeton in important matches, has evoked the wildest enthusiasm from his college partisans by making

an extraordinary run upon the field, which appealed even to the frigid sensibilities of the cold-blooded critics.

Dibblee is a good general as well as a good football player. He is reputed to possess those most important qualifications of a leader which combine the knack of getting the best of everything out of his fellows, and at the same time making each man on the team believe that but for him the game would have been lost. Much is expected of Dibblee by the college men, and if he fails to pull Harvard out of the ruck something like the gloom of absolute discouragement is likely to settle upon the entire institution. Of course, he cannot accomplish wonders without the assistance of good players, and W. Cameron Forbes who is again coaching the Crimson eleven, is expected to render much assistance to the new captain.

Outland, of Pennsylvania, is one of the universally popular men to be found at one time or another at every big educational institute. Whether he is as great a football player as the man who preceded him is a question to be solved largely by the results of 1898. His ability as a player is not confined to one position on the eleven, and there is considerable discussion whether to play him at half back or quarter back.

Outland is said to possess great shrewdness upon the field. He is quick to recognize the weakness of an adversary, and just as quick to take advantage of it. If there is a weak place in the opposing eleven none grasps the fact with more avidity than he, and last year he rendered valuable assistance to his captain by his marked ability in counsel. The Pennsylvania men are disposed to believe they have the best captain on the gridiron this year.

Chamberlin is exactly the type of a player that the Yale eleven needed last year and it had more like him. Aggressive in the spirit with which a bulldog is aggressive; persistent, as the waves are persistent in beating upon the beach; combative, as the Americans were combative when they rushed up the slopes of El Caney, he never knows when he is defeated or when to "let up" on an adversary.

Whether he will be a successful leader is another problem. A player may be game to the backbone, pugnacious from crown to heel and still not be a good leader of his fellows. Yale's coaches and advisers say Chamberlin is all right. Certainly he has little of which to complain in his team, as compared with the other three of the "big four," and if he is as successful as the Sons of Eli hope he will finish his season with more glory than lighted about the heads of the "late comers" last year when they successfully walloped Princeton, after a preliminary campaign that tried the heart of every man at New Haven.

The Cornell team is somewhat crippled by the loss of many of last year's best men, including Captain McKeever and Tracy at the ends, Schoch and Tangeman at the centre, Wilson at half-back and Faville at guard. The team is being coached by ex-Captain Glenn S. Warner, of Buffalo, who was so successful last season. He is assisted by Thomas F. Fennell, of Elmira, who formerly played in the Cornell line.

Among the old players who are candidates for the team are Dempsey, Bassford, Alexander, Porter, Morrison, Starbuck, Cross and Captain Whiting.

The football team of Princeton University is being coached this year by the finest assortment of ex-football men that ever stepped foot on the Tigers' gridiron. "Biffy" Lee, captain of the Princeton team in 1895, has been selected as head coach, and he is assisted by Howard Brokaw, the star end of the 1896 team, whose name is still in the mouths of Princetonians; Moffat, the famous full-back, and George and Balliet, men who formerly played centre rush. Tyler, who was one of the Princeton representatives at the Olympic games at Athens in 1895, is looking after the work of the tackles. Fine, whose strategy has counted for Princeton in days of yore, is directing the headwork of the team.

THE STAFF OF LIFE IN MEXICO.

Tortillas, the National Bread, Is the Food of All Classes.

A table of various commercial data of the City of Mexico shows that 5,000,000 tortillas are consumed daily in the city. The tortilla, the national bread of Mexico, is made of maize. It is an unleavened bread, the food of rich and poor alike. For common use it is sometimes made quite thick; for the tables of the better class it is small, four or five inches in diameter. It is prepared now as it has been for a thousand years. The maize is parboiled to cleanse and soften the grain, and then left to cool. Afterward it is crushed on a metate, or block of lavastone, about sixteen inches broad and twenty inches long, and mixed with water. The paste is patted by hand until it is as thin as a pancake, and then toasted on a brasero, or native charcoal brazier. Tortillas cost about three cents a dozen, and a family of ordinary size will consume on an average eight dozen a day. There are nine factories in the city of Mexico where the tortillas are turned out by machinery. The importance of the industry is further shown by the number of "maicerias," or maize shops, in the city, which are said to number not less than two hundred. In the early part of the meal of the working classes in Mexico the tortilla is used as a plate, receiving the meat or other edible which forms the principal course. When this is disposed of, it is the turn of the tortilla, which is curled up and eaten with great gusto.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

An inventor has produced an electric cane lamp. The handle of the cane contains an incandescent lamp, the two poles of which are connected with the plates of a battery. Below this is a small chamber to carry the battery fluid. When it is desired to use the lamp the cap is taken off and the cane inclined, so that the liquid it contains comes in contact with the electrodes. A current is thus produced that will, it is asserted, keep the light going for an hour.

SPORTING.

GOLF.

Mixed foursomes for the Gilbert cup will be played on the course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club Thanksgiving morning at 10 o'clock. The finals for the Chapman cup will be played next Saturday.

Among those present at the opening of the Park Golf Club last Tuesday was Mayor Wilson, of the borough. His Honor took quite a lively interest in the event and he watched the players with evident satisfaction. He was charmed with the location of the course, and he thinks, he too, may learn the game and indulge in the healthful exercise.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The bowling team of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. went to Westfield Tuesday evening, and won two games from the junior team of that place. Both teams rolled in rather poor form and the scores were all small. One of the Plainfield team failed to put in an appearance and so the other four had to take turns in rolling for the missing man. The scores were as follows:

PLAINFIELD.	1st.	2d.	WESTFIELD.	1st.	2d.
C. P. Sutphen	131	142	M. Bogert	153	123
S. Hunter	118	97	C. Hart	112	111
M. Sutphen	123	97	E. Foster	132	116
C. Sutphen	151	192	P. DuBois	133	106
Bye	158	135	H. Manning	106	141
	681	663		636	597

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Don't forget the ball to be held this evening in Saengerbund Hall under the auspices of Warren Engine Company. Proceeds will be used to buy new uniforms.

—A dozen good values White's advertisement tells about but it does not tell of half the goods things that are ready for you in each department at prices that will cause you to wonder how they can do it.

—Next Monday evening H. K. Samuelian, of Constantinople, Turkey, will give an illustrated lecture at the Y. M. C. A. building on the subject of "Ancient and Modern Constantinople." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will hold a missionary meeting in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. this evening at 7:45. The subject will be, "Thibet, a nation which has but recently opened up its doors to the Missionary."

—Last Tuesday evening at the meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., one recruit was mustered. At the next meeting will take place the annual inspection, at which time the department officers and staff will be present.

SHOE DEALERS ORGANIZE.

Dealers Get Together to Determine Trade Affairs.

An organization of the local shoe dealers was effected last evening in the rooms of the Board of Trade. The object of the association is somewhat similar to the Grocers' Protective Association, with some changes to suit the members. All of the dealers were present last evening but Flynn Bros. and A. Willett & Son., but they have signified their willingness to join the association. For good reasons they could not be present at the first meeting.

Those present include Seeley Edsall, J. H. Doane, J. J. Kenney, H. M. Sherwin, M. Abrams, B. R. Force, William Schloss and Morris VanArsdale. The following officers were elected: President, Seeley Edsall; secretary and treasurer, Morris VanArsdale. The president appointed J. J. Kenney, Wm. Schloss and H. M. Sherwin a committee to draft a set of resolutions to be presented at the next meeting to be held next week. The resolutions will embody specifically the objects of the association.

During the evening the question of trading stamps and prizes was discussed, but nothing definite was decided in the matter. The association will probably meet quarterly after the organization is thoroughly completed and will from time to time discuss such things as will be of interest to the local trade.

G. F. Rittenhouse, of Lambertville, is now connected with the dry goods house of I. H. Boehm.

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PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

William R. Moore, of Post 73, is quite ill at his home, 612 New street.

Miss Mildred Thompson, of Thompson Ridge, N. Y., has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. N. W. Currie, of West Fifth street.

Dr. Wm. Hall, a surgeon in the United States Army during the campaign in Cuba, is spending a few days with Mrs. H. E Bowen, of Watchung avenue.

Reception to Sir Knights.

A reception and banquet was given last evening in Aurora Grata Cathedral, Bedford avenue, Brooklyn, by the members of Clinton Commandery, No. 14, K. T., to Sir George Nicholson, Right Eminent Grand Commandery of K. T., of the State of New York. During the evening a gold sword was presented to Mr. Nicholson by the Commandery. Those from this city who attended the reception include Jacob Kirkner, S. R. Bingham, R. A. Meeker, Garret Dunham, F. L. C. Martin, Phillip MacIntyre, George M. MacIntyre, E. H. Cleveley, Edward Nelson, and N. Y. Dungan, of Somerville.

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ENCHANTED GROVE OF BEES.

Peculiarity of Two Trees, the Cause Of Which Cannot Be Explained.

On the site of an old Shawnee village is a spot which seems to have been the thickest settled part of the town, is a grove of black oak trees. In this grove are two very large post oak trees, one in the south and one in the north end of the grove. In the grove can be heard most any day the buzzing of a swarm of bees so plainly that the noise has fooled many old bee hunters, but all their search has never revealed a single bee.

Now comes the most peculiar part of this most peculiar tale. The large postoak tree standing at the north end of the grove is the curiosity of the bunch, for not long ago a young man hearing of the bees went to the spot and proceeded to look carefully up each tree in the grove until he came to the north tree. He was within two feet of this tree, loking up, when he heard a noise just like a carpenter at work nailing on boards, and the noise seemed to come from the tree. He went around it several times, trying to locate the hammering, but it still seemed to come from the tree. The hammering continued until he happened to touch the tree with his hand, when it suddenly stopped. The man then went away amazed. A day or so afterward this man had occasion again to pass that way. He slipped up to the tree and listened for the hammering, and sure enough, it was as plain as ever. He touched the tree with the end of his finger, and as before the noise stopped at once. This man and several others have tried touching the tree several times since, with the same result.

They say that the humming of bees and the curious hammering can be heard any day, but no one has been able to explain the mysteries of this enchanted grove.—Galveston News.

A Strategic Servant.

A good story is told, which, by the way, goes to show that officers were not feasting while the men were living on ordinary army rations. One of our generals in Cuba entertained, it seems, some visiting officers at his field quarters near the fighting line before Santiago. The fare resembled in simplicity the legendary roast sweet potatoes of Revolutionary times, but the host's hearty welcome and still more his wealth of good stories carried along the meagre menu. At length, however, there came a pause, both gastronomic and conversational. The guests were awaiting "what next" when the old negro servant was heard to hiss into the general's ear: "Give 'em another big one, Gen'l; de cook dun scorch de hardtack."—Philadelphia Press.

Richer Than Hetty Green

Mrs. Richard King of Texas is probably the richest woman in the United States, not excepting Mrs. Hetty Green. Her wealth is partly inherited from her father, a pioneer Presbyterian clergyman, the first who ever went, staff and Bible in hand, to preach the gospel to the Indians and mixed races that peopled the vast domain over which his own little daughter was destined to hold sway as a landed proprietor. Mrs. King is a widow, and her landed estates in southern Texas amount to 1,250,000 acres, or about two thousand square miles.—Exchange.

The residents in Vienna last year ate 18,207 horses.

SARATOGA'S "HORSE HAVEN."

The Water and Good Air Prove a Beneficial Resort for Equines.

One of the features of Saratoga is a sealed book to those visitors who are not interested in the races, and even the old, regular guests, to whom every nook and corner of the Spa is familiar, and who have watched the improvement and the development of the popular resort, know nothing about the place opposite the race track which is designated by a sign as "Horse Haven."

To men who are interested in racing and who follow the races, the place has more fascination than the great hotels with their artistic courts, grand drawing rooms, monster dining halls and luxurious surroundings. It is the place where the horses which compete for prizes during the racing season are housed, and where other horses, weary and worn with work for race track honors, are brought to recuperate and gain new vigor for coming contests.

In 1863 the old track was abandoned and the new running track on the opposite side of Union avenue was opened, and since that time the old track, with the houses and the barns which grew up there, became Horse Haven, possibly the greatest horse summer resort in the world.

When horses finish their work at Sheepshead Bay, Morris Park, Gravesend, Brighton and the various other race tracks, not only in New York and its vicinity, but in all other parts of the country, when hard work and rigid training have made rest and additional care necessary, they are brought to the Haven, and within a few days a change for the better is noticed in them. The water and the air do the business and prove as beneficial to horse as man.

There are many stables in the enclosure, and these have 1,030 boxes, which will accommodate nine hundred horses. The rest of the box room is given over to help and supplies. The old track is kept in repair, and additional smaller tracks are arranged for the accommodation of the horse guests. On these tracks the rehearsals for the performances on the track across the way take place, and there owners and lovers of horses congregate every morning and evening to watch the filers taking their constitutionals. The gates of the Haven are never closed, and Mr. Puckett and his sons, who assist him in the management of the place, are always anxious to show the place to visitors. —New York Tribune.

How Spurgeon Converted Him.

Spurgeon once passed a stone mason who, after each stroke of his hammer, cursed and swore. He laid his hand on the man's shoulder and, looking kindly at him, said: "You are an adept at swearing. Can you also pray?" With another oath he replied: "Not very likely." Holding up five shillings Mr. Spurgeon said if he would promise never to pray he would give him that. "That is easily earned," said the man with a fresh oath, and put it in his pocket. When Spurgeon left the man began to feel a little queer. When he went home his wife asked him what ailed him, and he told her. "It is Judas's money!" said the man, and, on a sudden impulse, he threw it into the fire. The wife found it, and took it out, and discovered who had given it to him. The man took it back to Spurgeon, who conversed long with him, warning him, and at length was the means of saving him. He became an attached member of his flock.—New York Tribune.

Too Quick for the Stock Brokers.

Down the postoffice steps Rev. Dr. Fyfthly carefully picked his way, and then his feet suddenly shot out, and he went down right in the midst of a group of stock brokers.

"Ah, good morning, doctor!" laughed the stock brokers, recognizing the minister. "You remind us of the wicked man whose foot slippeth."

"Nay," retorted the good minister, "but rather do I seem like the man who went down to Jericho."

"How is that?" chorused the brokers.

"Because he fell among thieves," murmured the doctor as he got up and moved decorously away.—Anglo-American.

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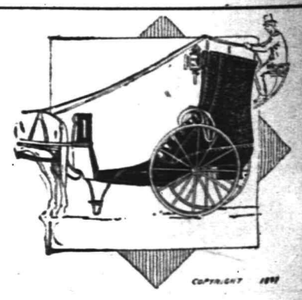

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ESTABLISHED MAY 10, 1887. PLAINFIELD, N. J., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1898. TWO CENTS A COPY—$5 A YEAR.

THOSE TO BE CHOSEN AT CITY ELECTION.

Mayor, Judge and Collector to be Elected.

ALSO FOUR COUNCILMEN.

EACH WARD WILL SELECT A NEW COUNCILMAN.

On the Result Will Depend the Political Complexion of the New Council—Terms of Three Republicans and Four Citizens Do Not Expire—Term of Dr. Jenkins, Board of Education, Expires

While the rest of New Jersey has returned to its usual interests, Plainfield is still deeply interested in the subject of politics. The State election is over, but now the eyes of the local voters are turned toward the municipal election which will take place Tuesday, December 6th.

The city election this year will be of more than the usual importance. The highest executive officer of the city, the Mayor, will be elected. The three-year term of Mayor Charles J. Fisk will expire on the first day of January, 1899, and his successor will be chosen at the coming election.

The term of City Judge DeMeza will also expire with the new year, and the citizens will have a chance to select another one. Elias R. Bird was the last city tax collector elected. He resigned last summer to accept the appointment as postmaster. James A. Martin was chosen by the Common Council to fill Mr. Bird's unexpired term. That will expire with this year and a new Collector will be voted for.

All these candidates will be voted upon in the city-at-large, and the candidates for them will be chosen at the city conventions of the political parties, or by petition. Then there are four ward Councilmen whose terms expire this year, and the successors to whom will be elected in their respective wards.

In the First ward, C. J. Newman will be the retiring Councilman. William N. Runyon, of the Second ward has completed his two years' of service. J. T. Baker, president of the Common Council, is the retiring Councilman from the Third ward. Elmore D. Moffett, who was elected last year to fill the remaining year of Isaac Randolph's unexpired term, leaves the Council as the representative of the Fourth ward.

Of the city officials whose terms expire this year and whose successors are to be elected at the coming municipal election all are Republicans, and were elected to office on that ticket, except one. Elmore D. Moffett is one of the leading Democrats in the city and was elected last year on the Citizens' ticket.

Of the Councilmen now remaining in the Council whose term of office does not expire until the year following, there are three regular Republicans, Messrs. Barrows, Buckle and Andrews. The other four were elected to the Council on the Citizens' ticket last year. They are Messrs. Hetfield, VanHerwerden, Liefke and Homan. The result of the election in the wards will therefore determine the political complexion of the next Council.

There will be one new member of the Board of Education to be chosen by the voters of the city-at-large. The term of Dr. O. L. Jenkins expires this year. The term of office is five years.

HOWELL IS ELECTED.

Convery Had But 252 Majority in Monmouth; Howell Wins by 767.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 11—Complete returns filed at Freehold for Monmouth county make it evident that Benj. F. Howell, Rep., has been elected in the Third Congressional district. The returns give Patrick Convery, Dem., a majority of 180. Mr. Howell had a plurality of 649 in Somerset county and a plurality of 299 in Middlesex county, making a total of 947. Deducting the plurality of Convery in Monmouth county—180—and Mr. Howell still has a plurality of 767, indicating his election beyond peradventure. This will be Mr. Howell's third term, he having been elected in 1894 and again in 1896.

W. C. T. U. Fair a Success.

The W. C. T. U. fair closed last Wednesday evening and was in every way a success. Most everything was disposed of and the Union will receive a nice sum of money clear of expenses for their efforts. The attendance each night at the fair was gratifying, and in spite of other attractions the people came and patronized liberally the fair. As soon as the expenses are paid, an announcement will be made regarding the profits.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

FIRE IN THE CITY HOTEL.

HEROIC EFFORTS OF JAMES LAUGHLIN PREVENTED ITS SPREADING.

A Lamp Left in the Hall was All Afire When He Discovered It Early This Morning—His Prompt Action.

James Laughlin, a barkeeper in the City Hotel, proved himself a hero early this morning by preventing a serious fire in the City Hotel, which, had it got under headway, might have endangered the lives of the guests in that hostelry.

Laughlin went up to third floor at 6 o'clock to get the key to the barroom, and as he reached the hallway he was startled to see the lamp, left there during the night, afire on the inside, the flames leaping up in a threatening manner.

He grabbed the lamp to throw it out of the window, but before he could accomplish this it exploded. The oil spread over the floor and commenced to blaze fiercely. Laughlin had on a heavy overcoat, and hastily divesting himself of this garment he covered the flames with it, meanwhile calling for help. The guests were not long in responding and he was aided by others in extinguishing the fire.

Laughlin was slightly burned and inhaled considerable smoke. Had it not been for his timely discovery and heroic efforts a serious fire would probably have occurred.

The damage was $50, covered by insurance.

A BIG GAME TOMORROW.

HOW PLAINFIELDERS CAN SEE THE YALE-PRINCETON GAME.

Pennsylvania Railroad Will Run Two Specials to Princeton—Plainfielders Can Take Them at Elizabeth or New Brunswick

As the Jersey Central railroad does not pass through Princeton and Princeton Junction, the crowd of football enthusiasts who expect to attend the great Yale-Princeton game at Princeton, tomorrow afternoon, will have to go by the Pennsylvania railroad. The game is called for two o'clock but the average spectator will want to reach the field sometime before the game is called.

The game is to be played at Brokaw Field which is close by the station of the Pennsylvania railroad. That railroad will run special trains to the game and sell special excursion tickets for those trains only.

One special train will leave New York, Cortlandt and Debrosses streets ferry, at 10:30 o'clock. It will stop at Elizabeth P. R. R. station at 11:07 and New Brunswick at 11:30. Plainfielders can either go to Elizabeth by the Central and change there or take the trolley to New Brunswick.

The second special train will leave New York just an hour after the first, stopping at Elizabeth at 12:07. It makes no stop at New Brunswick. The trains will reach Princeton at 12:05 and 1:05 respectively. The excursion fare from New York will be $2, from Elizabeth, $1.50; and from New Brunswick 75 cents. The specials will return at the close of the game.

As the restaurant facilities of Princeton are small, those who attend the game will do well to provide themselves with a lunch if they start in the morning or partake of something before they leave on the noon train. By leaving Plainfield for Elizabeth on the 11:10 train, there will be time for lunch at Elizabeth before taking the P. R. R. special at 12:07.

POOR TROLLEY SERVICE.

Brunswick Traction Company Not Doing as Franchise Calls for.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 11.—People living along the line of the Brunswick Traction Company between this town and Bound Brook, which was opened two weeks ago, are complaining bitterly of the service that is being furnished by the road. Though the term of the franchise call for cars every half-hour, the present schedule allows only one car every hour. Unless the cars are run oftener an attempt will be made to discipline the traction company through the municipal bodies. The Brunswick Company connect with the Plainfield line, which runs cars under a schedule of 12 minutes, and during the time that elapses between the hour trip of the Brunswick company the Plainfield company generally furnishes more than enough passengers to fill the car for Bound Brook when it leaves Dunellen. On several trips Sunday the Brunswick company's cars carried over a 100 passengers at a time. The Brunswick company say they are short of cars.

To Speak Particularly to Men

Rev. Dr. Lewis and Stephen Cahoone, president of our Y. M. C. A., will speak at the Seventh day Baptist church tonight, and Pastor Main's sermon tomorrow will be addressed particularly to men.

END OF AN ACTIVE LIFE.

JACOB LONG DIED AT HIS HOME LAST NIGHT.

He Was Eighty-nine Years of Age and Had Led an Eventful Life—Started Life as a Farmer—Once a Freeholder

Jacob Long, one of Somerset county's oldest and most active citizens, passed away last evening at 10:30 o'clock at his residence on Craig place. He was hale and hearty up to within four months of his death, and suffered but little from illness throughout his career.

Mr. Long was born a farm near Martinville, Somerset county, on September 27, 1819. Thrown upon his own resources at an early age, he soon learned the secret of self reliance. When only a lad of seventeen years, he purchased a farm a mile from his birthplace and began work there with great success. There he lived for forty years.

Although he began his career as a farmer, he early began a live stock dealer or "drover" as they were then called. The business was a productive one and extended all through this State, New York and Canada. He formed a partership with Harvey S. Moore, then of Rahway, both now residing on West Front street, this city.

The firm met with success and did an extensive business until 1873, when it was dissolved by mutual consent after having lasted thirty years. Then both men retired.

In 1840 Mr. Long was married to Miss Thursa Moore, of Liberty Corner. There were six children, all living, who grew up on the farm and then went out into the world. On Mr. Long's retirement from business, he and his wife moved to Rahway, leaving their son, John S. B. Long to run the homestead farm.

Three years after, Mr. Long moved to North Plainfield to be near his son, Dr. Monroe B. Long, who had located in Plainfield, and remained there until the time of his death.

Mr. Long cast his first vote for Gen. William Henry Harrison, the Whig candidate for President. When the Republican party was formed, he voted for their first candidate, John C. Fremont, and has remained a faithful follower of the party ever since.

In 1860-61, he was elected a chosen freeholder from Bridgewater township, Somerset county, on the Republican ticket. He served well and afterwards held several other minor offices in the county. He never took a very active part in politics, however.

Last June his wife died and he was left alone. Since then his health has steadily failed. For the past month he has been nearly helpless and it was known that the end was close at hand. He was conscious to the last and then passed away without pain. His death was caused by exhaustion and old age.

He leaves six children. William H. Long, of Somerville, ex-Surrogate of Somerset county; John S. B. Long, who is living on the old homestead near Martinville; Mrs. George W. VanNest, whose husband owns an adjoining farm; Jacob Long, Jr., of Walden, Orange county, N. Y.; Dr. M. B. Long, of Park avenue, this city, and Mrs. S. O Staats, of West Second street, this city.

FUNERAL OF DEACON HAYNES.

Held at His Late Home Yesterday Afternoon, Rev. Dr. Richardson Officiating.

The funeral services of Charles A. Haynes were held at his late home on First place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Richardson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church, officiated, assisted by Rev. Robert Lowry, D. D. A sextette composed of Mrs. W. L. Lowry, Miss Ada Runyon, Miss Adelaide Runyon, Miss Emma V. Fish, William A. Stimpson and Thomas A. Cuming sang three favorite hymns during the service.

The interment was today in Greenwood. Among the floral offerings was a pillow of pink and white roses and chrysanthemums from the members of the Park Avenue Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member.

Big Reception for Voorhees.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Newark, Nov. 11—A scheme is under way among leading Republicans here to give to Governor-elect Voorhees a big reception in Elizabeth within the next few days. The idea originated with the Frelinghuysen Lancers. When Attorney-General Griggs was elected Governor three years ago Essex County Republican organizations invaded Paterson 1,000 strong and gave a rousing congratulatory reception.

—The break in the water main on West Front street has been repaired.

—A multitude of offerings in new dress trimmings at Peck's. A gathering of all the latest designs in all that is the most desirable and at prices that speak for themselves

TROLLEY CAR STRUCK AND KILLED A HORSE

First Accident on the Dunellen-Bound Brook Line.

NO PASSENGERS INJURED.

MOTORMAN AND DRIVER BOTH ESCAPED UNHURT.

Accident Occurred at the Western Limits of Dunellen Borough—C. T. Rogers' Horse That Was Killed—Car Was Evidently Running Too Fast—Traffic Was Delayed for Two Hours.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 11—The first accident on the new trolley line between Dunellen and Bound Brook occurred early last evening, and as a result travel was delayed for over two hours on that line. The accident happened on the upper borough line near W. J. Winges' residence, where the tracks make a short sweep around a curve in the road. It was car No. 77 of the Brunswick Traction Company, and three passengers were aboard. Conductor Smith, of New Brunswick, was in charge. Some people say that the car was going at a moderate gait, while others say it was traveling at a high rate of speed. The lights were out in the car, and a lantern was being used, but there was a headlight.

Just as the car struck the curve in the road there appeared coming toward Dunellen C. T. Rogers, of New Market, driving his team of horses. There is no doubt but what Mr. Rogers was on the track, and was unable to get off quick enough to let the trolley car pass. The car struck one horse with such force as to kill him instantly, and from all appearances the animal's neck was broken. When the collision occurred the force threw the motorman out of the front of the car, but he escaped uninjured. The front of the car was a complete wreck, and the motor-box was in such condition that it could not be used. A large number of panes of glass were broken, but the three passengers in the car were uninjured. Mr. Rogers, who was driving his horses, was also uninjured, but his wagon suffered considerable from the collision.

Assistant Superintendent Ferbe, of the Brunswick Traction Company, who is located at Bound Brook, was sent for and he reached the scene of the accident in a short time with Car No. 75. After considerable difficulty he managed to get the disabled car back to Bound Brook, where it is being repaired. In the course of a couple of hours after the accident, Mr. Rogers succeeded in getting home with his wagon and one horse. One horse did not receive a scratch. The dead horse was left by the roadside last evening, and a lantern was placed there to warn passersby. This morning the horse was removed. Traffic has been resumed on the road.

NOT AS BAD AS REPORTED.

The Alleged Disappearance of Gustav Gast Was Not so.

The recently published reports concerning Mrs. Wedemeyer, formerly of the borough, but now of Newark, are in a great measure untrue, for she has not been duped, neither has her love affair been disturbed. Her intended husband, Augustave Gast, who was reported as missing, is now in Newark conducting a saloon which he purchased for Mrs. Wedemeyer, and the two expect to be married at an early date. Mr. Gast left Plainfield a short time ago for Newark, for the purpose of buying a saloon. He was unable to secure the place he was after, and while away he visited New York and Philadelphia. He had in his possession $350 given to him by Mrs. Wedemeyer, and not $1.500 as stated previously. He returned a few days later and saw Mrs. Wedemeyer. He then returned to Newark and purchased a saloon, which is now being conducted by him for Mrs. Wedemeyer. In a short time an opening will be given, and the couple will be married, after which there will be a wedding reception. Several Plainfielders will be invited to the wedding, which will be a large affair. This statement of facts is made in justice to Mrs. Wedemeyer and Mr. Gast.

Corle to Resume Business.

C. V. D. Corle, the liveryman, has leased the City Hotel stables and sheds, and will open up a livery stable in connection with the hotel. Mr. Corle will repair the stables and rebuild and enlarge the sheds. The latter will fill a long-felt want, as there are no good sheds in town except those in connection with Blimm's Hotel.

—You can escape that regular winter cough if you buy some of Van-Emburgh's warm underwear.

DEATH OF CARL L. WALZ.

WELL-KNOWN AND POPULAR AS TENNIS AND GOLF PLAYER.

Just Entered His Manhood—Caught a a Heavy Cold Some Time Ago Which Developed Into Fatal Typhoid Fever.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Walz, of 302 LaGrande avenue, was saddened last night by the death of their son, Carl L. Walz, a young man just past his majority. Young Mr. Walz had been ill since the middle of last month, but his ultimate recovery was fully expected until a few days ago when he suffered a relapse, and the end came last night.

Walz graduated from Leal's School in 1896 and in the fall of that year entered Yale. But his health being so poor he was forced to leave, although he hoped to return later and complete his course. While at Yale Walz entered the intercollegiate tennis championship and made a good showing.

Two years ago Walz played for the State championship at Orange and came out with high honors.

When the Hillside Tennis Club introduced golf, Walz was one of the foremost players, and his enthusiasm led him to play in all weather and was the cause of his illness.

He was out with three friends on the afternoon of October 14th playing golf. It was raining hard that day and Walz took a severe cold which eventually developed into malarial fever and later into typhoid. He was getting along nicely until a few weeks ago when he suffered a relapse. Although not an invalid, Walz has never been real strong, and it is to this that his long illness and final death can be attributed. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

Walz was an ardent lover of all outdoor sports, and was recognized all over the State as an authority on tennis and golf. He was one of the first members of the Hillside Tennis Club, and for several years held one of the championship cups. The first championship cup ever put up was won by him.

Walz was a member of the Crescent Avenue church which he attended regularly, and also belonged to the Christian Endeavor Society of that church. He was numbered among the members of the Bachelors' Club, the members of which remembered him with flowers during his illness. He was also a wheelman, and was popular with the young people of both sexes. His loss will be keenly felt.

DANCE TO BUY UNIFORMS.

Pleasureable and Profitable Time Given by Warren Engine Company.

Considering the disagreeable night, a goodly number of people attended the dance given last evening in Saengerbund Hall under the auspices of the members of Warren Engine Company. Eugene O'Reilly and his orchestra furnished the music, which was excellent, and while it was raining without the dancers were having a merry time within. The dance was arranged for the purpose of securing money to purchase new uniforms for the firemen, and a great many tickets were sold for the event.

Boroughites have felt a kindly interest in the project and are disposed to assist their fire laddies. The amount received last evening was appreciated by the members and will assist materially in the object for which it was secured. The committee having charge of the affair consisted of David C. Allen, chairman; David Bodine, George H. Fairchild, S. B. Joseph, J. J. Stahl. In the near future another opportunity will be given the people to give to this object.

During the evening there was a cake walk and Miss Mamie DeNise won the cake. The $5 gold piece given as a prize to the one holding the ticket with the lucky number was won by Miss Annie Hart.

Found a Tie on the Trolley Track.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 11.—What was very probably an effort to wreck a trolley car on the New Brunswick-Metuchen line of the Brunswick Traction Company was made election night. A tie was placed across the rails and wired down. A car bound for Metuchen struck the tie, but the motorman had seen the obstruction in time to slow up. The passengers received a shaking up, but no one was hurt. It is thought that some discharged employe placed the tie on the rails.

The Pivotal Link.

A public hearing will be held November 22d before the borough council of Bound Brook for the right of way from the Middlesex county line through East Main street in Bound Brook, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company. This link is necessary to complete the line to New Brunswick as originally proposed.

—Press want ads bring results.

VAIL CLEARS HIMSELF.

PROVES THAT HE DID NOT STEAL MILK BOTTLES.

It is Alleged That a Norwegian, Employed by Vail, Was the Guilty One, and He Has Left This Section.

Compton Vail, a South Plainfield milkman, who was arrested a couple of weeks ago on a charge of stealing milk bottles from a number of milkmen in town, had a hearing yesterday afternoon before Justice Wm. Newcorn. Through the efforts of his lawyer, Wm. G. DeMeza, who brought evidence enough in court to clear Vail, the prisoner was declared innocent and discharged.

Vail was first arraigned before the City Court, but when the day for trial came, the City Judge decided not to entertain the complaint and so the case was taken to a justice of the peace.

The alleged theft occurred two weeks ago. Witnesses were sworn who declared that they saw Vail go up to Lewis G. Timpson's house, on East Sixth street, and to Mrs. Sterling's, next door, and take away several milk bottles belonging to other milkmen. The complaining witnesses in the case were Milkmen Darty, Highland, Gavin and Mellick.

Vail claimed that his hired man, a Norwegian, who went by the name of "Eick" was the guilty one. He said that Eick took the bottles unknown to him and sold them. Eick left town the night that Vail was first arrested and has not been seen since.

CHEERFUL VIEW OF SPAIN

GARRET P. SERVISS CALLS IT THE LAND OF SUNSHINE.

A Description of its Picturesque Scenery Given—What Would Have Happened if France Had Lost a Battle Once

It was a beautiful country that Garret P. Serviss, the lecturer, led his hearers through last night at the Casino—picturesque Spain. He called it the land of sunshine, of ruins, of stately palaces and famous cathedrals, a land rich in romance and legend. Above all it is a land of sunshine, for an estimate carefully taken shows that in one year Spain is blessed with 3,000 hours of sunshine against Italy's 2,300; Germany's 1,700, and England's 1,400.

As so much interest has been taken in Spain and everything that pertains to it lately, the audience last night was a good-sized one. The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views.

Mr. Serviss said that Spain cut no important figure in history until after the fall of Rome, and the lecturer last night confined himself to facts and incidents that occurred after the expulsion of the Moors from Spain. These people conquered Spain and until 1492 were in possession of the land. They poured across the Straits of Gibraltar and rushed in a mighty horde all over Spain, from east and west, climbed the snowy peaks of the Pyrennes, and would have over run France, too, had it not been for a defeat they received at the hand of the French king.

Mr. Serviss drew a startling picture of what would have been the result of this contemplated victory, and remarked that had the Moors conquered France, they might have continued their work until all of the northern Europe was at their feet. And now instead of the Christian Bible, the Koran would be used in our churches, and instead of praying to God, the prevailing religion would be Mohammedanism.

In the fifteenth century the Christians, who had been driven to the fastnesses in the Asturia range of mountains, grew bold, and organizing for battle, swooped down on the Moorish cities and in a few years had driven the invaders from the land, so that in 1492 Ferdinand and Isabella mounted the Spanish throne.

Mr. Serviss led his listeners from cities in the northern part of the kingdom to the far south. He stopped some time in Madrid, and took the audience, by aid of pictures, to witness a Spanish bull fight. The fight was well described, and the scenes, from the time the bull entered the arena until he was killed, were realistic.

King to Exhibit Himself.

William King, the colored man in Plainfield, who is credited with having two hearts, will give a lecture at Mt. Olive Baptist church next Tuesday evening, and will prove to all how the world was made, and that the Sunday we observe is not the right Sunday. All are invited.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K. Samuelian at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11-11 2

RAINY OPENING OF THE HUNTING SEASON.

Jersey Alive With Enthusiastic Sportsmen After Game.

RABBITS ARE PLENTIFUL.

GAME PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION TO OPPOSE METROPOLITAN GUNNERS

Best Hunting Grounds of the State Posted to Keep Out Strangers—Rain Could Not Keep all of the Hunters Home—No Shooting is Allowed in the City Limits—Many Out Today.

The weather man was not kind to the hunters of New Jersey. Yesterday the open season for hare, rabbit, quail and squirrels began and the rain simply came down in torrents. Some of the particularly enthusiastic gunners ventured out despite the rain and the roar of the shot gun was heard all over the land. If poor Bunny, and his friends, the squirrels and quail, had any idea that the pour-down might postpone their troubles until another day, they were greviously disappointed.

Plainfield was not largely represented among the hunters who went forth after the elusive "cotton-tail" There is usually a host of sportsmen who march out of this city early in the morning when the season opens. There were a few who turned out yesterday. At an early hour, they found that the rain was not falling heavily and the shooting was fairly good. But the rain increased in force as the morning grew and the wet and bedraggled huntsmen waded through the Jersey mud while their faithful dogs trailed along behind mournfully vowing that such a day was never seen. The hunters returned each with a tale of the quantities that they saw but with few victims.

The gunners watched the clouds with anxious eyes all the morning but there wasn't the slightest suggestion of a cessation of the rain. Reports from this section made before the season opened are to the effect that the "cotton tail" is numerous.

The absence of any severe floods last spring or any other natural cause to wreck havoc among the young rabbits has made them numerous. In the Passaic valley and farming lands in the Watchung mountains, always a favorite run for the little rodents, they are unusually prolific and residents of that section have reported seeing many during the summer and fall.

In the past many of the local hunters spent most of the day in the fields just inside the city limits. The rabbits abounded there and the boom of the guns could be heard all over the city. For the past few years, however, the passage of an ordinance prohibiting the shooting of firearms in the city limits has kept them away and poor bunny, who made his home in Plainfield, is nearly free from the troubles that annually come to his race at this season of the year. The police have been instructed to arrest any one hunting in the city limits. Last year there were several arrests. So far this year, however, none have been reported.

The Game and Fish Protectivie and Propogative Assaciation of Union, Middlesex and Somerset counties has prepared for an active season. One of its chief objects will be to protect the game on the property of its members from the hosts of invading gunners that come out from New York and vicinity. All through Washington and Passaic valleys, one of the best shooting grounds in the State, the lands are posted wth notices warning trespassers and hunters off them. The game wardens will be particularly watchful for all violaters of the law that allows property owners to protect their own game. Other parts of the three counties have been posted in a similar manner and the out-of town hunter will fill countless notices staring him in the face if he wanders through this section. The members and their friends, however, will thus be able to enjoy good shooting.

New Brunswick, N. J., Nov. 10.—Loren Staten, a colored boy of Princeton, armed himself with a gun this morning and started out to enjoy the first day of the hunting season. It is supposed there was an old charge in the gun and that the boy put another on top of it. The gun exploded. The colored lad was brought here at noon by train, and in the Wells Memorial Hospital Dr. Clark took off his left hand at the wrist and picked many grains of powder out of this face.

Harrison Good, of Monmouth Junction, and a friend started out hunting this morning. He lagged behind while his friend walked along the Pennsylvania tracks with the trackwalker, and was struck by a train. He was not instantly killed and was brought to his home, where he died.

RUSHING NAVAL WORK

France Will Hastily Fit Out All Available Ships.

ADMIRALS HOLD A COUNCIL

The French Press However Has Adopted a More Moderate Tone as the Result of Lord Salisbury's Utterances. Uneasy Feeling on London Stock Exchange.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The Matin says that at a council of the admirals, held yesterday, it was decided to fit out all the French war vessels available and thirty reserve ships have been ordered into commission.

The newspapers of this city, notably the Gaulois and Figaro, express satisfaction at the Marquis of Salisbury's speech, delivered at the Guildhall banquet, which they consider as tending towards a peaceful solution of a misunderstanding and as replacing the Fashoda question on its proper ground.

London, Nov. 11.—Though operators on the stock exchange yesterday were absorbed in the settlement there was an uneasy feeling regarding the allusions made by the Marquis of Salisbury at the lord mayor's banquet, to the necessity for preparedness against possible trouble. His reference to the United States and Spain was also looked upon as foreshadowing trouble in that direction. Consols opened with a slight reduction, but improved, and investment securities were generally in sympathy with consols.

The St. James Gazette, commenting upon the Marquis of Salisbury's speech in which he alluded to the United States, says:

"American imperialism promptly landed the United States in a war with Spain, and it may easily land them in other complications in the far East, but even if their policy is not pacific, it is for the benefit of humanity at large."

Continuing, the St. James Gazette points out that it would be in the interest of Great Britain under all circumstances to have the United States possess the Philippine islands, saying:

"Supposing them (the United States) as is now out of the question, to be unfriendly to us, they would have responsibilities over the sea. Or, on the other hand, being our best friend, we should have their co-operation in resisting a closing of the markets and an unfair division of decaying countries."

GOLD FROM SEA WATER.

Report of the Electrolytic Marine Salts Company Tells of Tests.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 11.—The committee appointed by the stockholders of the Electrolytic Marine Salts Company has issued its report. Its first test of the Jernegan process showed no commercial value, but did show that there is gold in sea water. The second experiment showed better results than the first, but no more experiments will be made until some action is taken by the stockholders looking to the settlement of the company's affairs.

With a view to making further expert examination of the process and to protect the stockholders, the appointment is recommended of a new committee as follows: Winslow Warren, E. P. Dodge, Arthur Lyman, James S. Russell and Joseph O. Burdett.

The stockholders are recommended to deposit their stock certificates with the State Street Trust Company and get transferable receips. The present assets of the company are said to be $313,000, sufficient to pay 30 cents on outstanding stock. There is a report that Jernegan may return to this country, in which case more than 30 cents may be paid.

THE SIMPLEST CURE FOR INDIGESTION,

As Well as the Safest and Cheapest.

The new medical discovery, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, digest the food instead of making the worn out stomach do all the work, give it a much needed rest, and a cure of dyspepsia is the natural result.

You get nourishment and rest at the same time because these Tablets will thoroughly digest all wholesome food taken into the stomach whether the stomach works or not. A cure is certain to result because the digestive organs are given a chance to rest and recover their natural vigor and tone. The Tablets are then no longer required.

To show the manner in which the remedy acts on different people and how quickly and effectually it cures stomach troubles we present a few recent cases.

Mr. J. O. Wondly, of Peoria, Ill., writes: I was unable to eat anything but the plainest food and even that often distressed me, but since using one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I can eat anything and everything I want.

Mrs. Samuel Kepple, of Girty, P., writes: I have been entirely relieved of my stomach troubles by your Tablets. I suffered three years with sour stomach and gas at night. I am thankful for them.

Mrs. A. E. Bowen, Barnard, Vt., writes: I think Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best thing for dyspepsia I ever took. I will recommend them to anyone troubled as bad as I was.

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PARIS PAPERS PREDICT RUPTURE.

Americans Persist in Demanding the Philippines and Spain Will Refuse.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The Paris papers, after Wednesday's meeting of the peace commissions, seemed to have gathered from some source or other the impression that the Spanish commissioners have cause for complaint against the Americans, because the latter presented their replies to the Spanish proposals in English and without a Spanish translation of the document.

There is no basis for complaint on the subject. The president of the Spanish commission, Senor Montero Rios, and Judge Day, the president of the American commission, agreed that, owing to the length of the document, all concerned might be spared the reading of matter which is usually translated in writing into Spanish for the benefit of Senor Montero Rios and two other members of the Spanish commission who do not understand English.

Each side, up to the present, has made its own written translations, but the Americans alone have supplied an interpreter for the joint sessions, the Spaniards relying on the American interpreter instead of furnishing an interpreter for their side, as they might have been expected to do.

The American interpreter is Mr. Arthur Ferguson, and the Spaniards have marvelled at the facility with which he did his work. They have never once checked him or corrected him in the slightest degree.

In view of the facts in the case some of the references of the Paris newspapers are interesting.

The Figaro says: "The American commissioners contented themselves with producing a long memorandum, written in English. After having deposited this upon the table, they left the task of translating it to the Spanish commissioners, apologizing courteously for its length and the difficulties of translation. They then retired. The situation then at present is as follows: The Americans persist in refusing to take over the Cuban debt and exact the cession of the Philippines. The Spaniards, on their side, refuse to cede the archipelago."

The Petit Bleu says: "All diplomatic forms were outraged by the Americans at yesterday's sitting. It is customary in such cases to read the memorandum presented to the other side. The Americans, however, contented themselves with throwing it, written in English, upon the table.

"A member of the Spanish commission has remarked that his colleagues can never admit the claims of America in regard to the Philippine archipelago."

The Petit Bleu then expresses its belief in an early rupture of the negotiations.

The Rappel says: "A Spanish commissioner has declared that the Spaniards will yield only to force in the question of the possession of the Philippine islands."

SLAYER OF EMPRESS ELIZABETH.

Trial of the Anarchist Luccheni. Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

Geneva, Switzerland, Nov. 11.—The Italian Anarchist, Luigi Luccheni, who stabbed and killed the Empress Elizabeth of Austria on September 10 last in this city, was placed on trial here yesterday.

The court was crowded and the prisoner was strongly guarded, but there was no excitement.

The public prosecutor, in reciting the circumstances of the crime, said there was no clear evidence that Luccheni had accomplices, except in the fact of the prisoner's own silence on certain points, which, as he in his declarations, had not spared himself, could only be intended to shield accomplices.

The testimony of an electrician, a boatman, and a cabman, who assisted in the capture of Luccheni, was then taken.

Luccheni admitted that he came to Geneva to kill the Duke of Orleans; but he arrived too late. He said that the duke would be killed within a year.

Luccheni was sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for life.

A Solid South a Mistake.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 11.—The Lexington Morning Herald, a Democratic newspaper, edited by Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge, an ex-Confederate, prints this significant paragraph in summing up the result of Tuesday's election:

"The unpleasant picture is again presented of an almost solid South against an almost solid North, to which is to be added the Pacific slope and a majority of the new West. The electoral vote is overwhelmingly Republican. The solid South is a mistake—a dangerous mistake for the South and her future. She is not now, and in this generation she cannot become the major portion of the country. Her true policy, her highest wisdom, is to march forward in the van of human progress and human thought, instead of lagging in the rear."

Brooklyn Elevated Sold.

New York, Nov. 11.—The Brooklyn Elevated Railroad Company was sold under coreclosure proceedings at the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange on Montague street yesterday afternoon. Chairman F. B. Olcott of the Reorganization company bid the property in for $5,507,500.

There was no opposition. The new company will organize next week.

The Infanta Maria Teresa.

Nassau, New Providence, Nov. 11.—The steamer ashore off Cat island, supposed to be the abandoned cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa, is now described as being a disarmed warship flying the American flag, showing signs of having been on fire and leaking slightly. She stranded in an exposed position on Thursday night last.

Troops for San Francisco.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—There is an unconfirmed story here that the war department will order seven regiments of volunteers here from the east to spend the winter.

General Merriam says he believes the story probable in view of the fact that the administration intends to hold the Philippines and will need a large garrison there.

WAR OF THE RACES

The Whites Burn a Negro Newspaper Office in Wilmington.

MANY NEGROES SHOT DOWN

Culmination of the Troubles at Wilmington. A Conflict in Which Several Persons Were Killed. Great Excitement Among the Whites and Blacks.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 11.—Events moved quietly in Wilmington yesterday but the white people have made good their threats to take vengeance upon the negro newspaper, which published the editorial derogatory to white women.

At 7.30 o'clock, the negroes not having responded to the demand for the removal of the press of the Record (the negro newspaper), ex-Representative Waddell, the chairman of the white committee of twenty-five, repaired to the Light Infantry armory, where he was to meet the citizens by appointment.

Eight o'clock was the last hour of grace for the negroes to reply, and that hour passed without an answer being received.

The citizens then waited half an hour for reinforcements.

In the meantime armed men had begun to gather in the wide street in front of the armory. They carried rifles, riot guns and ammunition, and the assemblage included some of the most respectable citizens of the town.

At 8.30 o'clock the procession, headed by ex-Representative Waddell and the committee of twenty-five, moved in the direction of Seventh and Nunn streets, where the Record printing shop is located. All along the line of march the procession was joined by armed citizens, and when the negro quarter was reached the negroes could be seen a few blocks away, running into their houses.

When the crowd arrived in front of the Record office, a two-story frame building, picket lines were thrown out across the street and squads of men sent to squares in the neighborhood. Leader Waddell, with a rifle on his shoulder, went to the door of the building and knocked, but, there being no response, the door was soon burst open, commenced the work of destruction. The furniture was smashed and thrown into the street and the building was fired and destroyed.

Some one turned in a fire alarm, and when the engines responded the crowd discharged their weapons and a fusillade of gun and pistol shots, cheers and shouts filled the air.

The affair was soon over, however, and no one was hurt.

The publishing house was destroyed but the neighboring property was saved.

The colored editor, Manly, his brother, and their associates, have fled, and could not be found by the citizens.

After destroying the printing house the marchers returned to the armory, where they had left a rapid fire machine mounted in a wagon ready to be dispatched to the scene if a battle should take place.

The leaders of the crowd said subsequently that it was not the intention to burn the Record building; that it was the work of some rash person or by accident, and did not have the concurrence of the committee of twenty-five.

Yesterday's action of the whites was the sequel of Wednesday's meeting at the county court house, and that of the committee of twenty-five in the afternoon as a result of which the negroes were given until morning to return an answer to the demand for the removal of the press and the cessation of the publication of the Record.

Wednesday night was an ominous one for the citizens in the residence section.

About eight o'clock a street car came into the business section and reported that the negroes had fired into it and that the passengers had returned the fire.

A car loaded with armed men was soon speeding towards the scene of the trouble, but the offenders escaped.

All night long the whites kept guard about the business and residence sections, but no incident occurred to disturb the night.

At 10.30 o'clock the scene shifted to another section of the city. Scarcely had the marchers disbanded at the armory before word passed along that the three hundred or four hundred negro laborers of the great cotton compress had quitted their work and were assembling.

The armed men hurried to the river front and took position at the head of the streets leading to the docks. The negroes gathered in groups of fifteen or twenty, and huddled together, apparently very much excited. They were soon in a state of panic.

The preservation of order is practically vested in the committee of twenty-five, who are now trying to restore order, quiet the situation and hold in check the reckless element among the whites.

The rapid fire machine gun on a wagon, manned by a crew armed with Winchesters, was brought down in front of the postoffice, but on the advice of the leaders was halted at that place.

Soon after eleven o'clock word was brought that reinforcements were needed in the negro section of Brooklyn. The men were sent.

Twenty minutes later news came that there had been a collision between the whites and blacks and that blood had been shed.

As a result of the trouble at Brooklyn it is believed that the negroes who have been killed will number four. A white man named Mayo who was shot in the stomach, has since died.

Another white man was hurt.

The situation is quiet at the scene of the trouble now. The negroes have gone into their houses.

Oil Tank Bark on Fire.

Bergen, Norway, Nov. 11.—The Norwegian oil tank bark Unionen, Captain Evensen, from Philadelphia October 7, for Skaalevig, is on fire here, with part of her inward cargo on board.

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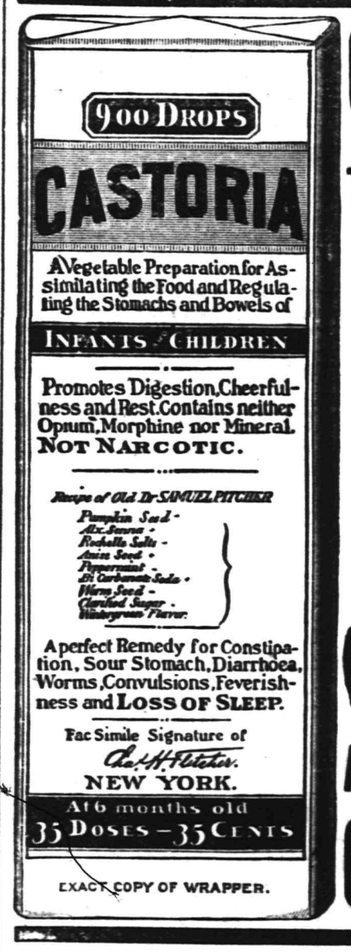

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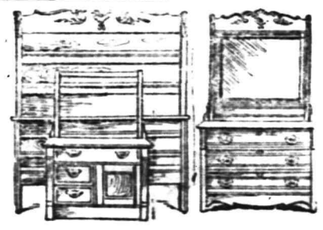

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JOINT COMMISSION CONVENES.

Anglo-Canadian-American Commissioners Reconvene in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Nearly all of the members of the Anglo-Canadian-American joint high commission reassembled here yesterday pursuant to adjournment taken at Quebec last month.

Lord Herschel, chairman of the commission, and Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, chairman of the American commissioners, came on together in the senator's private car from Indianapolis, where Lord Herschel spent Monday and Tuesday as the guest of the senator and ex-President Harrison.

He accompanied Senator Fairbanks to the latter's voting place on Tuesday, and at the invitation of the election officers, accompanied the senator into a booth and witnessed the operation, somewhat complex in the Hoosier state, of an American freeman exercising his right of suffrage.

His lordship was deeply interested and gained a fairly comprehensive and intelligent idea of the Indiana election law and practice under it.

The commissioners met at the state department at 11 o'clock, Sir Louis Davies and Sir Wilfred Laurier of Canada being absent, and were formally presented to Mr. Hay, secretary of state.

Thence they proceeded to the White House and were received by the president.

A brief session of the commission was held at the Arlington Hotel.

Quarters have been engaged for the members in the old Charles Sumner residence. They occupy the library in which Mr. Sumner died.

After adjournment the American commissioners held a short session for consultation.

Sir Louis Davies is expected to reach Washington to-day, while Sir Wilfrid Laurier will be detained until about the 15th inst.

COTTON CROP REPORT.

Reports Indicate an Average Yield of 219 Pounds Per Acre.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Preliminary reports to the statistician of the department of agriculture indicate an average yield of 219 pounds of cotton per acre.

The principal state averages are as follows:

North Carolina 227, South Carolina 245, Georgia 183, Alabama 195, Mississippi 229, Louisiana 272, Texas 212, Arkansas 290, Tennessee 181, Oklahoma 249 and Indian Territory 325.

In the determination of these preliminary figures reference has been made, not merely to the estimated number of pounds per acre reported by correspondents, but also to the quantitative comparison made by correspondents with last year's crop and other criterion.

An increase of about one hundred and fifty thousand acres has been made by the department to its preliminary estimate of the acreage in Oklahoma and in the Indian Territory.

The indications point to a total cotton crop not far from ten million bales.

REWARDS FOR NAVY CONSTRUCTOR.

Assistant Constructors to Be Advanced for War Services.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Secretary Long has decided to reward three officers in the naval construction corps for their faithful services during the war at the different navy yards where they bore the brunt of the immense amount of work consequent upon fitting out the auxiliary fleet.

These three officers are Assistant Constructors Ruhm, Spear and Zahm, who have been ordered to examination for promotion, Ruhm at Mare island, and the others at Newport News, this week.

The promotion of these three officers will leave places at the bottom of the list, which are to be filled next June from cadets now being educated for the construction corps.

It is Constructor Hichborn's purpose to gradually increase the number in this corps until the needs of the service are supplied. There is no limit to the corps by law.

Lake Michigan Storm-swept

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Lake Michigan is being swept by a northeast gale, and is tearing great holes in the sea wall and the paved beach along the lake front.

The Lincoln Park commissioners have just gotten well under way repairing the serious damage done by the storm of October 25, but the heavy breakers have now put the whole shore line in a worse shape than ever.

The action of the waves has undermined the outer driveway in Lincoln Park after washing over and displacing the heavy granite blocks with which the beach is paved.

Several vessels are overdue in Chicago and some apprehensions are felt for their safety.

Fighting in Indian Territory.

Eufaula, I. T., Nov. 1.—It is known here that there has been fighting at Okmulgee, the capital of the Creek nation, where the council met Tuesday. For over forty-eight hours rumors of trouble have been drifting in from Okmulgee, which is forty miles away from telephone service.

It is known, however, that the full bloods have made an attack upon the treaty leaders, at Okmulgee, and that at least one man has been killed and seven or eight wounded.

All the Indian police at Agent Wisdom's disposal have been ordered to Okmulgee and soldiers will follow.

The white people feel able to take care of themselves. The only fear is for the half breeds, who voted for the treaty.

Hooley Estates Sold.

London, Nov. 11.--The estate of Ernest I. Hooley, the bankrupt speculator and promoter, was sold for ninety-eight thousand pounds to Sir Christopher Furness, the shipowner and shipbuilder of West Hartlepool. Hooley's Essex estate brought 39,650 pounds.

Montojo in Madrid.

Madrid, Nov. 11.—Admiral Montojo who commanded the Spanish squadron destroyed by Admiral Dewey's ships in Manila bay, has arrived in Madrid.

LATE ELECTION NEWS

The Fifty-sixth Congress Surely Republican.

THE CORRECTED RETURNS

Control of the House Retained by a Margin of About Nineteen Votes. The Overthrow of Populism in the West. Kentuckians Will Contest Because of the New Election Law.

New York, Nov. 11.—The latest returns of Tuesday's election throughout the country make changes chiefly in congressional districts, the figures showing the House to be Republican by a majority of about nineteen, with several doubtful districts to be heard from.

The Senate in the next Congress will probably have a Republican majority of twenty.

The returns from the states are chiefly remarkable for the overthrow of silverite and Populist power in the West, the Republican plurality in Kansas being about thirteen thousand, and Nebraska having apparently gone against the Democratic-Populist fusion candidates.

Indiana has elected a Republican governor by more than fifteen thousand plurality, and a Republican legislature, which will retire Senator Turpie, Democrat.

In California the plurality of Gage, Republican, for governor, is about thirty thousand, and the Republicans will have a large majority on joint ballot in the legislature, insuring the election of a Republican senator in place of Senator White, Democrat.

Other Estimates Concerning the House.

Washington Nov. 11.—Chairman Babcock of the Republican congressional committee believes that the Republican majority in the next house of Representatives will reach 20.

Mr. Babcock is now convinced that the manifest drift in the West when the returns are all in, will show that enough districts, now doubtful, have been carried to swell the majority to twenty.

He says that the gains in the West are due to the desire of the people to indorse the administration and to express their satisfaction over the return of prosperity.

The Republicans carried five districts west of the Missouri which they hardly hoped for, but these were offset by the loss of four districts in New York and one in Massachusetts, so that Mr. Babcock's original calculations as to the result proved approximately correct.

Mr. Babcock says that the public hardly realizes the full extent of the Republican victory of Tuesday.

Even more important, he says, than the fact that the next House will be Republican, is the sweeping change in the Senate, where the fruits of Tuesday's election will give the Republicans 18 majority.

"That majority cannot possibly be overcome for eight years," said Mr. Babcock yesterday, "and for at least that period the business interests of the country are safe. Republican policies must prevail for that length of time. Even if the next House and the next president should be for free silver a Republican Senate would block their path.

"Besides the majority in the Senate will give us a clean working majority there for the enactment of our policies without the embarrassment that comes from narrow and unstable majorities. There need be no deals with the kickers.

"We will have a Republican majority sufficient to work freely, and what we do can be done with the knowledge that our legislation will have ample time to vindicate itself before a hostile Senate can be elected to upset it."

At Democratic congressional headquarters there are no new figures. They did not concede the House yesterday, claiming that the returns from many districts were yet too meagre definitely to determine the result.

Fraud and corruption was charged against the Republican management by the Democratic managers.

LATE REPORTS FROM MANY STATES

Washington.

Portland, Nov. 11.—Practically complete returns from twenty-four out of the thirty-four counties in the state of Washington give the following for congressmen:

Jones, Republican, 28,001; Cushman, Republican, 27,750; Lewis, fusion, 25,388; Jones, fusion, 22,925.

The Republican majority in the legislature on joint ballot will be about twenty.

The Republicans, according to the returns received thus far, have a majority of twenty on joint ballot in the legislature, with the Senate uncertain.

Senator Gray of Stevens county was elected on the citizens' ticket, a fusion of Republicans, silver Republicans and Democrats.

It is claimed by both parties that he will act with them. His vote will become important in deciding which party shall control the Senate in case the Republicans elect the senator yet undecided.

West Virginia.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 11.—A. B. White, secretary of the Republican state committee, says:

"The West Virginia legislature is Republican in both branches—the senate by ten, and the House by three. This insures a Republican United States senator."

The senator will surely be Internal Revenue Commissioner Scott.

Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Nov. 11.—Dennis T. Flynn, Republican, is elected delegate to Congress by probably six thousand plurality.

Both branches of the territorial legislature are safely Republican and the Republicans claim to have elected their local tickets in a majority of the counties.

Nevada.

Carson, Nov. 11.—The vote for governor is very close. Sadler, silver, claims his re-election by eight hundred majority over McMillan, Republican congressman.

Newlands silver Democrat, is re-elected by three thousand majority over Wren, Populist.

The rest of the state ticket is conceded to the silver party with the exception of the superintendent of public instruction.

In the next legislature four-fifths of the members will belong to the silver party. Some are pledged to Senator Stewart for re-election, and those who are not may join with the Republicans, Democrats and Independents in the organization.

California.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The indications are that the majority for Henry T. Gage, Republican candidate for governor, will be nearly thirty thousand.

The next legislature will have a large Republican majority on joint ballot, insuring the election of a Republican United States senator.

James D. Phelan, Democrat, has been re-elected mayor of San Francisco after a contest of extraordinary keenness.

Colorado.

Denver, Nov. 11.—Almost complete returns received by the Republican from all counties in the state show that Wolcott, Republican candidate for governor, has carried ten counties, his plurality over Thomas, the fusion candidate, aggregating 3,750, while Thomas's pluralities in the other counties amount to 42,877.

The entire fusion ticket is elected by about the same plurality as Thomas received.

Kentucky.

Louisville, Nov. 11.—Five Republican congressional nominees—Fowler in the Second, Creel of the Third, Bainford of the Fourth, Davison of the Eighth and Seitz of the Tenth district, wired the Louisville Commercial last night that they would contest the election on account of the Goebel election law.

Pugh, in the Ninth district, has signified his intention of contesting if an investigation satisfies him he is elected.

Massachusetts.

Worcester, Nov. 11.—The Republican state committee has telegraphed to each town and city committee in the Third congressional district directing that a recount be asked.

Yesterday morning the petitions were placed in circulation.

Congressman Walker did not ask for a recount, and has little hope to overcome the majority of 131 polled by John R. Thayer, Gold Democrat.

Utah.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 11.—Returns from about seven-eighths of the precincts in the state give Roberts, Republican, 27,108; Baskin, Democrat, for supreme judge, 31,669; Zane, Republican, 28,472.

According to the latest returns the legislature will stand forty-one Democrats, eighteen Republicans and four fusion.

Fusion Governor for Nebraska.

Omaha, Nov. 11.—Chairman Schneider of the Republican state committee conceded at noon yesterday the election of Poynter, Fusion, for governor, by 1,000.

The rest of the fusion ticket was elected by about the same plurality. The Republicans will have a majority of four in the legislature on joint ballot.

Roosevelt's Plurality 17,579.

New York, Nov. 11.—Corrected returns from all counties in New York state show that Colonel Roosevelt has been elected governor by a plurality of 17,579, only a slight change from the figures announced yesterday.

The soldier vote cannot materially affect the result.

Ohio.

Springfield, Nov. 11.—The plurality for Weaver, Republican, for Congress, in the seventh district, is 284 in Clarke county and 405 in the district.

The Loss of the Mohegan.

London, Nov. 11.—The board of trade inquiry into the loss of the British steamship Mohegan of the Atlantic Transport line, which was totally destroyed during the evening of October 14 near the Lizard light, while on a voyage from London to New York, resulting in the drowning of about one hundred persons, passengers and crew, was opened yesterday.

Considerable interest was taken in the proceedings, and the court room was crowded.

The evidence was chiefly technical and nothing new developed.

Counsel read the company's instructions to its commanders enjoining the utmost caere, especially in the British channel.

Harris May be Court-martialed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11.—Lieutenant Commander Ira Harris, who commanded the Maria Teresa up to the time of her abandonment, has been detached from the repair ship Vulcan and ordered to the receiving ship Franklin at Norfolk.

It is regarded as certain in naval circles that a court martial will follow if the Maria Teresa be found afloat or stranded on a beach anywhere.

A court of inquiry will surely be held even if the cruiser is not found.

The detail of the court has already been arranged and the time and place of meeting decided in anticipation of a report from the officers sent to search for the Maria Teresa.

Chicago Capital for Honolulu.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Chicago capitalists will open a bank in Honolulu on January 1. It will have a capital stock of $800,000, with power to increase to $3,000,000 and will be organized under the laws of Hawaii.

Statue of Washington in Paris.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The statue of Washington, the gift of American ladies, will probably be erected in the Place d'Iona, in Parc du Trocadero.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 13—William Hauptman, of the Twenty-second Regiment, New York Volunteers, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.

The Commuter Vote.

Among the reasons assigned by Elvin W. Crane for his defeat for the Governorship, he says that the commuter vote was almost wholly against him. His idea of the commuter, of whom there are over 1 000 in Plainfield, is contained in the following:

These men take no interest in the affairs of the State, and when the time comes to vote they usually can be found with the Republicans, just wherever they think their business interests lie. Instead of voting the ticket of their home State they vote the ticket of the State where they have their business.

The Newark News, which probably did more than any other paper or person to bring about the defeat of Mr. Crane, makes this comment on the defeated candidate's opinion of the commuters:

All the evidence shows that the men who live in New Jersey and go to their work each day in New York take a very decided interest in State affairs. In the smaller towns and country places their influence has been particularly marked. It has been exerted for good schools, good roads, good government and progress. In New Jersey cities, too, the residents who do their daily work outside the State are not behind other citizens in interest in State and municipal affairs.

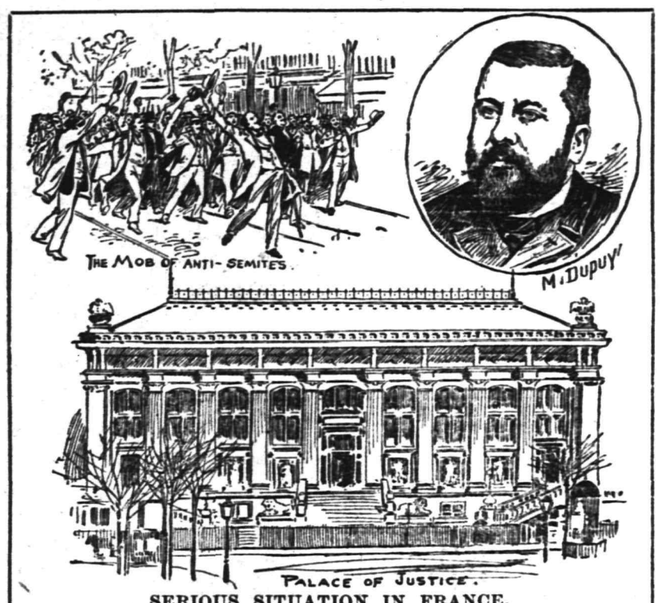
Patents and Trademarks.

Nearly all the civilized countries in the world, Germany, Russia and Austria-Hungary having refused co-operation, were represented in an important convention in Paris in 1883. Its object was to establish a common ground on which international patent laws could be based. Another congress was held in Brussels last year to adopt certain protocols on this great subject as a guide for special legislation by the governments which agreed to act together. The American commission appointed by President McKinley to examine the whole field as far as the interests of this country are concerned and to recommend the form of legislation needed will lay its report before congress in December. It is not probable that all the reforms which might be desired for the protection of American ingenuity and invention abroad will be covered, but something will be done and a start made toward justice in intellectual property as an issue between nations. This new awakening of the world's conscience is of course on a line with the international copyright law.

The arbitrary and unjust laws under which the American in times past has been obliged to trust for protection to his inventive genius have robbed him of many of the finest fruits of his labors. Hundreds of valuable inventions are today common property on the continent of Europe for which manufacturers have never paid a dollar. Law was expressly planned to encourage and defend international robbery. Even when patent legislation pretends to the semblance of equity its cunning restrictions have made it almost useless to the foreigner invoking its help. It was this which helped Germany, Belgium and France to trick Sir Henry Bessemer out of every penny of his royalties. For it is well known that the United States is the only foreign country which ever yielded the great steel inventor any considerable emolument for the use of his discoveries.

The movement for a common understanding between nations as to the regulation of this form of property having begun, perhaps its operation will become adequate in time. But as long as Germany and Russia stand outside it will be in vain to expect any fullness of advantage.

No appeal made by those who look after the needs of that noble institution, the Muhlenberg Hospital, should go unanswered by the citizens of Plainfield. The hospital is worthy of more than it gets. Every person should contribute his or her share to the financial resources of the hospital, no matter how small the amount may be. Through the Common Council the city does not contribute one cent to the institution, though a great many patients are received, treated and cured at the hospital during the year that would, if it was not in existence, become city charges. If the city should make a liberal appropriation for the hospital each year it would be but proper. No taxpayer would complain of such a course.



SERIOUS SITUATION IN FRANCE.

It is not a novel statement to say that France is facing something akin to a crisis; she is never long without something of the sort on hand. The new ministry, with M. Dupuy at its head, has an exceptionally difficult situation to handle. Anti-Semitic disturbances are of daily occurrence and may become serious at any time.

The residents of Prideville are in a complaining mood, and justly so. Two letter-carriers are allowed for the borough, while there are eleven carriers in the city. This apportionment is considered unfair, and it is believed that if the needs of the borough are properly presented to the postal authorities better facilities could be secured. A sub-station is also needed in the borough where postage stamps, postal cards, etc., can be purchased without a trip to the postoffice.

The minute a man is elected to any kind of a State office in New York he is considered as a Presidential possibility. It was a race on the part of some newspapers to see which could make such an announcement first, but so far as we are able to determine the Trenton Times leads the procession in naming Col. Roosevelt for the Republican standard bearer in 1900.

One of the strange things in politics will be that Foster Voorhees will not only have had the gratification of defeating Elvin W. Crane for Governor, but that with the victory will go the power to appoint a Republican to the Essex county prosecutorship which the defeated Democratic nominee holds.

In the event of a straight Democratic ticket in the municipal election, what will those Republicans do who want to oust the present administration by being elected to fill offices themselves? It would be worse than nothing to have both a Citizens' and Democratic ticket in the field.

The open game season is here. We await with considerable anxiety to see who is going to be the first human being to be shot for a deer or some other festive game. Perhaps the safest way for hunters to do is to carry a banner aloft proclaiming, "I am a man. Don't shoot."

In a long editorial the Somerville Unionist-Gazette this week lays the blame for the defeat of VanDoren, the Republican candidate for Sheriff in Somerset county, to disgruntled Republicans. The Gazette says that all the leaders worked for his election.

While Elizabeth is about it may as well have Senator Cross elected president of the Upper House, and then everyone in Elizabeth will be satisfied because they will know there is nothing else worth having.

Joseph C. Blimm, the East Third street grocery merchant, is being mentioned as a possible candidate for Councilman in the First ward on the Democratic ticket this year.

Davy Watkins will no doubt be the next Speaker of the Assembly, thereby dropping down several pegs in his official position from the present place of Acting-Governor.

The loyalty that the Plainfield Republicans showed to their party ticket Tuesday night ought to strengthen any claims of local aspirants for nominations next year.

The New York Tribune quotes The Daily Press as Democratic. The Daily Press is and always has been independent.

—Just notice the changes in J. Fred MacDonald's new ad in The Daily Press today.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K. Samurian at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11-11-2

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"This time I'll escape or die." With these words Jack Morton makes a thrilling escape from Sing Sing. This realistic picture, with many others, will be seen in "The Sleeping City," at Music Hall tonight. New York has supplied many an author with a theme for a play but never in the extreme of realism which is shown in "The Sleeping City." Incident to the action will be seen a faithful reproduction of Battery Park, exterior of Sing Sing prison, and others. The play is one of the most original and amusing ever presented, and is staged with the closest attention to detail. It not only deals with the tenderest emotions, but also with the strongest passions, blending the most exciting incidents with the most laughable and enjoyable situations. The company is a strong one, and the specialties first class. In fact, everything connected with this attraction is all that money, science, art and genius can produce.

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Henry Chanfrau, in the role of "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," which will be at Music Hall next Tuesday, is the son of the original in that strong character, sustaining the fame of his progenitor, and his shoulders seem to be well formed to hold the mantle which his father left behind him as the heritage to a worthy son. Speaking of the humor of the play, the two characters, the judge and the major, are two comedians that are rarities to the stage. They ask no odds of the plot, their only concern being the satisfaction of an impecunious thirst, which asserts itself at all times. The major and the judge are living temperance lessons and their career points one of the morals of the play. They have traveled in the show for a generation or so, and as prodigal drunkards are an intoxicated success. They are prototypes of many on the stage today, but the great number of descendants only shows that imitation is a high form of flattery.

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Next week Viola Allen in "The Christian" plays the sixth and the last week of her engagement at the Knickerbocker Theater, commencing Monday evening and will be followed by William H. Crane in his new comedy, "Worth a Million," the 21st inst. Miss Allen's New York run will practically not be interrupted. She plays the week of the 21st at the Columbia Theatre in Brooklyn borough, and Monday evening, the 28th inst., she returns to Manhattan and begins an engagement at the Garden Theatre, which will probably continue until the end of the present season. Miss Allen's receipts have proved a most substantial endorsement of her art and the merit of her play, which is undoubtedly the greatest drama for the people in general, without regard to social standing, class or creed, that has ever been presented on the American stage. The merit of a pure production of this kind is most substantially established by the box office returns. Up to last Saturday evening "The Christian" had played to $ 0,341 50, the largest receipts ever realized by a drama in four consecutive weeks in any theatre in America.

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Pure silk black Taffeta Ribbon, No 30, 14c; No. 40, 16c; No 50,	19c
No. 1 Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors -	13c per 10 yds
No. 12 Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors -	20c per 10 yds
Ladies' Black Hose, 3 pairs in box, regular 89c -	69c box
Ladies' Black Hose, 15c	10c pair
Pears Unscented Soap	11c cake
Packer's Tar Soap -	15c "
Cuticura Soap -	20c "
Cosmo Buttermilk Soap	6c "

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Our 19c. Brooms - - -	12c
Our 15c. Wood Pails - -	10c
Our 35c. Wood Fibre Pails - -	25c
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Children's 10c. " 2 " .....14c.
" 12½c. " 2 " .....20c.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 11—The chair factory will not be ready for business now until the first of next month, owing to delays in getting the machinery in position.

Adam Dealaman and Alfred Randolph went to Lebanon yesterday gunning. It rained all the morning, and the hunters sat in the hotel nursing their impatience until a train left for home, which they took minus any game.

The law was up on rabbits yesterday and if it hadn't been for the rain the woods and fields would have been full of hunters. Today the bunnies have to suffer.

A large banner now hangs across North avenue opposite Apgar's Hall, advertising the fair and supper to be held there next week.

Miss Grace Burdick, who has been visiting her relative, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, has returned to her home in Westfield.

Rev. E. S. Jamison P. H. D., has a pretty little poem entitled, "A Withered Flower" in this week's issue of the "Call."

Rev. A. I. Martin went to New Brunswick yesterday to attend charter day exercises at Rutger's College.

Robert Craig went to Stroudsburg yesterday gunning, and returned with half-a-dozen rabbits.

The Ladies' Orchestra will play at the fair to be given in Apgar's Hall next week.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Bloomsbury, is a guest at Postmaster Coriell's house.

Miss Edna Loren, of Belmar, spent yesterday with friends here.

Mr and Mrs. W. H. Taylor are visiting friends in Paterson.

Miss Sophie Maltby is visiting relatives in Kingston, N. Y.

Mrs George Huff is confined to the house by illness.

Eugene Runyon was in New Brunswick yesterday.

Walter G. Runyon spent yesterday out of town.

Mrs. S. S. Vermule is quite ill.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 11—A supper, under the auspices of Friendship and Lakeside Councils, will be held in the hall Nov. 22 1. A short programme will be rendered through the evening.

Mrs. William Bartlett has returned to her home in Boston, after a visit with Mrs. W. P. Bonnell.

Mrs. J. F. Hill, of Trenton, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Runyon.

Mrs. Samuel Bishop, of Elizabeth, is a guest at the Nelson House.

George Jenner has moved to Ridgewood.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 11—Constable Trayno and several brave residents of the village scoured the woods around Graceland, yesterday, searching for the remainder of the gang of hoboes, of which the trio, that are now resting in the county jail, belonged to. They returned unsuccessful as the birds had taken warning and fled.

A number of Scotch Plains people will attend a concert in the Presbyterian church in Westfield this evening. Mrs. Wm. Maguire and Miss Sadie Reger, both of this place, are to take part in the programme.

George Schick, the village barber, announces that his shop will close Sunday mornings during the winter at 10 o'clock. Mr. Schick is making a move in the right direction by this new rule.

The stock of William H. Turton's store was removed to Plainfield Wednesday, by order of the assignee, where it will be sold at auction shortly.

The hunting season opened for rabbits yesterday, and all the sportsmen in town were out, notwithstand the storm.

Mrs. Henry Meyers, who has been quite ill at her home, is reported as improving very nicely.

Deacon Hand, of Netherwood, will lead the prayer meeting in the Baptist church this evening.

Fred Smith, of the Central Hotel, is again confined to his home with illness.

Rev. J. S. Braker is spending a few days with relatives in New York city.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet in their rooms this evening.

E. L. Hand has added an oyster department to his hotel business.

Goodwill Lodge, K. of P., met in their rooms last evening.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 11.—The ladies of the Methodist church raised a neat sum of money for the church last evening when they gave a chalk social which was well attended.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church have secured Miss Anna Norton Benjamin, the only woman who was with the American army in the war in Cuba, to deliver a lecture in the Presbyterian church Friday evening, December 2d.

Rev. H. M. Pagson, of the Aged Ministers' home in New York, will preach in the Baptist church Sunday evening.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

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Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Special choosings in the new fall dress trimmings and dress linings at Peck's.

—Several local Knights Templar will visit the Morristown Commandery this evening.

—The P. O. S. of A. initiated one candidate with full regimentals at their last meetiag.

—A new sidewalk is being laid on West Sixth street, between New street and Central avenue.

—A number of new crosswalks are being laid in the borough where they are needed very much.

—Only 9,000 baskets of peaches were shipped over the Rockaway Valley Railroad during the last season. Nearly 45,000 baskets were shipped last year.

—A great sale of overcoats is now on at the New York Clothing Company store, 214 West Front street. Come early and you will find a large assortment. See advertisement on page 8.

—Alex. Lusardi, 211 West Front street, has a fine assortment of all kinds of grapes and California fruit, and also a variety of nuts, oranges, lemons, etc. Everything fresh, first-class and prices reasonable.

—Tomorrow up to 10 o'clock at night will be the last day of Doane & Edsall's great special sale of men's, women's, boys' and girls' shoes. They say they are giving the best value at this sale offered anywhere.

Librarian's Report for October, 1898.

Vols. on Accession-Book, Sept. 30, 1898	15,953
" added by Purchase	1
" added by Gift	16
" added by Binding	14
" now in Library	15,984
" in Babcock Collection, Aug 31, 1898	837
" added by Purchase	38
" " " Binding	18
" now in Babcock Collection	893
Total number in Library	16,877
Number of card holders, Sept. 30, 1898	5,205
" " registered during the month	91
Total number of reg. borrowers	5,296

HOME CIRCULATION.

F	Fiction	1,845
J	Juvenile	589
B	Biography	172
100	Philosophy	14
200	Religion, Mythology, etc	41
300	Sociology	81
400	Philology	3
500	Natural Science	125
600	Useful Arts, including Medicine	43
700	Fine Arts	76
800	Literature	259
910-919	Description, Travel	154
900	History	233
000	General Works, Periodicals, etc	16
	Total circulation	3,647
	" " for Oct. 1897	3,567

Of the above number there were circulated through the special libraries:

Potter Press Works	64
Pond Machine Tool Works	10
Scott Press Works	19
	93
Delivery Stations.	
Y. M. C. A.	32
Hope Chapel	17
	49
Special Collections, Circulation, Babcock	144
Number of Circulating Days	26
Largest Circulation in One Day	310
Smallest " " "	75
Daily Average Circulation	140
Number of Visitors to the Building	4,288
" " Sunday Visitors, included in above)	87

EMMA L. ADAMS, Librarian.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Fletcher, of New York, has been visiting in town.

Harry Green, of Somerset street, is visiting out-of-town friends.

Benjamin Letson, of Stelton, has been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Henry VanNest, of Newark, is visiting relatives in Plainfield for a short time.

Miss Estella Brooks, of Duer street, has returned from a visit in Bound Brook.

Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, is much improved from her illness.

Mrs. Isaac Laing, of Dunellen, has been visiting Plainfield relatives for a short time.

Charles Lister, of East Fifth street, is enjoying a few days out of-town pleasure bent.

Isaac Randolph, of West Front street, has about recovered from a severe illness.

Rufus Larue, of West Fourth street, has almost recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, is home from Lehigh University for a few days.

J. Weinberger, of Parkersburg, W. Va., is visiting his brother, M. Weinberger, of West Front street.

Rev. E. O. Moffett. of Pine Bush, N. Y., who has been visiting relatives in this city, has returned home.

Ralph K. Miner, of East Sixth street, is expected home this week after a business trip to St. Paul, Minn.

Thomas A. Cuming, of Putnam avenue, sang a solo at the meeting in the Monroe Avenue church last night.

No change is noted in the condition of Bradley Smalley, of Belvidere avenue, who is very ill with typhoid fever.

Thomas A. Cuming, of Putnam avenue, will sing at the afternoon meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon.

Jedediah Smalley, of Philadelphia, who has been spending a few days with borough relatives, has returned home.

Allan B. Laing, of Craig place, who has been so seriously ill with typhoid fever, is continuing to improve quite rapidly.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, who has been seriously ill for some time, is no better and seems to be failing.

Rev. E. O. Moffett has returned to his home in Pine Bush, N. Y., after visiting his father, D. Moffett, of Watchung avenue.

Corporal John Bowden, of the First Delaware Infantry, stationed at Wilmington, Del., is on a thirty-day furlough, and is visiting relatives on Grant avenue.

A party of the young people of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church called on Mrs. Hicks, of West Third street, Wedneesday evening in honor of her eighty-ninth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Fairview avenue, entertained the whist club, of which they are members, at their home last evening. The club will meet again in two weeks.

The name of Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, of Washington Park, was unintentionally omitted from the list of those who had charge of the tea at the Park Golf Club Tuesday last.

Invitations have been sent out by Miss Whiton and Mrs. Leighton Calkins for a tea to be given at their home, 821 Central avenue, Saturday, November 19th, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boa and Mr. and Mrs. John Beggs, all of Warren street, have gone up in Pennsylvania for a week. Mr. Boa and Mr. Beggs will spend their time in hunting while their wives will visit relatives in that section.

Mrs. Leonard M. Leach, (nee Miss Mattie Cook), sent the firm of Woodhull & Martin and all their employees a large box of wedding cake yesterday. Mrs. Leach, before her marriage, was a saleslady at one of the counters in their store.

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Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Don't miss VanEmburgh's specials for tomorrow. See list in another part of this paper.

—Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a meeting this evening when several candidates will receive the second rank.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K. Samuelian at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11-11-2

—Some miscreant, who ought to be treated by the law, poisoned a valuable hunting dog owned by J. Harry Green, of the borough, a few nights ago.

—If you want fine footwear at economical prices, made of good wearing leather, all fall shapes and styles, go to Flynn Brothers, 222 West Front street, near Music Hall.

—If you want up-to-date laundry work at a laundry where all details are taken care of and with the improved methods for doing laundry work go to the City Steam and Hand Laundry, 19 Somerset street.

More Riots at Pana.

Pana, Ill., Nov. 11.—William Lynch who was employed by the Pana Coal Company up to the time of the strike, has been shot at by negroes. Then they shot through the house of a widow, Mrs. McIntyre. The negroes in the Flat Hall district came running out and began to shoot in all directions. They kept shooting until the militia arrived on the scene.

When the shooting began many women and children ran to Captain Butler of Company B for protection. As far as known, no person was struck by the bullets.

Things are in such a state that it is dangerous for anyone to go out in the mining districts at night.

The citizens say if something is not done before long there will be an outbreak and every negro and operator will be killed. It was impossible to arrest any of the negroes.

Japanese Cabinet Complete.

Washington Nov. 11.—A telegram has been received at the Japanese legation announcing that the new cabinet has been completed by the appointment of ministers of education, agriculture and commerce, and communications.

The complete cabinet is now as follows: Marquis Yamagata, premier, Count Matsugata, minister of finance; Marquis Saigo, minister of the interior; Count Kaboyama, minister of education; Viscount Aoki, minister of foreign affairs; General Katsura, minister of war; Viscount Yoshikawa, minister of communications; Vice Admiral Yamemoto, minister of marine; Mr. Kiyoura, minister of justice; Mr. Sone, minister of agriculture and commerce.

Snow in New Hampshire.

Exeter, N. H., Nov. 11.—[illegible] to fall along the sea [illegible] state yesterday morning [illegible] phone message from Mo[illegible] ton says that over five [illegible] len on the summit. This is the earliest snow storm in the state for a good many years.

Moving a Government.

Managua, Nicaragua, Nov. 11, via Galveston, Tex.—The government of the United States of Central America is removing its capital from Amapala, Honduras, to Chimandega, Nicaragua, which will be the permanent seat of government.

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After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

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Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

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(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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DIED.

WALZ—In this city, Thursday, Nov. 10th, 1898, Charles Francis, son of Earnest L. and Abbie M. Walz, aged 21 years, 2 months, 20 days. Notice of funeral hereafter. 11 11 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants work, Call at 305 East Fourth St. 11 9 4

WANTED—A chambermaid and waitress. 805 Park avenue. 10 2

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

TO LET—10-room house, all improvements, excellent neighborhood, large lot; rent low till April Wm. D. Thickstun. 11 10 4

FOR SALE—Team bay carriage horses, also closed carriage, surrey, single and double harness and gentleman's saddle. 830 Central avenue. 11 8 5

RESPECTABLE man wants work on gentleman's place, 959 Arlington avenue. 11 11 3

FOUND—On Thursday, childs' ring. Call for at 47 Washington avenue.

APARTMENTS to let. Apply at 611 Liberty street. 11 11 2

WANTED—Salesmen: We make no extravagant offers but have a good business proposition for reliable men to handle our Tiger Brands, Lubig oils and greases. Address with references, The Howard Oil & Grease Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—A coachman. 1038 Park avenue. 11 11 2

WANTED—One or two unfurnished rooms. Address C., care Press. 11 11 2

WANTED—Position as coachman, handy around house. Thomas Jones, 115 Central avenue.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply 912 West Seventh street. 11 11 3

FOR SALE—Pony and surrey, half price. W. G Peckham, Westfield, N. J.

JUST A DOZEN BIG BARGAINS.

We tell of; there are bargains here at all times and in all departments, but not such bargains as these To tell you why we name this Round Table Lots of Clean, Seasonable Merchandise at a sacrifice would take time and space. The why does not interest you; the fact that we have so done does interest you.

LOT NO. 1.
Assorted lot of Waist, Skirt and Trimming Silks, the width is twenty inches, the colors are changeable, figures and stripes; the actual, lowest value is $1.25 yard, the price is.....75c. yd.

LOT NO. 2.
Fifty styles of fancy figured Dress Goods, all good 1898 styles, the regular price is 50c. yd., the price is now.....29c. yd.

LOT NO. 3.
Is fifty pieces of heavy, soft Outing Flannel, newest styles, the value is 10c. yd., our price.....4c. yd.

LOT NO. 4.
Fifty dozen of Women's Fleece Lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, full sizes, winter weight, the price will be.....19c ea.

LOT NO 5.
100 dozen Women's Fast Black hose, no seams, double sole, close gauge, one of the best wearing stockings in our stock, 15c and worth it, our price will be.....10c pair.

LOT NO 6.
A Fine Lot of all Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at a fair profit you would pay 15c each, buy now and they cost you.....8c each.

LOT NO. 7.
A case of Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, warm, comfortable garments, honest as the day is long, sold everywhere at 50c each, they will go at.....33c each.

LOT NO. 8.
A thousand boxes of the finest Writing Paper, smooth finish, each box contains 60 sheets and 60 envelopes, actual value, 25c, they go for 17c box.

LOT NO. 9.
Men's best quality night shirts, full generous sizes, Dwight Anchor Muslin, made as you would make them yourself, will go for.....37 each.

LOT NO. 10.
Twenty-five dozen of Women's Outing Flannel Wrappers, made of fine material, such as most stores ask $1.00 for and they are worth it but they will go for.....79 each.

LOT NO. 11.
A table full of Boys' Underwear for boys 10 to 15 years, good, warm woo shirts that you would pay 50c. for in the regular way, will go for 19c. each.

LOT NO. 12.
Two hundred pairs of black, grey and white corsets, every pair worth $1 and some $1.50, will go in this sale for.....59c. the pair.

Not only the above attractions does the store offer, but more, thus: The Coat and Suit Department with its fine assortment of Capes, Jackets, Suits and Skirts; the Millinery Department, that needs no advertising; the Women's Underwear Department, that is offering the best of values in the finest of Wool Garments. Then there is the Sale of Laces—fine, all linen Torchon Laces that are worth from 15c. to 25c. the yard, we ask only 7c. The sale of fine White Aprons, the Women's Muslin Underwear Sale, all these should attract you to the store where your money will go the farthest.

EDWARD WHITE.

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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BOARD wanted in private family for young lady. References given and required. Address L., care Press.

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Illustrated Lecture,
"Peter the Great and the Making of Russia,"
AT THE CASINO.
Thursday, Nov. 17,
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THE SUNDAY LESSON.

INTERNATIONAL SERIES, WITH COMMENTARY BY DR. STEARNS.

Golden Text.—God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in time of trouble.—Ps. xlvi: 1. Nov. 13, 1898.

20. "Thus saith the Lord God of Israel. That which thus hast prayed to me against Sennacherib, king of Assyria, I have heard." In the fourteenth year of Hezekiah the King of Assyria came against Judah and greatly blasphemed the Lord both by word and by letter. Hezekiah, when he had read the letter, spread it before the Lord and prayed (verses 14-19). Many times have I followed Hezekiah's plan and always found rest. If we ask anything according to his will he heareth us (I John v, 14), and it is His will that we tell him everything and have careful anxiety about nothing. See in verse 19 that the great desire of the king in asking for the overthrow of Sennacherib was that all the earth might know that the God of Israel was the only true God.

21. "This is the word that the Lord hath spoken concerning him, the virgin, the daughter of Zion, hath despised thee and laughed thee to scorn." The people of God in Judah called the daughter of Zion, the daughter of Jerusalem (compare Lam. ii, 13), having God as their defender and avenger, need fear no enemy. In such strength Moses and Joshua lived; Gideon also, and David when he went fearlessly against Goliath. When we seek only the honor and glory of God He will not fail us.

22. "Whom hast thou reproached and blasphemed, the Holy One of Israel?" As in the next verse, "By thy messengers thou hast reproached the Lord." They spake against the God of Jerusalem as against the gods of the people of the earth, the works of the hands of man and for this cause Hezekiah, the king, and the prophet Isaiah, the son of Amoz, prayed and cried to heaven (II Chron. xxxii, 19, 22). God heard their prayer and now we will see how He answered it.

28. "I will turn thee back by the way which thou camest." This is a part of the word of the Lord concerning Sennacherib. See also verse 28, "I know thy abode and thy going out and thy coming in and thy rage against me." He who created all things can set bounds that none can pass. We can only go here and there, or do this or that if the Lord will (Jas. iv, 15). Man does not stop to consider that all his words and even his thoughts are known to the Lord (Ps. cxxxix, 1-4), and that it is impossible to hide anything from Him. Even Adam, blinded by satan, thought he could hide from God among the trees (Gen. iii, 8). Happy are those who live as in the sight of the Lord.

29. "And this shall be a sign unto thee." By comparing this verse with Lev. xxv, 21, 22, the sign seems to have been the special blessing of God upon the Sabbath year, or, in other words, the blessing of God on His obedient people. What but the hand of God could cause land to produce a three years' crop in one year? In the R. V. margin of Prov. x, 22, we read that the blessing of the Lord maketh rich and toil addeth nothing thereto.

30. "The remnant that is escaped of the house of Judah shall yet again take root downward and bear fruit upward." The doctrine that it is ever the few out of the many who are really the Lord's and who glorify Him, is found in all Scripture. The stories of Noah, of Lot in Sodom, of Elijah and such statements as "Few there be that find it," "An afflicted and poor people who shall trust in the Lord," indicate that which God sees to be ever true. See Math. vii, 14; Zeph. iii, 12.

31. "Out of Jerusalem shall go forth a remnant; the zeal of the Lord of Hosts shall do this. The zeal of the Lord of Hosts shall also bring the kingdom of peace on earth which shall have no end (Isa. ix, 7). All shall be accomplished in and through the son of David, our Lord Jesus Christ, of whom it is written, "The zeal of thine house hath eaten me up" (Ps. lxix, 9; John ii, 17). It is nothing with the Lord to work with many or with few; nothing is too hard for him (II Chron. xiv, 11; Jer. xxxii, 17).

32. "Therefore thus saith the Lord concerning the king of Assyria." Our Lord doeth according to His will in the army of heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth (Dan. iv, 25). His thoughts and purposes are as good as accomplished (Isa. xiv, 24; Jer. ii, 29).

33. "By the way that he came by the same shall he return and shall not come into this city, saith the Lord." This was the decision of Him who had all the hosts of heaven under His control and all power to carry out His purposes. He could say, "Hitherto shalt thou come, but no farther." (Job xxxviii, 11). Even the great adversary must stop when God shall say so, and he shall go to the pit for a thousand years, and to the lake of fire forever.

34. "For I will defend this city to save it for mine own sake, and for my servant David's sake." See also chapter xx, 6, and compare Isa. xxxi, 5, Zech. xii, 8. The "I wills" of Jehovah are a study of greatest possible benefit. They often occur in sevens and in connection with the statement "I am Jehovah."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Nov. 13. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—"Christian recreation."—Isa. xxxv, 1-10.

Recreation is becoming more and more a necessity as the world advances. We live faster, we do more in a shorter space of time than our forefathers ever did, and in so living and doing we wear heavily on our mental and physical systems. This constant wear and tear demands times of resting for recuperation. God realized that man would need rest amid the laborious duties of life. He gave us night in which the mind and body may receive new strength and vigor. He gave us one day in seven as a rest day and for a day of worship. In these days it is being almost universally conceded that more time even than this should be used for rest and recreation. Holidays and half holidays are used for this purpose, and wherever possible, special seasons of the year are used for vacations. All are necessary. The constant nervous strain to which the average man today is subjected is very wearing. It makes the hands weak and they need to be strengthened; it makes the knees feeble and they need to be confirmed. One of the best ways to do this is to rest and recreate. The Christian must realize this and act accordingly.

The result of this rest and recreation will be increased ability to labor. Thus we shall gather increased strength to open the eyes of the blind, to unstop the ears of the deaf, to make the lame man leap as the hart and the tongue of the dumb to sing. It's a false economy that provides no place for recreation. All work and no play not only makes Jack a dull boy, but weakens and shortens the life work of many a man and woman.

In Christian recreation there should be nothing un-Christian. Recreation times are times of temptation. Relieved from active work, we may feel sometimes relieved of moral obligation. But this is certainly not the case. We should never do at a time of recreation what we could not do in the moments of the most laborious work for Christ. Nor should opportunities to do good be neglected at such times. Christ, resting on the well curb in Samaria, did not lose the opportunity to speak to a sinful woman about the water of eternal life. Rest times often bring to us splendid opportunities to speak a word for Christ. Let us do it as He did it.

Bible Readings.—Ex. xxxi, 17; xxxiii, 14; II Sam. xvi, 11-14; Ps. lv, 6; lxxxiv, 1-10; Isa. xl, 28-31; lv, 1-3; Jer. vi, 16; Job. xi, 18, 19; Math. xi, 28, 29; John iv, 1-10; II Tim. i, 16-18.

Christian Endeavor Societies.

There are now within the borders of the United States 41,222 societies. These figures do not include the junior, intermediate and other societies. The total enrollment of worldwide Christian Endeavor is 54,191 societies, with an individual membership of more than 3,250,000. South Africa is entitled to the banner for the greatest proportionate increase in the number of societies. The junior societies continue to increase rapidly. There are now nearly 14,000 societies in the world. One thousand of these are to be found in foreign lands.

Russia is the only country in the world without a Christian Endeavor society.

There are 77 mothers' societies, 45 senior or graduate, societies, 17 societies in the United States army and in volunteers' camps, 119 societies in the United States navy and on board merchant ships. During the last year 27,686 juniors have become members of the church. From the intermediate societies 1,518 have joined their home churches and 196,550 from the young people's societies, making a total re-enforcement of church membership during the year amounting to 225,754.—Secretary Baer.

At the Present Line.

At this time of public excitement and upheaving, when all are thinking and talking almost constantly of the war and its results, we must not forget that there is a God upon the throne, whose right and province it is to direct and determine the destiny of nations as well as of individuals. He rules in the armies of heaven, and among the inhabitants of the earth, using this and that nationality for the accomplishment of His purposes. All events somehow further the establishment and extension of His kingdom. He has permitted the present crisis for some wise end and Christians ought to beseech Him to bring out of it such results as will be most for His glory and for the good of humanity.—Presbyterian.

Is Reverence Declining?

Is reverence declining? Yes, reverence for stocks and stones and senseless things. Let us rejoice, not lament, in consequence. Let us exult that we are advancing sufficiently to distinguish between reverence and superstition. The full fruitage will fall to a later age, but it cannot be long delayed.—Jewish Messenger.

Just as Near.

This is the beginning of all gospels—that the kingdom of heaven is just where we are. It is just as near us as our work is, for the gate of heaven for each soul lies in the endeavor to do that work perfectly.—Churchman.

Watch.

Watch, ye saints, with eyelids waking!
Lo, the powers of heaven are shaking!
Keep your lamps all trimmed and burning,
Ready for your Lord's returning.

Kingdoms at their base are crumbling.
Hark! His chariot wheels are rumbling!
Tell, oh, tell, of grace abounding
While the seventh trump is sounding!

Nations wane, though proud and stately;
Christ his kingdom hasteneth greatly;
Earth her latest pangs is summing.
Shout, ye saints; your Lord is coming!

Lamb of God, Thou meek and lowly;
Judah's lion, high and holy!
Lo, thy bride comes forth to meet thee,
All in blood washed robes to greet thee!

—Phœbe Palmer.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 13. Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M. Topic, Waiting Harvests.

SCRIPTURE READING.—Matth. ix, 35-38.—"The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few."

The great incentive to work for others is not because they appreciate the help given or greatly desire it, but because they need it, and we are able to give it. Few sick people relish the medicine given or appreciate the surgeon's skill and nurse's care, but they need them all the more because they are in no condition to appreciate the attention given them. The wounded soldier on the field of battle appeals to our helpfulness by his very helplessness. The sicker the child the more carefully we watch and tend. So in all spiritual concerns. It is not the whole but the sick who need the physician.

Christ came not to call the righteous but sinners to repentance. The heathen world calls us today most loudly by its necessities and appalling degradation. It would be false to figure the nations of heathenism as eager and hungry for the gospel. Rather they are antagonistic to it and prefer their old forms of error and debasement. But the greater their indifference and opposition the greater need that we call them to repentance and faith. They faint because of wickedness, and our hearts should feel compassion and our hands feed them.

All lands are opening to the Christian religion as never before. This century above all other centuries has seen the spread of the gospel. There have been other ages when missionaries performed great deeds. It was notable when the northern nations of Europe were evangelized. The story of Patrick and Bridget of Ireland reads like romance, but the thrilling tale of the conversion of Tonga and Fiji and Hawaii, of the missions of China, India, Japan and Africa is most fascinating also and is yet in the writing. We have the privilege of adding a chapter or paragraph. This movement of our own land and age and church should have our careful thought and most prayerful help.

Wider Horizons.

A few short months have vastly changed the ideas and ideals of the greater part of the American people. To preserve this continent from the interference and complications with European nations was the extreme limit of the foreign policy of our nation. The Cuban question had long clamored for solution, and conviction was growing that some change for the better must soon come. Peaceful means seemed likely to effect all that was desirable till the unfortunate destruction of the Maine forced the issue, and in a few days the traditional policy of the nation vanished before the rapid march of events. The necessities of defense of our Pacific coast sends Dewey to Manila and the destruction of the Spanish fleet lays the Philippines open to our arms and forces responsibility upon us never before assumed. Long time have we hesitated to acquire even a coaling station in the West Indies. Now we possess ourselves of Hawaii in the Pacific and Porto Rico in the Caribbean and assume governmental powers in Cuba and say that Spain must vacate the western hemisphere. All this means more than the gratification of a lust for conquest. It is not even done at the dictation of politicians and a dominant plutocracy. Under all is the hand of Divine Providence, shaping destiny, opening and shutting doors, setting up judges and putting down princes, and through all broadening the horizons of human vision.

The church must see her opportunity in all this. These lands need a pure gospel and Christian enlightenment. Never was the teaching of God more manifest in the movements of the nations than in these recent developments.

Learn to Walk.

It is a great day when baby takes the first step alone. It is more important than when the first tooth comes or the first word is spoken. Learning to walk is both a science and an art. Knowledge of what to do and how to do it must be mastered, and then skill must be acquired to make muscles, sinews and bones obey the will and move according to plan. How great a feat it is to walk few grown people realize until a time of sickness obliges them to begin it all over and learn in adult years what they once learned in babyhood.

It is no less a feat to learn to walk upright in the moral and religious life. What is the right way must be first found, and then by repeated efforts the affections, desires, will and all bodily powers must be made to go in the right direction. It needs patience. Many stumble and fall, but if they give it up all the rest of life is one long crawling in the dust. There is much need to strengthen the weak knees and to seek the straight paths and to gather all stones of stumbling out of the way.

Every evil passion indulged, every bad appetite and unholy desire gratified weakens the spiritual force and brings danger. Many a young man has stumbled over a cigarette and glass of wine into a pit from which he could not rise. Many young ladies find that after they have learned to dance they have lost the habit of walking safely and uprightly. By all means learn how to walk.

The Student Movement.

At the beginning of the century the colleges of the land were schools of infidelity in great measure. Now a great change has come over them. A great body of the most scholarly have offered for the foreign missionary work. Multitudes are earnest Christians in the home field, and the influence of the universities in the main is on the side of vital godliness. Not a few of those who have taken high honors in scholarship and in athletics have also entered most heartily into the leadership of the Christian forces. Learning and piety are well united.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Sachsen.

Dresden. Im letzten Vierteljahr wurden aus dem hiesigen Bezirk nach den Ver. Staaten Waaren im Werthe von $211,105 ausgeführt. Gegen die gleiche Zeit des Vorjahres ist das eine Steigerung von $29,148.—Die Stadtverordneten beschlossen eine Umsatzsteuer auf die Detailgeschäfte für alle Gebrauchsartikel. Die Steuer beginnt bei 200,000 Mark Umsatz mit einem halben Prozent und steigt bei 1,000,000 Mark Umsatz auf den Hochstsatz von zwei Prozent.

Freiberg. Das Komite zur Hebung des Flachsbaues für das Königreich Sachsen hat beschlossen, hier eine Flachsausstellung zu veranstalten.

Leipzig. Der Fehlbetrag der vorjährigen sächsisch-thüringischen Industrie- und Gewerbeausstellung beziffert sich auf rund 619,000 Mark. Der Rath hat nach einer den Stadtverordneten zugegangenen Vorlage beschlossen, zur Deckung dieses Fehlbetrages aus städtischen Mitteln eine Beihilfe von 400,000 Mark zu gewähren. Freilich dürfte es im Stadtverordneten-Kollegium noch Kämpfe geben, ehe der Rathsbeschluß sanktionirt wird. Die Garantiefondszeichner haben dann noch 15 Prozent zu leisten. Das Defizit ist im Wesentlichen entstanden durch dreifache Ueberschreitungen des Baubudgets—dafür tauscht die Stadt aber bei der Zahlung von 400,000 Mark schöne Anlagen ein, welche vom Baubureau geschaffen wurden.

Reinsdorf. In dem zur Zeit außer Betrieb befindlichen und mit Wasser angefüllten Steinbruche des Gutsbesitzers Bretschneider hierselbst wurde die Leiche des 13 Jahre alten Schulknaben Leistner aus Friedrichsgrün gefunden. Der Knabe ist zweifellos freiwillig in den Tod gegangen. Als Ursache hierfür nimmt man Schamgefühl und Furcht vor Strafe wegen eines unbedeutenden Diebstahls an.

Zwickau. In den Filialen der Mohr'schen Margarinfabrik hierselbst wurden kürzlich sämmtliche zum Kauf ausliegenden Fleischwaaren beschlagnahmt. Diese behördliche Maßnahme stützt sich auf eine ortsstatutarische Bestimmung, nach der nur Fleischer der Stadt in offenen Läden Fleisch verkaufen dürfen. Die Inhaber der betreffenen Geschäfte haben Beschwerde eingereicht.

Thüringische Staaten.

Apolda. Baumeister Becker in Berlin und die Berliner Bank haben der Stadt Apolda das Anerbieten gemacht, Apolda mit Jena durch eine elektrische Bahn zu verbinden und in Apolda eine Centrale zu der Abgabe von Licht und Kraft zu errichten, doch muß die Stadt die jetzt in Privatbesitz befindliche Gasanstalt erwerben und an die Berliner Bank abtreten. Der Gemeinderath hat sich im Prinzip damit einverstanden erklärt, so daß die Ausführung gesichert ist.

Saalfeld. Die Wiederwahl des hiesigen Ersten Bürgermeisters Liebscher scheint nicht so ganz glatt abgelaufen zu sein. Wie verlautet, hatte der Gemeinderath den Beschluß gefaßt, den Ersten Bürgermeister zu ersuchen, die Bureaustunden pünktlicher einzuhalten, welchem Wunsch der Wiedergewählte nachkommen will.

Weimar. Die großartig eingerichtete Sophien Heilstätte für Lungenkranke bei Tannroda wurde unter Theilnahme des Großherzogs und des Erbgroßherzogs, sowie zahlreicher geladener Gäste und der einziehenden 40 Kranken feierlich eröffnet.

Freie Städte.

Hamburg. Die Verhandlungen mit Preußen über die Bahnhofsfrage haben nunmehr ihren Abschluß gefunden. Die Hoheitsrechte bleiben, soweit die Bahn das Hamburger Gebiet berührt, Hamburg vorbehalten. Das Terrain für den neuen Bahnhof werden die alten St. Georger Friedhöfe bilden, doch werden auch größere Straßenveränderungen erforderlich sein, wovon namentlich Ernst Merck-Straße, Holzdamm und Kirchenallee betreffen werden. Mit den erforderlichen Vorarbeiten soll nunmehr in nächster Zeit begonnen werden.—Frau Embden, die hier wohnende Schwester Heinrich Heines, vollendete dieser Tage ihr 98. Lebensjahr in seltener geistiger und körperlicher Frische und Rüstigkeit.

Bremen. Der Deserteur der französischen Fremdenlegion, Schumacher aus Königstein, der im Juni aus Algier desertirte und durch die deutsche Gesandtschaft in Tanger hierher geschickt wurde, ist bei seiner Ankunft der Militärbehörde als unsicherer Heerespflichtiger überwiesen worden.

Lübeck. In ruchloser Weise ist das Hünengrab in Waldhusen theilweise zerstört worden. Der Schlußdeckel des Grabeseinganges in einem Gewichte von 600 bis 700 Kilogramm ist abgehoben und in den Zugang geworfen, sowie sämmtliche Keilsteine, welche den oberen Schlußdeckel befestigten, sind herausgebrochen und größtentheils zerstückelt worden. Auch sonst sind noch allerlei Verwüstungen angerichtet. Die Behörde hat eine hohe Belohnung auf die Ermittelung der Thäter ausgesetzt.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, [illegible], 11 45 [illegible]; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 37, 9 25, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 08 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 03 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 20, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m., 2 05, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 20, 4 30, 5 25, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 06 a. m.; 3 08, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

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5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 08 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 6 22 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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BEATRIX HARCOURT.

"Whom do you think I saw driving with Gerald Morton this morning?" asked Mrs. Morris of her great friend, the doctor's wife, as the two ladies were enjoying 5 o'clock tea and the general gossip of the parish together one afternoon.

"Beatrix Harcourt," Mrs. Maynard answered promptly.

"Ah, you saw her, too, then. I must say I was astonished. It is well known that young Morton bears the character of being the fastest man in the neighborhood."

"I have long ceased to be surprised at anything Beatrix Harcourt does," the other lady answered significantly. "If Mr. Kenrick does not mind, I do not see why any one else should trouble their heads about her eccentricities."

"Certainly not," Mrs. Morris agreed. "But, really, Rose, she was laughing and talking in the most giddy manner, and Gerald was bending toward her until his face nearly touched hers."

"And that is our future vicar's wife! Well, I shall take care my daughters do not see much of her." And Mrs. Maynard drew herself up with a kind of lofty indignation, as some fresh visitors were shown into the room.

Poor Beatrix! Her numerous delinquencies were the subject of many afternoon tea gossips, and had been ever since she came to Hillchester, four years ago. She certainly was unlike other girls; for, in addition to being a "blue stocking," and having taken her degree at Oxford, she had a most unreasonable interest in the working classes—not a mere ladylike interest, which contented itself with calling at their cottages with a few words of good advice and a tract. Ah, no! she had always some plan, or "craze," as the good people of Hillchester called it, for their benefit on hand—classes for the young girls, ambulance lectures, concerts, teas, what not?

For the conventionalities of society she cared not at all. She never attended the afternoon teas, therefore she heard no gossip.

She had been known even to take the broom off the lame old crossing sweeper at the corner of the road and work away in earnest until there was a passage fit for a queen to walk over.

And in spite of all, the vicar of Hillchester had asked Beatrix Harcourt to be his wife. Well, as the leaders of society in Hillchester remarked with ominous sighs, wonders never cease!

Nevertheless, it must be confessed that Rev. John Kenrick was in no very enviable frame of mind, as a week later he wended his way somewhat slowly toward his lady love's abode.

The gossip which had begun in Mrs. Maynard's drawing room had spread all over the parish, until a version of it, highly exaggerated and colored, had reached the vicar's ears.

Beatrix was leaning over the drive gate which led to her father's house, watching for him as usual, and as he saw the glad look of welcome brighten and sweeten all her face at his approach, he said to himself that his darling was as pure and sweet as the wild roses she fastened in her belt.

But Beatrix soon discovered that something was amiss, and after the first greetings were over she asked, almost anxiously, "What is the matter, John? You do not look well."

For a full minute Mr. Kenrick did not answer; instead he looked down at her as she stood with one small hand resting upon his black coat sleeve; the sunlight falling with loving touch upon her hair, which was cut short (another point which met with the disfavor of the Hillchester matrons), and curled naturally all over her head like a child's. Her lover sometimes laughingly told her that she had a baby face still, and he was not far wrong, for her expression was singularly untroubled and childlike, and yet there was a depth of feeling in the honest blue eyes which told both of strength of character and purpose.

"Trix, it is silly, perhaps, but something I have heard to-day has troubled me greatly."

"About me?" Trix asked gayly. "Of what fresh enormity am I accused, John?" and a sudden gravity crept into the sweet voice; "I thought you said you minded none of these things?"

"I do not," the vicar answered quickly; "indeed," gently stroking the soft, yet strong looking hand, "I love you all the better for them, but—it is better to speak out. Trix, have you been driving about with Gerald Morton lately?"

The next moment Mr. Kenrick would have given much never to have asked the question, for Trix turned to him quickly, a world of scorn shining in her blue eyes.

"And so, John, this means that you cannot trust me, and you choose rather to believe any idle story people may tell."

"Tell me there is no truth in it, Trix." Mr. Kendrick said quietly, though his eyes had clouded with a deep look of pain beneath her implied rebuke, "and I promise you I will believe it."

But Beatrix had removed her hand, and all the sunshine had died out of her bonny face as she said wearily: "Mr. Morton has driven me over to Castlefields twice this week. Is there anything else you want to ask me?"

No, there was nothing else. Mr. Kenrick felt it was almost sacrilege with those pure eyes looking into his to breathe the doubts which now seemed to him so unworthy.

But, alas! for the "little rift." Beatrix tried to talk of other things, tried hard to be her own, bright, merry self, and yet was conscious of an unwonted sense of absolute grief, when at last the vicar told her he was obliged to go.

It was a month later, and Beatrix Harcourt was walking swiftly along the dusty road leading to Castlefields, carrying a small basket containing some delicacy for the sick woman she was going to see. The sound of wheels made her turn her head, and the next moment a deep, musical voice said pleasantly: "Miss Harcourt, are you again bound on the same journey? Now, do let me have the pleasure of giving you a lift."

Beatrix hesitated one moment, then she answered frankly, "Thank you so much. You know Jennie, that poor crippled child I told you about? Well, I have had a note from her this morning to say her mother is very ill and there is no one to do anything for her."

Gerald Morton looked admiringly down at the fair face beside him. It was the young man of Hillchester who had given Beatrix Harcourt the name of "the fair philanthropist," and it spoke well for the girl that even in the fastest circles her name was never mentioned but with respect.

When Beatrix reached the little cottage, which lay close to a wood five miles from Hillchester, she found everything in a state of confusion. One glance at the poor woman showed her to be in a high state of fever and slightly delirious, while an ominous crimson rash was beginning to make its appearance on her face and neck.

"Why, Jenne, your mother has the fever," Beatrix exclaimed, rapidly. "Haven't you sent for a doctor, child, and is there no neighbor who would come and help to nurse her?"

"I wrote to the doctor, miss, when I sent your note, but he has not been yet, and as to neighbors, miss, there are none for a mile or more."

All the morning Beatrix waited, doing all she could for the poor sick woman, and the afternoon was well on its way when the welcome rap, which surely told of the doctor's appearance, sounded at the door.

Beatrix literally flew to open it, and found herself face to face not with the doctor, but the vicar.

For the last month, ever since the gossip about Gerald Morton, in fact, matters had been rather strained between the vicar and his fiancee, but all was forgotten now, as, in the impulse of the moment, Beatrix exclaimed, "You must not come in here, John, or touch me, either. Mrs. Carr has the fever."

For a moment a look of keen anxiety darkened his grave blue eyes, and the next Mr. Kendrick had folded the slight form close in his arms, as he murmured brokenly: "Trixie, my own brave darling, would you have me a greater coward than yourself?"

With his arms still about her, she told him how Gerald Morton had driven her to the cottage in the morning, adding: "It was well he did, for I should have been an hour later, and Jennie and her mother were quite alone."

"Trix, will you forgive me for letting that horrid scandal trouble me, even for one moment? Dear heart, I feel I shall never forgive myself."

"Yes, I will forgive you," Trix answered, gayly, the last shadow gone from her honest blue eyes; "only you must never do it again, as the children say."

The vicar's low-breathed answer sounded like a blessing, and then Beatrix hurried him off to see what further means they could devise for the poor woman's comfort during the night.

A fortnight later all Hillchester was thrown into a state of dire consternation by the news that Beatrix Harcourt had scarlet fever, and was, moreover, so dangerously ill that the doctor almost despaired of her life. Truly, a universal calamity might have befallen the place, for Beatrix's illness and its cause formed the perpetual topic of conversation, both in the homes of the rich and poor.

It happened during one of the worst day's of Beatrix's illness that Mrs. Morris and her friend, Mrs. Maynard, were walking by the drive gate leading to Beatrix's home. To their astonishment they saw a large crowd of people waiting just outside the door—women with babies in their arms, girls who had stolen a few minutes out of their dinner hour, even one or two tall youths and laboring men.

In a moment the door opened and a maidservant spoke a few words to the anxious watchers. Evidently it was not good news, for with one accord they slowly and silently turned to go away, and as they passed the two ladies one woman exclaimed in a broken voice which showed tears were not far off: "Ah, well, if we lose her our best friend is gone, and that's certain. There ain't many in this world like our Miss Beatrix. Bless her sweet face!"

Mrs. Maynard and Mrs. Morris walked on in silence. The scene had touched them deeply, and the eyes of the doctor's wife were full of tears, while her companion had an unwonted and most unpleasant choking sensation in her throat. The lesson was learned, though it was bitter, for each felt "what would these good people have cared had I been in Beatrix Harcourt's place?"

But Beatrix, dangerous as her illness was, did not die, and six months later Hillchester was the scene of a greater rejoicing than had been known for many a long year, while the wonderful arches, with their various devices, the glad faces of the people, the children with their flower-laden baskets and the church bells ringing out their sweet messages far and wide, all combined to show the love and respect with which their vicar and his bride had so deservedly gained in the hearts of their people.—Ethel Beatrice Wadlow, in Madame.

JUST MY LUCK.

By Mary F. Haynes.

"It's just my luck!" said Reuben Starbird. "Just my luck! Never knew it to fail. It's always just so."

"What is your luck?" asked Melissa Bird, to whom this speech was addressed. "What do you mean by luck, any way?"

"Why, just what I say," responded Reuben, his chin a trifle less in the air than it had been during his first speech. The crisp, impatient way in which Melissa had spoken was not without its influence. Her voice was pleasant, her smile was pleasant; yet they made him feel that she meant a good deal.

"I mean—why, I mean just this," continued Reuben, making another beginning, since the first did not seem to amount to much. "I mean that, whatever I try to do, things seem to go against me, somehow. I don't see why it is, but I never seem to have no luck," he concluded. This seemed, even to himself, to be rather a lame conclusion, but he did not see his way towards making it any better.

He stood rather awkwardly before her yet much inclined to hold his own, even against his sweetheart.

"What have you been trying to do?" Melissa went on, with the most exasperating coolness and precision.

"Well," said Reuben, desperately, after a considerable pause, during which Melissa stood composedly surveying him with her shapely hands quietly folded over each other. "Well, f' instance, now, I started this morning to get on that seven-thirty train for New York. There's the whistle, and here'm I, a good half mile away."

"Luck!" said Melissa. "I shouldn't think luck had much to do with that. If you had managed to get up half an hour earlier, say, or had walked a little faster"—here she stopped, and blushed in spite of all her efforts.

"If I had not stopped to see you, that is," interposed Reuben, eager to seize the first advantage which he had been able to get in the whole conversation.

"You shouldn't have stopped for anything," retorted Melissa, severely. "If it was really your business to get to that train this morning, you should have been there without any regard to anything else. Did Mr. Travis send you to buy goods?"

"No, no; I'm going on other business. Fact is, Melissa," he said, endeavoring to put on an air of superior smartness and elevating his chin in air, in that aspiring, ineffectual fashion which was as characteristic of him as the pretty air of decision with which Melissa held her well-shaped, softy rounded chin slightly inclined downward was of her; "the fact is, I'm tired of a country store. You never get ahead any; drudge all your life, and never get anywhere. Now, in New York just see what luck a fellow gets into sometimes. Look at all those rich old chaps who went there from the country without a dollar and just see what luck some of 'em dropped into!"

Up went Reub's chin, higher and higher, as he felt himself lifted upon the tide of his own eloquence and ambition.

"They had pluck, and you haven't," said Melissa, with that horrible, relentless directness of speech which always made Reuben tremble in his shoes; "they had what some folks call stickativeness, and you haven't; they——"

"Now look here, hold on, Melissa!" cried Reuben, immensely aggrieved. "Here are you and I, that have been what you may call courting these two years, and this is the way you talk to me, just as I'm really starting out to do something at last. And it's for you as much as for myself that I want to try and be somebody, and get money, and all that."

"Then why don't you go back and attend to the business that you know how to do and can do well, if you only choose to give your mind to it, instead of mooning off after things you can never get?"

Melissa's own heart was sore; but she dared not give way to weakness now. She felt that the critical moment had come for both of them. It was now or never.

"If you take that view of it," said Reuben slowly, "perhaps——"

"I'm trying to take a common-sense view of it," returned Melissa, resolutely choking down a rising sob. "Common sense is the surest thing to depend on in this world. You have a good place here, Reuben, and you will not lose it, unless you lose it by your own fault. Mr. Travis has a good trade, and he is growing old and getting tired of the business. You might just as well have it as anybody. But who is there that you know in New York? Where could you get a place? Do you know anything about the way people do things there?"

"I suppose I'm not such a fool but that I could learn," said Reuben, with much dignity.

He lifted his hat; he turned away. Melissa's heart felt like lead within her breast. But she had done her duty; she had delivered her soul. The issue lay in the hands of Providence. She was a devout believer in Providence; she trusted that "Providence would overrule everything for good." But in spite of all her faith, a horrible secret unbelief kept hinting, "But suppose Reub should be let to go, after all!"

She was very miserable as she sat down on a green bank beside the path through the fields. She could not go any further. The tears began to come thick and fast into the gray eyes. All the fire was gone out of them now.

Would Reuben go, or would he not? That was the only thing which made any distinct impression upon her mind. On that question hung her whole future. She had set her foot down, and she must be firm. Long enough had she endured Reuben's shilly-shallying; either he must change, or she must. Oh, if she could but make him change! Reuben was so kind, so pleasant, so full of fun, so nice, so agreeable; she was so fond of him.

But on the other hand, he was so irresolute, so easily disastisfied with things about him. If he did not stop pretty soon and turn square round and try to stick to something, he would come to be just nothing at all. He would be just like his father, old Isril Starbird!

Melissa could not bear the prick of that thought. She sprang up and walked on fast until she got into the orchard. She paused to wipe away all traces of her tears before she went up the little path, half hidden in the tall grass, up to the back door. Poor girl! She thought it was all for Reuben that she was crying, because he was letting himself down, because he was not going to be the man he might have been. But some of it, too, was for her own pride, for the loss of that secretly longed for, that comfortable and dignified position as the wife of the village storekeeper who always wore a silk dress on a Sunday, and had her bonnets from the city. She, too, had had her fine little air-castles, though they were built upon more solid foundations than Reuben's. It was partly for these that she wept; but more—how much!—for her life which was going to be wasted on account of Reuben's folly, for the home and the happiness which were never to be.

Yet she could not yield. She could not even go to him and say, "If you love me, Reuben." No; she must put it on the solid footing of reason and common sense. If these prevailed, there was hope that Reuben might yet be a man worth loving and marrying. But if they failed, why, then, perhaps it was better——

Here she broke down utterly. She could not help it. Melissa was a heroine in her way; but heroines are human, after all. She meant to be a heroine; but she suffered just like any other woman.

She stole in noiselessly, and shut herself up in her own room. "She had a headache," and that was the last of her for that day. The night was long and sleepless. Next morning she came down stairs, and tried to take up the burdens of life again.

"Melissa," said her mother, "you must go down to the store before breakfast, and see if those things came yesterday; spices an' things, you know. I want 'em to cook with the first thing this forenoon."

"I can't go!" faltered Melissa. "I never slept at all, and I have such a headache. I don't believe I can!"

She shivered at the very thought.

"But you must go. Your father says just ask Mr. Travis which mower's the best."

She stood still for a moment; then she took down her hat and went out. Once on her way, she walked with feverish haste. It would soon be over now. The first glance behind the counter would tell the story for her.

Oh, sight of joy! There stood Reuben, in his blue overalls, briskly opening a cask of molasses, and drawing off two gallons for old Miss Symonds, who stood by, with a Shaker on, intently inspecting the operation.

The sudden relief was too much for her. She felt as if she should have to sit down on the steps of the store. She put her hand on one of the wooden pillars which supported the piazza, to steady herself. Everything was swaying about her eyes; old Jacob Parkins, in the tilted-back chair by the rusty, fireless stove, was dancing up and down, and the hollows and ridges of the uneven floor kept coming up to meet her like the deck of a ship.

Mr. Travis came down from his perch and got the spices for her himself, chuckling, and saying that as Reuben was so busy he didn't suppose she would want to disturb him!

Melissa smiled sweetly, and said,—

"Oh, no! certainly not!"

And she never spoke to Reuben at all. But as she came back across the floor their eyes met, and he colored very red, while she grew pale. But they understood each other, though they did not speak; to say the truth, she could not.

It was all that she could do to walk steadily along the road, and answer the ignorant, unconscious people who addressed her. They did not know that anything had happened. They did not dream that she had lived her life all through since yesterday morning—lived her life all through and given up everything in it that ever she wanted; but now here it was, all before her again, to do just as she pleased with it.

And there was Reuben, back again in his place, with his blue overalls on, just as if nothing had happened. It was nothing to the rest of the world, but it was a great deal to them.

Got It Right at Last.

A farmer who had lost a son in the war, employed the village poet to write an obituary, which ran as follows:

"He for his country fit an' fout
Until Death blowed his candle out."

"That won't do," said the bereaved parent, "kaze they don't use candles now. Take another whirl at it."

The poet squared his jaws and presently produced the following:

"He fit and fout with gun and knife,
Till Death blowed out the gas of life."

"That's better now," exclaimed the farmer. "I've blowed out the gas myself many a time."—Atlanta Constitution.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The regular meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will be held this evening.

—Work has been resumed on the new Calvary Baptist church building on Central avenue.

—Randolph, the druggist, is making a run on his hair tonic and his celebrated cod liver oil today.

—The Local Christian Endeavor Union will hold a service Thanksgiving Day morning before the regular morning service.

—Mrs. L. Adams, the East Front street milliner, is giving a discount of five per cent in place of trading stamps, to cash purchasers.

—F. C. Lounsbury, of Plainfield avenue, is making a number of improvements about his residence, notably an addition to his front porch.

—Thanksgiving evening an entertainment will be given in Grace M. E. church for the benefit of the church. The Ladies' Aid Society will have charge.

—It now takes a Plainfield Street Railway Company car one hour and fifteen minutes to make a round trip on the main line between Netherwood and Dunellen.

—A delegation from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., went to Somerville last evening to visit Gen. Wadsworth Post, of that place. The latter post was inspected by the department officers.

—A Thanksgiving sociable will be given in the parlors of the Congregational church this evening under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the church. Novel refreshments will be served.

—In the house furnishing department at White's they are making a very pretty display of fine lamps. They will place on sale tomorrow a line of decorated tea and dinner sets at a very low price.

—Owing to his increased business, Chas. E. Bicknell, the well-known fruit and confectionery dealer, of Somerset street, has decided to open a branch store at 103 Somerset street, near Lincoln place. His opening takes place Saturday night, and as an inducement he will offer all kinds of fruit and confectionery at both his old and new stores at remarkable low prices.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Emma V. Fish, a former president of the Park Avenue Baptist church Christian Endeavor Society, will lead the meeting tonight.

Cards have been issued for the marriage of Miss Helen Jenks, formerly a teacher in the Bryant Public School, to Mr. R. M. Olin, of Perry, N.Y. The marriage will take place at Perry, N. Y., on Tuesday, November 22d.

THIRD HAS NOT STARTED.

Belief in the Regiment That It Will Be Mustered Out and Not Taken South.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Pompton Plains, Nov. 11—The Third New Jersey Volunteers did not leave yesterday for Athens, Ga., as was expected. The regiment was ordered there some time ago by the War Department.

No cars were on hand to transport the men yesterday, and it is reported that the orders for the command to go south will be countermanded. Col. Lee, it is said, has been unable to ascertain whether his command will remain at the powder works, doing garrison duty, or be mustered out.

As far as known, no arrangements have been made to send the Third Regiment south. It was reported that orders would be issued in a few days for the regiment to be mustered out.

Specials at VanEmburgh's

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

The Alis second had a game arranged with the second eleven of Pingry's School, of Elizabeth, for last Tuesday morning, but the visitors wrote at the last moment that they would be unable to come.

Captain Phillips, of the Alis team, has decided to continue the Alis team for the remainder of the season. Saturday there will be no game as most of the players are going to Princeton to see the annual contest between Yale and Princeton. For the week after the Alis boys expect to play Scotch Plains.

It has been definitely decided by the management of the Plainfield team that the eleven will meet the San Remo's again on Martine Field Thanksgiving Day. It is not yet decided whether the game will be played in the morning or afternoon, but most of the players prefer the morning so that it will not interfere with their Thanksgiving dinner.

L. L. de Casanova, who refereed the game between the Plainfield boys and San Remo team Tuesday afternoon, was the regular quarter back on the visiting team. He has played here in each of the former games. Last Saturday he played quarter against the Riverside Athletic Club and had his head cut, which prevented him from playing Tuesday. His place was filled by Fred Wenck, the former full back, now captain of the Twenty-second Regiment team.

A word of commendation should be spoken for Thomas A Cuming, who played centre on the Plainfield team. While there was not one of the team who did not try to do his best, Cuming played a remarkable game. He was in every play and tackled the runner time after time for a loss. Cuming, Cathcart and Hallock did brilliant work at tackling. Smith was promptly on hand, but tackled a trifle too high, and on several occasions was dragged some distance before he downed his man.

Considering the fact that the Plainfield team made its first appearance of the season on the gridiron Tuesday and that the only practice had been by electric lights during the two weeks preceding the game, the showing they made against the San Remo was very good. The visitors played rather loosely or else they would have rolled up a much higher score. In the second half, they put in a number of new men while the Plainfield team had the same makeup with one exception throughout the game.

In the great Yale-Princeton game that is to be played on Brokaw Field, Princeton, tomorrow afternoon, there will be one Plainfield boy. He will not, in all probability, line up at the start but he will be on the side lines ready at any time to take his place in the game. Charles Dupee, of Washington Park, is substitute full-back on the Yale 'varsity eleven and as the regular man for that position, McBride, is suffering from a weak ankle, it is possible that Charlie may have the honor so coveted by all football players of taking part in the game.

The San Remo boys were well pleased with their reception in Plainfield Tuesday and want to come here again. L. L. deCasanova, the manager, was very anxious to arrange a game for Thanksgiving Day. While there is no team that Plainfield would rather play, it has not yet been decided whether a game will be played on that date. It is rather difficult to train and practice for one game only, and some of the players are in favor of giving up entirely any attempt to play any more this year. Several others have engagements for Thanksgiving and cannot play.

GOLF.

The finals for the Chapman cup will be played tomorrow afternoon on the course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club.

There will be play on the Park Golf course tomorrow if the weather is favorable. A tea will be given in the clubhouse in the afternoon which will be in charge of Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, assisted by some other lady members of the club.

Mrs. N. Pendleton Rogers followed up her victory election day at the Park Glub, by lowering the ladies' record for the eighteen-hole course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club, from 117 to 108 on the following day. The old record was made by Miss Maud VanBoskerck.

The first golf tournament of the Middlebrook Country Club was held on the links of the club, near Bound Brook, Tuesday in the presence of over a hundred members. Mrs. L S. Cook won the ladies' prizes for both hole and medal play. Townsend Mason won the gentlemen's prize for hole play, and William A. Fisher was the winner of the prize for medal play. Golf is fast becoming popular with the Bound Brookites.

ROD AND GUN.

Mr. Pier and Frank Vanderhoof, of West Front street, are spending a few days at Pluckamin hunting rabbits.

AN EXEMPLARY WOMAN.

Christian Character of the Late Mrs. M. M. Cock.

Many warm and devotedly attached friends have been gathering up recollections of the life and saintly character of Mrs. Cock. They have been speaking, one to another, of some of the many graces which adorned her walk and conversation. A Christian life, extending over the unusually long period of ninety-six years, must of necessity come to abound in most precious and valuable experience of God's goodness and providential care. As she has so long been sitting at the feet of her Savior, seeking to learn of Him, she had gotten many lessons by heart and has been daily exemplifying them. It has been well said that every Christian should be the personification at least of some one grace of the Holy Spirit of God, of faith, of love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, or patience, so as to fulfill the Apostle's exhortation and be "a living epistle, read of all men."

Mr. Cock manifested many of these graces in her quiet, retired life, which she has been living during the last ten or fifteen years that she has been called to pass in her home and a large part of them in her home. Three things must have struck every one who knew her and they were the unfailing strength of her faith in God, her Father, her patient endurance and determination to do His will, and her heart-felt gratitude for her many blesings. She never spoke of her ailments and infirmities, without quickly adding—"but I have many things to be thankful for," and then would delight to account some of them.

Let us thank God for the grace, given to this, His aged servant, and pray for His help that we may follow the example of her steadfastness in the faith and obedience to God's Holy commandments. R.

ENJOYED PLAYING WHIST.

Wednesday Afternoon Club Entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyman.

The members of the Ladies' Wednesday Afternoon Whist Club, together with the sterner sex, were delightfully entertained last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyman, of the borough. The time was passed in playing progressive whist, which was for the greatest number of points for prizes. At the conclusion of the spirited contest it was decided that the first and second prizes for the ladies should be given to Miss Mary French and Miss Adelaide Ball. For the men, Clarence Murphy and Elston M. French were awarded first and second prizes. The prizes were all silver novelties and were received with sincere thanks. The consolation prizes were presented to Miss Yerkes and William Faber. After the play the guests were served with dainty refreshments.

Those psesent were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Western, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Homan, Dr. and Mrs. Kempton Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyman, Miss Arlee Crane, Miss Little, Miss Coard, Miss Patton, Miss Yerkes, Miss French, Miss Ball, and Elston M. French, Dr. Emerson, Clarence Murphy, Harry Patton, J. Casper Kirkner, William Faber, Ernest Franke.

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Seventh-Day Baptists' to Hold Exercises.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church was held in the church parlors Wednesday evening. After the routine business a committee, composed of Miss Louise Clawson, Mrs. O. S. Rogers and Miss Ida Spicer, was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the anniversary service in the church Saturday morning, December 10th. The envelope system was adopted for the payment of the dues.

It was decided that a girls' mission band should be organized under the auspices of the society and the missionary committee was given charge of it. The delegate to the yearly meeting of the Seventh-Day Baptist church was selected to be Miss Ernestine Smith.

Men's Meetings.

As one result of the revival in the Seventh Day Baptist church last year, a men's meeting was organized, and held Sunday nights until the summer vacation. The purpose of these men is to work, in and through the church, for one another's good, and to help other men, whom they may reach by their influence, to lead better and happier lives. The meetings have now begun for the new year, and Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will give an address next Sunday night. Subject—"The Broader Education for Business Men." Men are cordially invited.

APPEAL FOR HOSPITAL.

Finance Committee Asks for Contributions From the Public.

The finance committee of the hospital is compelled to appeal to the people of Plainfield and its vicinity for assistance in providing for the current expenses of the coming year.

The money received from the "Spielkartenfest" is now entirely exhausted and contributions are urgently needed.

Muhlenberg Hospital is justly entitled to hearty financial support from the people generally and the committee hopes that this appeal may meet with a prompt and generous response.

An annual payment of $200 will endow a bed; a payment of $100 will constitute a life member, and an annual payment of $10 a subscribing member.

Contributions may be sent to H. P. Reynolds, Treasurer, No. 71 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, or to any member of the finance committee.

Francis Wood, 313 Franklin place,
John H. Whiton, 821 Central avenue,
Charles Schipper, 705 West Seventh street,
Charles J. Fisk, 211 West Seventh street,
Edward H. Ladd, Jr., 303 Franklin place, Finance Committee.

Plainfield, Nov. 10th, 1898. 10 3t

PROFITS FROM STREET PLAYING.

Considerable Amounts of Money Gathered by Strolling Italians.

When an Italian "goes broke," which isn't very often by the way, he does not run to the selectmen with a long tale of poverty and woe, neither does he land at the poor house and settle down for the rest of his days. Not at all. The unfortunate son of the land of sunny skies, penniless though he may be, always has three good stand-bys, which will put him on his feet and turn the tide his way—bananas, peanuts and pianos.

There are six street pianos in daily use in New Haven. Four of these are owned by an Italian saloon keeper on Union street and the others by the individuals who operate them. The first mentioned rents pianos to his countrymen, who call for them every morning and return them at night. The men who drag the piano about the streets all day divide their receipts with the owner every evening on returning. When the money taken in during the day is less than $5, the trip is considered poor. On the other hand, receipts average about $6 or $7 per day, and sometimes go as high as $9 or $10. Routes where this harvest is gathered are carefully watched, and kept as secret as possible from competitors in the field.

One of these pianos costs $250 in New York, and they are made most substantially in order to stand the wear and tear of street service. The owners each year contract for a new "barrel" of tunes, ten in number, which is supplied by the dealer at a cost of $55. So, following the original investment, this is the only yearly expense.—New Haven Register.

HAS THE MAKING OF A FINANCIER.

He Accepted His Uncle's Offer and Pitched In on His Own Hook.

A certain wealthy man has set his nephew up in business three times, but the young man lacks something essential to success in the mercantile line and failed with each effort. When he came with the fourth request for financial backing, the uncle demurred.

"You must learn to lean on yourself," he said. "I can't carry you all your life. It would be an unkindness in me to keep supplying you with money to carry on enterprises that invariably end in assignment. I'll tell you what I'll do. You owe a good deal as the result of that last failure. Pitch in on your own hook and go it alone till you pay those debts off. When you've done that I'll give you a check for all the amount due. Such an experience would do you more good than all the money I could give you now."

Three months later the nephew walked in with every claim receipted in full, and the uncle was delighted as he gave the promised check.

"That's something like it now, and I warrant you feel all the better for the hard training. How did you manage, Tom?"

"I borrowed the money, uncle."

The old gentleman is telling that there is the making of a financier in his nephew.

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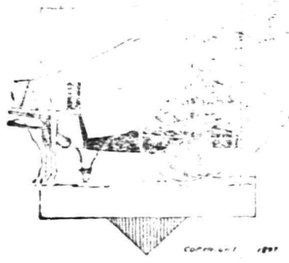

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OF THE SEASON will begin tomorrow, SATURDAY,

November 12, 1898, at 8 a. m.

Do not miss the opportunity of a life time and don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing anywhere else until you have been here first of all. Everything will sell fast so come at once and don't delay. Secure yourself with an overcoat or a suit at this great sale at one third its value. Be on hand early and get the first pick.

You can see more clothing at this sale and there is more clothing sold here than in any two stores in Plainfield, and is it any wonder? When you can get the finest goods here at one third the prices you have to pay in any store in the world for goods far inferior to the clothing sold at this sale.

We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale.

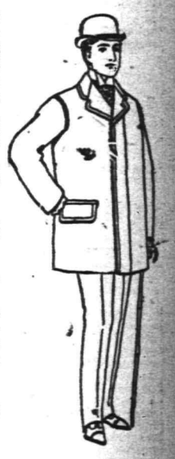
There is over $25,000 worth of fine clothing here in our store of the late New York failures, and we can show you three times as many suits, overcoats and trousers than any store in this city. It will all be sold immediately at less than one third of its first cost in order to raise the money. Keep this price list, bring it with you and ask for any of these bargains, and remember there are others more besides.

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7.25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00. Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18 00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19.00.

Dawyer or Harriss' cassimere suits at $8 90 worth $18 00. Imported melton and covert cloth overcoats at $7.50 worth $16 75. Scotch cheviot sack suits at $4.50 worth $12.00. Boys' school suits at $1 60 worth $2 75. Childrens' suits, age 3 to 8 years, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1 50 worth double Working pants, 75c.



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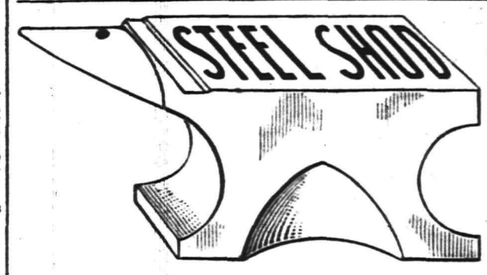

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FLOUR	Best Minnesota Patent Flour per Bbl.	$4.47
	24½ Lb. Bag	56c.
	Best Family Flour per Bbl. - -	$3 90
	24½ Lb. Bag	49c.
CRACKERS	Best Ginger Snaps	4c. lb.
	Best Nic Nacs	4c. lb.
	Cream Marshmallow Gems, regular price 15c. lb., special	10c. lb.
	Graham Wafers, regular 13c. lb., special	9c. lb.
	New Figs	10c lb.
SOAPS	Good Laundry Soap, 3 cakes -	5c.
	Babbitts Soap - - -	3c. cake.
	Satin Gloss Soap - -	3c. cake.
	Scheuer's German Soap -	3c. cake.
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Fair and Not So Cold Tonight, Sunday, Warmer with Increasing Cloudiness and Possibly Rain Sunday Night. Thermometer, 65.

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JAMES KELLEY'S DEAD BODY IN A BOX CAR.

Mysterious Death of a Plainfield Young Man.

CHAS. FROELICH ARRESTED.

HE HAD POSSESSION OF THE DEAD MAN'S REVOLVER.

Apprised Kelley's Family of the Finding of the Body and was Subsequently Taken Into Custody to Await Developments—Kelley Left Home Wednesday Morning With $60 in His Pockets.

Apparently the victim of a murderous shot, the lifeless body of James J. Kelley, of this city, was found lying face downward in an empty freight car at the Waverley yards of the Pennsylvania railroad early yesterday morning. A further investigation showed that the wound in the head was caused by a fall while a quantity of poison was discovered in the stomach of the dead man. Until late last evening, the identity of the body remained undiscovered. Then James Kelly, of 602 East Third street, this city, arpeared at the morgue in company with Sergeant Kiely of the local police force and identified the body as Mr Kelley's son, James.

Young Kelley is eigtheen years old. Off and on for two years he has been in the employ of the street department of the city. He hard charge of a horse and cart, belonging to his father that was used in the street cleaning department. For the services of man, horse and cart, the city paid $2.50 a day.

Early Wednesday morning Kelley went to City Treasurer Arnold and drew the money coming to him. It amounted to about $60. Then he went home and his mother remembers distinctly the fact that he had the money with him. At 10 o'clock young Kelley left home and said he was going to Newark. He did not name any definite purpose for his trip, but his mother supposed that it was for pleasure. That was the last he was *seen alive in Plainfield.*

There is no clue as to his whereabouts until 4 o'clock that afternoon when Charles Froelich, of 374 Market street, Newark, met him at the corner of Broad and Market streets. Froelich says that he seemed intoxicated at the time. Froelich is a lad of seventeen years. He lives with his father. They formerly lived at 768 East Third street, this city. Six weeks ago they moved to Newark, where the elder Froelich started a machine shop. Froelich and Kelley were well acquainted in Plainfield.

Froelich left Kelley at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. What happened in the interval the police refuse to tell. It is known, however, that Froelich has not told of any important happenings then. The young men probably wandered about together.

Froelich's story of his own movements after that hour is rather vague. He says that when he went home he found the door locked and so went back to the rooms of a club that he frequents and spent the night there. The police declare that the regular habitues say that Froelich was not there.

The elder Kelley is sexton of St. Mary's cemetery. He is a faithful, steady worker, and is well known and highly respected by the community in which he lives. Young Kelley had an excellent record in the street department as a hard and reliable worker. Once last summer, however, he went to New York with a friend after having drawn about $60 of his wages, and returned after spending it all.

There was no uneasiness felt in the Kelley family for the son was supposed to be abundantly able to take care of himself. Mrs. Kelley says that her son never became intoxicated although he partook of a friendly glass once in a while. She is certain that he was not intoxicated when Froelich met him.

Yesterday afternoon Froelich came to Plainfield and went to the home of the Kelley's. There he turned over a revolver that he said he had taken from young Kelley for fear that he might do something desperate. He told the story of meeting with young Kelley and how the latter was drunk. He gave the impression that Kelley was inclined to be violent. He asked if they had heard anything of Kelley since and on receiving a negative reply, produced a newspaper with an account of the finding of the unknown body in the Waverly yards.

The description of the supposed murdered man answered to that of young Kelley and the father immediately prepared to investigate. He also notified the police of the facts.

When Froelich went to the North avenue station at 7 o'clock, he was met by Sergeant Kiely who placed him under arrest and locked him up as a witness in the case. He is still in the city jail awaiting developments in the case. While it is not believed that he was implicated in the death of his friend, the police believe that he can throw some light on the mystery.

Later last evening the elder Kelley and Sergeant Kiely took the train for Newark where they went to the morgue and identified the body as that of James J. Kelley. No money was found in the dead man's clothes. When Froelich was arrested, he was searched but no money or anything to throw light on the mystery was found about him.

This afternoon it was learned that last Tuesday morning Kelley and Fredelich met at Joseph Carbone's fruit store on North avenue. The former produced a letter which he had, from all appearances, received from a Newark girl. He read it and the two boys laughed at intervals. At this time Kelley told Carbone that he was going to Newark to buy a fruit stand. The next morning, Wednesday, Kelley stopped at Carbone's place about 8 o'clock and purchased a glass of milk. He then told the proprietor that he was going to Newark. He went down town and about 10 o'clock in the same morning Carbone saw Kelley running up North avenue toward the station to catch a trian. That was the last time Carbone saw Kelley.

Thursday morning Mr. Carbone went to the station to take the 7:27 train to New York. At the station he met Froelich. The latter asked him if he had seen Kelley. Carbone replied by telling Froelich that he had gone to Newark. The boy's reply was "Jim is foolish."

When Froelich saw Kelley's parents yesterday afternoon he told them that he had left their son at the corner of Broad and Grand streets at about 10 o'clock Wednesday night, but he declined to say what had transpired in the meantime except the incident of his securing control of the revolver.

The elder Kelley was seen by a Press reporter and the former said that he believed that his son had been murdered for his money. He thought the poison found in his body had been administered while taking a drink.

When the body was discovered by William Terry, a watchman of the railroad company, the right arm was bent at the elbow, and the left arm extended, the fingers of that hand being bent, as if the man had died in great pain. The left leg was slightly drawn up and the whole body was twisted toward the right.

The clothing consisted of a light brown mixed goods suit, evidently of custom make and good quality; patent leather shoes, and of size "6 F;" blue and white checked neglige shirt, four-in-hand purple necktie, with fine gold polka dots, ready made and having on it the tag "Woodull & Martin, Plainfield, N. J;" two new flannel undershirts, with double breasted shield fronts; cotton drawers and grey cotton socks. Near the body in the frieght car was found a black alpine hat of good quality, of size 7, but with no identifying mark. The body and everything on it indicated a person who took care of himself.

In the pockets of the clothing were found a cigar, part of a package of cigarettes, a button, a clean white silk handkerchief and a white linen handkerchief, neither of which bears any mark. In fact, there was nothing on the body which could lead to its identification, except, possibly, the necktie.

When Terry, the watchman, saw the body in the car by the light from his lantern he thought it was a man asleep—a not uncommon occurrence. Failing to arouse him Terry climbed into the car and caught hold of him. As he did so he saw blood on the floor and what was apparently a bullet wound in the back of the man's head. The man was dead. Terry promptly notified the Newark police authorities, declaring the case to be another murder. The body was taken to Newark and the police went to work on the case, having in mind the recent murder of Frank Woods, a young Baltimore lad, near the same place by tramps; the later shooting of Thomas Ponder, a Jersey City colored lad, and the even more reeent killing of one man and dangerous wounding of another near Trenton by tramps.

Superficial examinations of the head of Kelly by police officials, newspaper men and the attaches of the morgue left no doubt that the wound almost in the middle of the back of the head had been caused by a bullet. In the hat found near the body was a hole, evidently made by a bullet, and corresponding to the location of the wound in the head.

When County Physician Washington began an autopsy yesterday afternoon he discovered almost instantly that the wound in the back of the

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THE THIRD GOES SOUTH.

VOLUNTEERS ON THEIR WAY TO GARRISON DUTY IN CUBA.

Left Pompton Plains Yesterday to go to Athens, Ga., From Where They Will go to the Scenes of the Late Conflict.

The Third New Jersey Volunteer regiment started from Pompton Plains yesterday for Athens, Ga When the news reached the men last night that they were to go South there were many disappointed, for they thought that, as the regiment did not move Thursday, the time selected for the departure, it was the intention of the War Department to muster out the command.

Its last night near the powder works in Pompton was a very disagreeable one, for the rain came down in torrents and formed pools outside the lines.

The boys were up at daybreak, and at once began the work of taking down their tents and packing up their traps. These were loaded on the trains in waiting, and the section trains, with thirteen hundred men of the regiment started during the forenoon. The command went to Jersey City over the Greenwood Lake railroad, and in Jersey City the trains were switched to the Pennsylvania tracks and the run to Athens was over the Pennsylvania system. The men had fifteen days' rations with them. They expect to do garrison duty in Cuba.

In the Third Regiment are about twenty Plainfielders. The majority of them are young fellows, unmarried, who did not give up lucrative positions to enlist, and it is not considered as great a hardship for them to leave the country for garrison duty as it might be under different circumstances. There were none of them, however, that were anxious to go to Cuba, but as long as they were to be retained in the service they were glad to get away from the camp they have been quartered in since last summer.

A THANKSGIVING SOCIABLE.

Decorations Were Suitable to the Season of the Year.

Another of those unique sociables given at intervals at the Congregational church was held last night, and it was called a Thanksgiving sociable. The name was not so odd, but the decorations and the refreshments furnished were the interesting features.

The sociable was held in the Sunday-school room which was decorated in a real old-fashioned way. Pumpkins, peppers, apples, corn, and other autumn fruits and vegetables were placed about the room and bunches of autumn flowers stood on tables, making a homelike appearance. At first the only light was that given by Jack-o-lanterns hung from the ceiling. The gas was turned down very low until Rev. C. L Goodrich started to read a Thanksgiving story by Hezekiah Butterworth, entitled "The Courting Stick."

The refreshments consisted of pumpkin pies, crullers and coffee, which were served by the young men. The sociable was under the auspices of the Women' Association, the ladies being immediately concerned being Mrs. A C. LaBoyteaux and Mrs. E. Messersmith. The fruit and vegetables left, after the sociable was over, were distributed to the poor.

A BAD LOT.

Tramps Arrested at Fanwood Believed to to be Guilty of Other Crimes.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 12—It is believed that the three men arrested at Scotch Plains for hen-roost robbery, and who are now in jail here, are the same who robbed the railroad station at Hackensack Heights on Tuesday night, and who were compelled to abandon their booty. One of the three men engaged in that robbery was dressed in military uniform, as was one of the men arrested at Scotch Plains. This man gives his name as Joseph Cumming, of the Fourth New Jersey, and says his home is Hunting, Ind. His companions give their names as Joseph Bowers, of La Carne, Canada, and George Brooks, of Hartford, Conn. It is believed the trio have committed many robberies throughout the State. When arrested Cumming flourished a revolver, but was disarmed before he could use it.

Monday Afternoon Club Topics.

At the meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club next Monday the paper on current events will be presented by Miss Elizabeth R. Cock, and Miss Florence Tweedy will prepare and present a paper on "The Intellectual Movement of the Times," in connection with the subject now being considered "England From the Accession of Elizabeth to the Restoration."

—Now is the time to put on shoes with heavy soles. VanArsdale has the proper kinds for everybody.

TO REPORT NEEDS OF PORTO RICANS.

Dr. Carroll Has Sailed for Home With His Reports.

AN IMPORTANT MISSION.

TO ADVISE THE PRESIDENT AS TO NEEDS OF ISLAND.

He Has Investigated the Government of the Islands as Well as Its Various Conditions—He Carries Statements From Prominent Professional and Business Men of the Island—Will Report Soon.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of Westervelt avenue, who was commissioned by by President McKinley two months ago to go to Porto Rico to investigate internal affairs in that island for the information and benefit of the authorities at Washington, is expected to arrive home Monday, having completed his preliminary work. He is accompanied by Charles Buell, his secretary, also of North Plainfield.

In letters received from Dr. Carroll, he states that he is favorably impressed with what he has seen in the country's newly acquired territory, and that the people have been anxious and ready at all times to afford him every facility for securing important information. He says the Port Ricans are pleased with their change of sovereignity, and eagerly look forward to the time American institutions and customs are established in the island.

Besides his report, Dr. Carroll brings with him the statements of Senor Hunoz de Rivera, who was president of the Autonomist Council of Secretaries under the Spanish regime, as well as the statements of professional and business men, representing all classes and vocations of the inhabitants of the island, as to what should be done by the United States in the government of the island.

On his arrival in New York on the steamship Caracas, Dr. Carroll will come to Plainfield to see his family and then go to Washington to present his reports to the President.

APPEAL FOR HOSPITAL.

Finance Committee Asks for Contributions From the Public.

The finance committee of the hospital is compelled to appeal to the people of Plainfield and its vicinity for assistance in providing for the current expenses of the coming year.

The money received from the "Spielkartenfest" is now entirely exhausted and contributions are urgently needed.

Muhlenberg Hospital is justly entitled to hearty financial support from the people generally and the committee hopes that this appeal may meet with a prompt and generous response.

An annual payment of $200 will endow a bed; a payment of $100 will constitute a life member, and an annual payment of $10 a subscribing member.

Contributions may be sent to H. P. Reynolds Treasurer, No. 71 Washington avenue, North Plainfield, or to any member of the finance committee. Francis Wood, 313 Franklin place,
John H. Whiton, 821 Central avenue,
Charles Schipper, 705 West Seventh street,
Charles J. Fisk, 211 West Seventh street,
Edward H. Ladd, Jr., 303 Franklin place, Finance Committee.
Plainfield, Nov. 10th, 1898. 10 3t

Pretty Holiday Gifts.

This beautiful November weather is one of the first hints that the holiday season will soon be here. In addition to his regular line of fine furniture G. Q. Packer is showing many beautiful articles suggesting how pleasure and comfort can be combined in holiday gifts. As new goods will arrive every day it will be to your interest and profit to call often at this store where visitors as well as buyers are always welcome.

Inspected a Rahway Post.

Department Commander William C. Smith, of the G. A. R., together with a delegation from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of this city, went to Rahway last evening, and inspected the post at that place. The Commander will go to Somerville the evening of Thursday, November 17th.

Received $1,000 Insurance.

Mrs. Marshall, widow of E. E. Marshall, the wall paper man, who died suddenly at Niagara Falls this fall, has just received her check for $1,000 insurance from Columbia Lodge, A.O. U. W. The other $1,000 goes to Mr. Marshall's father in St. Louis.

—The 6 o'clock sales of Woodhull & Martin are wonderfully popular. Vast crowds throng their store until late at night. All classes of people are attracted by the Saturday night specials they offer. Another great sale is on tonight at 6 o'clock.

A REMARKABLE CHARGE

SPENCER CONWAY IS ACCUSED OF FAST DRIVING.

The Colored Deacon and Politician Was Not on His Ash Cart, But in a Hack on Election Night—Case Laid Over.

Even the Judge was surprised while a suppressed "oh" of astonishment burst out from all the court room. The policemen's clubs rattled as they heard the startling news. Patrolman Jerry Cash, who has been remarkably prominent in police court circles of late, made a charge against the veteran colored deacon and politician, Spencer Conway, for fast driving.

Immediately there flashed across the minds of the reporters a wierd picture of a wild ride by Spencer on the front of his ash cart. Jerry demolished such ideas by explaining that he was passing along Plainfield avenue election night when Spencer Conway went by him driving a hack, the horse to which was going at full gallop. Jerry thought that there was a possibility that Conway might have had too much to drink.

Lawyer Francis J. Blatz, of the law firm of Murphy & Blatz, appeared as counsel for the colored veteran and asked that the case be laid over until next Saturday for trial. Judge DeMeza listened and thought well of the proposition. The prisoner entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of fast and reckless driving.

NEW DENTAL PARLORS.

Dr. Charles W. Leonard Established in City Bank Building.

Dr. Charles W. Leonard, dentist, who has been associated with Dr. Sheffield, of New York, known as the father of bridge work, has located in this city, and Monday last opened a suite of offices on the corner of Park avenue and Front street, in the City National Bank building. Dr. Leonard does not represent any corporation or dental company, but has come here to stay, and conducts his business on his own responsibility.

Dr. Leonard is a graduate of the University of Maryland, where he won the first prize for crown work, and received honorable mention for filling, plate and bridge work. He has formerly made Bound Brook his home, but decided to come to Plainfield. His office hours are from 8 to 8, and ever since his opening he has had plenty of business.

All Dr. Leonard's work is guaranteed. His specialty is bridge work, but he is equally expert in all the branches of his profession. He aims to do the best work at the lowest possible price, and has fitted up a suite of cosy and comfortable offices with a workshop adjoining. Dr. Leonard deserves the support of the people, and anyone whose teeth needs attention will do well to consult him.

YELLED "RUBBER" AT A COP.

Policeman Weinzenried Wouldn't Stand for Such a Remark.

Watchung avenue was quiet last evening as Patrolman Weinzenried patrolled his beat. Suddenly the silence was rudely broken by the remark of "rubber." The speaker was a colored man named Robert Stevens. Weinzenried, who is one of the new men on the force, interpreted the ordinance on peace and good morals to mean that colored men should not yell "rubber" at policemen during the evening.

When Weinzenried told Stevens that he was breaking the city ordinance, the latter remarked that it was a free country and he could say what he pleased together with sundry other remarks of a similar character. Then Weinzenried placed Stevens under arrested and charged him with insulting an officer.

When arraigned this morning Stevens explained that he did not know that yelling "rubber" was insulting an officer, but if such was the case, then he was guilty. The Judge smiled and suspended sentence, but advised Stevens not to say it again.

O'KEEFE WAS FINED $3.

City Judge Decides That the Young Man Was Guilty.

James O'Keefe was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza this morning for trial on the charge of being drunk and disorderly at Liberty and West Third streets. In the evidence, it came out that his mother was merely trying to take him home and did not attack Patrolman Cash. O'Keefe was fined $3. William Newcorn appeared for him.

Sentence was suspended on the three colored people, Mrs. Clara White, William Green and William Raines, who were accused of having started the fracas by making insulting remarks about O'Keefe.

—Press want ads bring results.

—The members of the W. C. T. U. cleared about $100 on their bazaar which was held the first of the week.

NOW FOR CITY ELECTION.

REPUBLICANS NAME DATE FOR THEIR PRIMARIES.

Ward Primaries to be Held November 21st, and City Convention Two Days Later—Apportionment of Delegates

A meeting of the Republican city executive committee was held last night to wind up the affairs connected with the last campaign. All bill were paid, and plans made for the coming city election.

The committee fixed upon Monday, November 21st, as the date for holding the primaries when delegates will be elected to the city convention to be held the evening of the 23d in the old City National Bank building. The basis of representation for the different wards was fixed as follows: First ward, 5; second ward, 6; Third ward, 7; Fourth ward, 9

At the primaries three members of the city executive committee will be elected, one Councilman, a justice of peace and a constable from each ward.

HOOKED BY A COW.

A Washingtonville Boy Seriously Hurt This Morning.

George Smith, eleven years old, a son of a Washingtonville farmer, was seriously hurt this morning by being hooked by a vicious cow that he was leading to pasture. The boy started to take the cow to a field some distance from the barn at 8 o'clock, and nothing further was seen of him till after 11 o'clock, when Mrs. George Stewart, who is a neighbor of the Smiths, found the lad lying in the yard surrounding her house, with two big gashes in his body—one in the head and the other in the breast. His face was covered with blood and he was unconscious. Mrs. Stewart secured help and carried the injured boy into her house. Dr. Long, of this city, was called. When the boy regained consciousness he said that just as he was about to tie the cow the animal became unruly and hooked him twice. He started for home, but was unable to go any further than the spot where he was found. It is feared that besides the wounds, he has sustained internal injuries.

BURGLARS IN THE WEST END.

Broke Into Fred Endress' Meat Market and Got Hams, $2 and a Watch.

Burglars got into Fred Endress' meat market on Muhlenberg place last night and got away with five fine hams, a gold watch belonging to Miss Carty, the cashier, and about $2 in change from the cash drawer.

The thieves selected a bold plan to get into the shop. When Mr. Endress reached his shop this morning he found the glass in the front door of the shop broken and inside the shop lay a large stone as large as a man's head, which had been thrown through the door, breaking out enough glass to permit a man's body to pass easily through.

The change had been left in the drawer over night for the early morning business, and Miss Carty left her watch there over night. It is strange that no one heard the noise made by the breaking glass, but the matter has been reported to the police and they are making an investigation.

BACK FROM THEIR HONEYMOON.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Leach Given a Pleasant Time at Dunellen.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 12.—The return of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Leach from their wedding trip was marked last evening by a reception given at their home on West North avenue, to a few of their friends and relatives. The happy couple received their guests in a hospitable manner and in turn were showered with congratulations. During the evening Mr. Hoagland, of Bound Brook, entertained the guests with piano and mandolin selections which were enjoyed by all. A bountiful repast was served and the balance of the evening was passed in sociability. Among those present were Mrs. Cook, Miss Cook, William Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Cooke, Miss Mc. Ginnis, Miss Scott, of Plainfield; the Misses Starker, Wm. Carpenter, Benjamin Carpenter, of this place, and Mr. Hoagland, of Bound Brook.

Wouldn't Move On.

Thursday evening, Patrolman Cash told Patrick Lawler to move on. Lawler was standing at the corner of Liberty and West Third streets after the little excitement there was over. Lawler, Cash says, remarked that he "would be —— if he would," and so Cash made a complaint. When arraigned before the City Judge this morning, Lawler pleaded guilty and was fined $3.

—Meetings in connection with the week of prayer for young men will be held at the Y. M. C A. building Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 9:15.

CAPTURED GREY FOX AFTER LONG CHASE.

Frank E. Woodruff Shot Him Near Metuchen.

STARTED AT NEW MARKET.

FIRST FOX KILLED ABOUT HERE IN FIVE YEARS.

Hunters Report That Rabbits are Remarkably Numerous in This Section This Year—Many Cotton Tails Bagged Already—Yesterday Saw an Army of Gunners in the Fields—Quail Shot Also.

Sir Reynard has stolen his last chicken. He has had his last glimpse of the meadows of Piscatawaytown. He may have left relatives behind but the career of Sir Reynard, or "Brer Fox" is over. Yesterday Frank E. Woodruff of this city, shot and killed the first grey fox to be killed in this vicinity for over five years. It is considered a great event among the local sportsmen.

Early yesterday morning, Frank E. Woodruff, of East Second street, and James Stamfield, of Lee place, went out with their guns. They had Stamfield's hound and two others belonging to John Goff, of West Fourth street.

They expected to start some rabbits and quail. While they were tramping out beyond New Market, near the Port Reading Railroad, there was a sudden flash of something grey and the hounds started off in full cry. "Brer Fox" was a veteran and he led the hound a weary chase. It was 9 o'clock when he was first seen and the chase continued hour after hour.

Sir Reynard dashed through brier patches, waded through streams and doubled on his trail time after time, but the hounds stuck to it pluckily and followed despite the obstacles thrown in their way. The chase led off in the direction of Metuchen and the hunters followed, guided by the baying of the hounds.

At 1 o'clock they were just back of Metuchen, six miles from where they had started. Woodruff saw a neighboring brier patch through which he thought the chase would soon lead. He had just perched himself on a stump when along came "Brer Fox." There was a flash, a boom, and the hunted animal gave a convulsive spring and all was over.

The fox was a large one with beautiful silver grey fur and a long bushy tail. It was a very handsome specimen. The hunters were well satisfied with their capture and returned home. The fox was exhibited to their friends during the afternoon and excited much interest.

There were scores of hunters out yesterday morning and they found the game very plentiful. The rabbits are more numerous, it is said, than they have been for many years.

Former Judge W. A. Coddington and Nelson Giles went out yesterday morning at 7 and shot twelve "cottontails" after a two-hours' tramp. Another party captured eleven and three quail in the same length of time. Others of the hunters report having fine sport.

This morning there was a fresh detachment of sportsmen out after rabbits and quail, and several parties went over to the Passaic valley, where the rabbits are reported to be remarkably numerous.

A party composed of Eli Odam, Wm. Klein, John Porter, John, William and Jack Mowry, of this city, started last Thursday morning on a hunting trip in the vicinity of Flemington. Last night they returned with seventy "cotton-tails" and three quail.

WITNESSING THE GREAT GAME.

Plainfielders Attending the Yale-Princeton Football Contest.

Plainfield will be well represented at the Yale Princeton football game at Princeton this afternoon. Among its citizens Plainfield numbers many of the alumni of both universities who only stay away from these annual contests for the strongest reasons. Then there is a host of younger enthusiasts who have already left for the scene of battle. The enthusiasts number many of the fair sex.

Many went into New York to take the special trains from there and thus be sure of a seat. Others caught the specials on the Pennsylvania railroad at Elizabeth and New Brunswick according to the schedule printed in yesterday's Daily Press.

The reports from both elevens promise a lively contest while the weather is eminenty satisfactory for such a contest.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K. Samuelian at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11-11-2

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COPPER RIVER GOLD FIELDS.

Return of Government Surveyors.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 12.—The steam schooner Excelsior has arrived here from Copper river, Alaska, with about two hundred passengers, among whom were Captain W. R. Abercrombie, of the United States army, and his party of government surveyors, including F. C. Schader, geologist; Emil Marlow, topographer, and nine enlisted men.

The Abercrombie party claims to have cut a trail from the Vlades to Copper river, which does away with the dangerous trip over the glacier and shortens the distance sixty miles. Captain Abercrombie says:

"Of the three thousand persons who went into the Copper river country, from nine hundred to eleven hundred will winter there. Those who came back either lost their outfits or were grub staked, tenderfeet, who simply sat around camp and searched but little, if any, for gold.

"There are three placer mine camps in the interior at Lake Seslota, the Tonsina and Consina rivers. Coarse placer gold has been found at all of them. Bed rock has not been reached yet on account of the water.

"W. S. Amy of San Francisco has discovered a big vein of bituminous coal west of Teslin lake."

Accompanying Captain Abercrombie is the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey party, consisting of H. P. Ritter, E. B. Latham, H. C. Denson and several others who have been at work all summer in Copper river delta procuring complete maps and data. The delta is about thirty miles wide at its widest part.

FATE OF THE MARIA TERESA.

Stores Seized by Wreckers. How She Lies on Cat Island.

Nassau, New Providence, Nov. 12.—Wreckers who have arrived here have brought with them stores from the stranded vessel off Cat island, which establishes beyond a doubt that she is the Infanta Maria Teresa.

As the vessel is looked upon as being a derelict, the wreckers claim the right to seize the stores which can be saved. They report that the water is up to her between decks, that she has a list to starboard, which side is damaged, and that she is dismasted.

The vessel lies between two reefs, on a smooth bottom, and has her anchor out.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 12.—The Merritt Wrecking Company has decided to send its tug the I. J. Merritt to Cat island to work on the wreck there. If the vessel is the Teresa, the Merritts no doubt will attempt to fulfill their contract with the government by delivering the vessel at Norfolk.

If the Vulcan met with no accident she should now be at the scene of the wreck.

Train Robbers Caught.

Moorehead, Minn., Nov. 12.—Six of the men engaged in the hold up of the Great Northern coast train near Fergus Falls were captured here yesterday by Chief of Police Murphy.

Four of the men arrived at the Exchange Hotel here together and two others came about an hour later and inquired for the first four. Each had two large revolvers.

Two sets of burglars tools and two dark lanterns, three sticks of dynamite and four dynamite caps were found on them. Each man had three handkerchiefs.

The six men had about $200. They gave their names as W. C. Rose, J. C. Hall, C. F. Huffman, H. L. Minot, E. Morris and J. B. Edwards.

None is more than thirty years old, and all are bright and intelligent in appearance. Three claim to come from Missouri.

There seems to be no doubt that they are the men implicated and they had agreed to rendezvous at Moorehead. A number of other robberies, including that of an elevator at Evansville and a bank at Battle lake are now credited to this gang.

New Element in the Art of War.

Major J. M. J. Sanno, Inspector-General of the Department of the Dakotas and the Lakes, has given the subject of modern implements of war careful consideration. "The war has shown one thing," said he, "and that is that future warfare will be dependent upon the ear and not upon the eye. The use of smokeless powder has placed a new element in the art of war. Heretofore the smoke of the enemy's guns has been depended upon to give the location of their forces, but now that is left entirely to the ear. This has been most plainly demonstrated. But the training of the ear can be accomplished to a very delicate point. Just as a musician's ear is trained to distinguish the slightest changes in tone, so will that of the future soldier be trained to accurately detect just how far and from what direction the enemy is firing. It will necessitate the introduction of new methods of drilling and training, but it is capable of very high development."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

NORTH CAROLINA RIOTS

Eight Negroes Killed and Many Wounded.

ARMED WHITES ON GUARD

Seven Negroes in Wilmington N. C. Banished from the State. Responsibility for Riots is Placed Upon the a Negro Lawyer.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 12.—Two more negroes have been added to the death roll of the race war now being waged in this city.

Both negroes were shot while attempting to pass the guard established throughout the city by the armed whites.

Late Thursday night a large body of whites went to the home of a white Republican justice of the peace who has a negro wife, broke in the door, forcibly ejected him from the house and destroyed every article of furniture.

At present quiet prevails throughout the city, but this does not alleviate the strain upon the nerves or lessen the fearful suspense.

Every street in the city is patrolled by armed white men, the jail is heavily guarded to prevent the negro leaders incarcerated there from being lynched, and the tramp of soldiers and the glitter of bayonets are to be seen and heard everywhere.

The seven negroes who were placed in the jail here were yesterday escorted to the Atlantic Coast Line depot and warned never to tread on North Carolina soil again. If they did, they were told that they would forfeit their lives.

The seven negroes banished from the state stayed in jail all night, expecting every minute to be lynched.

On their march to the depot their escort was composed of a division of the Naval Reserves from Kingston and a militia company from Maxton.

The companies formed in the front and rear of the negroes and marched through the principal business streets of the city on the way to the railroad station.

Along the entire route large crowds gathered and cheered.

The negroes crouched close to the soldiers for protection. At the depot they were ordered to purchase tickets for points outside the state. All bought tickets to Richmond Va., and seemed heartily glad when the train steamed out.

Responsibility for the riot and bloodshed in this city is placed by the whites upon the shoulders of a negro lawyer.

The leading negroes of the city appointed this man to carry in person a letter to the whites acquiescing in their demand for the removal of the negro newspaper, the Record, from the city, and the exile of its editor, Manly. The lawyer, for some reason unknown, failed to report to the whites. Consequently the whites, thinking they were being treated with contempt, burned the Record building.

This negro lawyer has been captured, and made to leave the city, never to return under penalty of death.

The scene of the disorder is now quiet. Save for the large number of soldiers on guard duty the place is deserted. The negroes are keeping close to their houses.

Several of the negroes who were wounded Thursday, died yesterday morning.

All barrooms in the city have been closed, and anyone caught selling or giving away liquor will be severely punished.

The city is full of state troops, who are looked after and cared for by the people of Wilmington.

Mayor S. P. Wright, Chief of Police J. C. Melton and the board of aldermen, composing a fusion-negro regime, have resigned, and their successors have been elected.

Ex-Congressman A. M. Waddell as mayor, Edgar G. Parmalee, chief of police, and a new board of aldermen have assumed the reins of the government.

At midnight the new mayor issued a proclamation declaring that law would be rigidly enforced against the whites and blacks impartially. The mayor prevented one lynching Thursday night by scattering a crowd with an armed guard of twenty-five men.

In the rioting three white men have been wounded and eight negroes killed. About twenty other negroes were wounded. The injured are William Mayo, George Piner, and a Mr. Chadwick.

The negro who shot Mayo was found in a house in the negro quarter. He was taken out and told to run for his life.

He ran, but had gone only a few yards when he fell dead, his body riddled with bullets. He had been discovered by a company of naval reserves which was patrolling the streets. As the reserves approached the house a shot was fired at them from within. They replied with a volley through the doors and windows. One negro was killed. Six others were captured and taken to the jail. The house was then demolished.

News from Honolulu.

Honolulu, Nov. 2, via San Francisco, Nov. 12.—President Dole is of the opinion that it will be necessary for him to make a trip to Washington, possibly in January of next year.

This will be after the Hawaiian commission has been received by the president, and it is at the request of Senator Cullom that President Dole, as a member, will be in attendance at Washington during part of the time at least that legislation is before the Senate or House or both in connection with Hawaii.

Civil Service Reforms.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 12.—Eighty-two leading citizens of Norwich, in this state, belonging to both political parties, have signed a petition to President McKinley against the reported early withdrawal of offices in the national civil service from the classified list.

Andreas Petterson Dead.

London, Nov. 12.—The celebrated violinist, Andreas Pettersson, is dead at Kiel.

SPANIARDS MAY APPEAL

Kaiser William May Be Asked to Arbitrate in Philippine Matter.

OUR TERMS NOT CHANGED

There in Open Talk of Breaking Off Negotiations by Madrid Newspaper. Camaras Fleet to Welcome the Emperor of Germany. Meeting of the Commission to Go Over till Monday.

Madrid, Nov. 12.—Admiral Camara's squadron has been ordered to Cadiz at full speed in view of the approaching visit of Emperor William of Germany to that port.

The Herald asserts that the Spanish government has resolved to "maintain Spain's sovereignty in the Philippine islands," and it adds that it has been suggested that Emperor William of Germany, who is expected to visit Cadiz and Madrid shortly, on his way back to Germany from the Holy Land, be asked to arbitrate the question in dispute between Spain and the United States, in the event of the peace commissions of the respective countries, now in session at Paris, failing to come to an agreement upon the terms of the proposed treaty of peace.

The queen regent presided at the cabinet meeting held yesterday. Premier Sagasta read a letter from Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission, announcing that the American peace commissioners had refused to recognize the Cuban debt and had exacted the Philippine islands.

The Spanish steamer Miguel Gallari, which left Nuevitas, Cuba, about October 24, has arrived at Barcelona with repatriated Spanish troops on board. During the voyage across the Atlantic twenty-three men died and on arriving here one hundred men were seriously ill, suffering from exhaustion and lack of food.

Meeting May Again be Postponed.

Paris, Nov. 12.—It is now generally understood that the joint sessions of the peace commissions which was arranged for Saturday will be postponed until Monday.

At the joint session of Wednesday last it was agreed that the session fixed for Saturday might be postponed until Monday if the Spanish commissioners found themselves unable to prepare a reply for presentation on Saturday, and it now appears the Spaniards found it necessary to send to Madrid for certain records which cannot reach Paris before ten o'clock this morning, and therefore their proper embodiment into the next Spanish memorandum cannot be accomplished before Monday.

The next communication from the Spanish commissioners will deal with the rights of either commission to discuss Spanish sovereignty over the Philippine islands, and with the American contention that the retention of public moneys and customs collections at Manila is justified by the fact of the military occupation of the place by the American forces and warranted by the protocol, even if faulty, as claimed by Spain, because such action commenced after the suspension of hostilities.

There is no truth in the statement printed here this morning that the Spaniards have decided to refuse entirely at the next session to discuss the cession of the Philippine islands.

On the contrary, they expect to fortify their position then on this point by introducing the record of certain verbal utterances of President McKinley and Judge Day about the time the protocol was framed and signed, tending, the Spaniards, believe, to indicate absence of purpose upon the part of the United States to take the Philippine islands, in the absence of which, it is further contended, Spain consented to sign the protocol.

Judge Day, president of the American commission, is suffering from a cold. Therefore, by his physician's advice, he has been remaining quiet.

The judge's indisposition is in the nature of an attack of the grip, from which all the commissioners have suffered more or less, but he expects to be able to attend to business to-day.

Only One Million for Spain.

Washington, Nov. 2 The administration is not to make any change in the terms of peace it has offered to Spain which will prove agreeable to the Madrid government.

Instead of paying Spain $40,000,00 as an indemnity for the cession of the Philippine islands to the United States President McKinley intends to reimburse her only for the debt of about $1,000,000 contracted for public improvements.

President McKinley and his cabinet have carefully noted that the sentiment expressed throughout the country by the elections has been in opposition to the suggestion to indemnify Spain to the extent first proposed.

As was put out by the administration authorities, it was intended to give the capital of the entire debt floated, with the Philippine islands as security and amounting to $40 000,000. What will be paid by the United States, according to the present intention of the president, is the debt contracted by Spain for the establishment of lighthouses, harbor improvements and public buildings. All told, this does not amount to a very large sum, being fixed at about one million doars.

Relics of Cervera's Fleet.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 12.—The German steamer Sentor, from Santiago, which has been in quarantine, was released yesterday and will go to Washington. She has aboard guns from the Teresa, Oquendo and Vizcaya, and the Colon's safe, in which was money and the ship's muster roll, which relics will be exhibited in the National Museum at Washington.

The Leonidas is already at Washington discharging a similar cargo.

Sleighing in Malone.

Malone, N Y., Nov. 12.—The heavy snow storm which set in from the northeast on Thursday morning, continued unabated yesterday.

About eight inches of snow have fallen and good sleighing prevails.

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REPORT OF GENERAL MILES.

His Contribution to the Story of the Conduct of the War.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 12.—The report of General Miles, covering his connection with the war between the United States and Spain, has been made public, and with it the dispatches bearing thereupon.

Among the more important points covered are his protest against sending troops to Cuba while they were untrained and in danger of falling victims to yellow fever; his request at Tampa to accompany the army to Cuba, and the reply from Washington ordering him to Porto Rico, followed by his sudden summons to Washington; General Shafter's dispatch, in which that general said that he was "seriously considering withdrawing about five miles from in front of Santiago;" another dispatch from General Shafter, dated July 4, in which he intimated that he could not take Santiago until Rear Admiral Sampson would enter the "upper bay;" the decision by the administration to send General Miles immediately to Santiago with reinforcements; General Miles's preparation to "land sufficient forces on the west side of the harbor of Santiago to either open the entrance to our fleet or enfilade the enemy's line and take their position in reverse," and the consequent hastening of Toral on account of this flank move to surrender Santiago.

The report also mentions the clash between General Miles and General Shafter, in which Shafter says:

"I was told by the secretary that you were not to supersede me in command here," and the reply of General Miles, reminding Shafter that "the order of the secretary of war of July 13 left the matter to my discretion."

The report insists that General Miles was sent by the president to the rescue of General Shafter, and that he was recognized as having been in command by the secretary of war in his dispatch of July 13 giving General Miles full discretion.

The decision of General Shafter to withdraw five miles was expurgated from the dispatch given out at the war department at the time, as well as the word "regular," used in congratulating the troops in order that the volunteers might seemingly be included.

The report also gives a military outline of the campaign in Porto Rico, and closes the report about the war by saying:

"It is gratifying to record that during the war not a single defeat has been met, and not a prisoner, color, gun or rifle has been captured by the enemy. In this respect the war has been most remarkable, and perhaps unparalleled. Under all circumstances, and in spite of many most trying difficulties, the troops have maintained the fortitude of the American character and the honor of their arms."

VICTIMS OF YELLOW FEVER.

Deaths of Chief Quatermaster Williams and His Clerk at Havana.

Havana, Nov. 12.—Major Charles W. Williams, the chief quartermaster, who had been suffering from fever for some time, died at nine o'clock yesterday morning.

F. T. Stewart, the clerk attached to the quartermaster's department, who had also been prostrated with fever for several days, died at six o'clock yesterday morning.

The condition of J. B. Caldwell, the third of the American party who has been suffering from fever, is unchanged.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Adjutant General Corbin has received a message from General Wade, chairman of the Cuban evacuation commission at Havana, announcing the death from yellow fever of Lieutenant Colonel Chas. W. Williams, deputy quartermaster general.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles W. Williams, deputy quartermaster general, was a native of Kentucky, and was graduated from West Point as a second lieutenant of the Eighteenth infantry on June 16, 1875.

He was transferred to the quartermaster's department July 2, 1879, as captain, became a major March 4, 1893, and a lieutenant colonel last February.

He was the youngest officer in his grade, being only about forty-five years old, and would in all probability have become quartermaster general.

In Havana he ranked as full colonel. His family lives in Washington, his widow being a daughter of General John B Gordon of Georgia.

Enraged by a False Prophet.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 12.—To escape violence at the hands of his own race, whom he had worked up to a high pitch of religious excitement, over his prediction that an earthquake would visit Norfolk yesterday, Albert Booker, a negro prophet, yesterday had to leave town.

Booker said that the earthquake would do great damage.

Revival meetings were held in the colored churches, negroes left positions and some of them went away from the city.

Yesterday at a meeting Booker told his race that he had had a vision which told him the earthquake had been postponed.

The negroes would have wreaked summary vengeance had not the police interfered and Booker was hurried out of the city.

Express Trains in Collision.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Nov. 12.—The Buffalo express on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which left New York at 8.30 last night, ran into the New York and Philadelphia express going east on the Wilkesbarre mountain, at three o'clock yesterday morning. No passengers were seriously injured, but five trainmen were killed.

An investigation showed that a very heavy wind storm prevailed on the mountain, which caused the leaves from the forest to accumulate on the track.

The engines ploughed into these leaves, which clogged the braking apparatus.

Pardoned by Gov. Black.

Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 12.—William D. Davis, a Lockport alderman, serving a sentence of two years and four months in the Auburn prison for bribery, was discharged yesterday on an absolute pardon from Governor Black. He was received here on June 16, 1897.

HOME FROM PORTO RICO

Rear-Admiral Schley Comes Back to Report.

COMMISSION'S WORK DONE

Member of the Evacuation Commission Aboard. He Predicts a Great Future for Porto Rico. People Are Law-abiding and Pleased With American Control.

New York, Nov. 12.—The United States cruiser Newark, in command of Commander Goodrich, and flying the flag of Rear Admiral Schley, arrived yesterday from San Juan, Porto Rico, and anchored off Tompkinsville, S. I. She was greeted on her arrival by a salute from the battleship Texas, in honor of the Rear Admiral aboard.

The Newark sailed from San Juan on Sunday, November 6.

On board with Rear Admiral Schley were his staff, composed of Flag Lieutenant James H. Sears, Flag Secretary B. W. Wells, Jr., and Ensign E. McCauley, aide, and Hon. Charles W. Russell of the department of justice, legal adviser to the Porto Rican evacuation commission, who also accompanied the rear admiral when he went to Porto Rico.

The rear admiral had with him the report of the commission, consisting of three bulky parcels, with the documentary evidence, and estimated to contain at least sixty thousand words, which he took with him to Washington last evening.

He looked well, and said he felt well though tired and in need of rest; the tact that had to be exercised in the discharge of the work of the commission had been a great strain, and he wanted to get away off in the country on a farm, where he could be away from all care for a time.

He said that the meetings of the commission with the Spaniards had been very harmonious; the instructions that the American commissioners could not deviate from were gracefully submitted to by them, and before the meetings ceased the Spaniards had a very much higher respect for Americans.

The report contains a full statement of the finances, the revenues, and expenditures, the debts, the government and other conditions of Porto Rico and its inhabitants.

Rear Admiral Schley finishes up the work of the commission in conveying the report to the president.

Of the other two members, Major General John R. Brooke remains as military governor of Porto Rico, and Brigadier General W. W. Gordon returned home some two weeks ago.

As Rear Admiral Schley was commandant at Porto Rico, he did not leave before the arrival of Commander Snow, who reached San Juan by the hospital steamer Solace, from New York on Saturday, with several officers stores and marines to establish a barracks, and took immediate command of the station.

The rear admiral said that Porto Rico had a great future and advantages equal with Cuba.

The people, he continued, are agreeable, docile and amenable to law, and are just now carried away with admiration for the United States.

Flag Secretary B. W. Wells, Jr., said that the Spaniards had almost all left the island, being mostly in the military and civil service. The small number left, he said, were those compelled to stay by their interests.

The heat was great when the Newark left San Juan last Sunday, but the nights were cool.

He said that the soldiers are now getting acclimated, so that the number of sick in the hospitals is growing rapidly less.

The men are gradually being housed and will soon no longer have to live in tents and sleep on the ground.

There arrived also, from the West Indies yesterday the transport Berlin, Captain Wilson, which sailed from Santiago on November 6. She reached quarantine at 8 o'clock, and after being inspected by the health officer, proceeded to an anchorage off Bedloe's island.

The Berlin brought 137 passengers, consisting of discharged and convalescent soldiers, government employes and six contract female nurses.

Among these passengers were Captain Justo Garcia, son of General Calixto Garcia; Major Melendez of the Cuban army, and Senor Carulla, Cuban diplomat on a mission to the United States.

The Berlin is in charge of Captain Thomas Swohe, quartermaster. All on board the transport are well or convalescent. The convalescents improved steadily during the voyage to this port.

Four Men Killed.

Hanover, Mass., Nov. 12.—Fire in the general store of C. A. Stearns was discovered at 5.30 o'clock yesterday morning, and soon afterwards a terrific explosion took place, which blew out the sides of the building and killed four men.

The dead are Michael Robert Sylvester, Edgar Adams, C. A. Peterson and C. T. Tolman.

More than twelve persons were injured, principal among them being C. A. Stearns, the proprietor of the store, who had one arm and one leg broken, his shoulder crushed and was considerably bruised about the body.

The Virden Mine Trouble.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12.—A dispatch to the Post-Dispatch from Virden, Illinois, says that indications point to a settlement between the striking miners and the Virden Coal Company.

Edward Cahill, president of the Miners' Union, has left for Chicago, in response to a telegram from T. C. Loucks president of the coal company.

Consul at Erzerum Reorganized.

Constantinople, Nov. 12.—After efforts lasting three years upon the part of the United States legation here, the United States minister, Oscar S. Straus, has succeeded in obtaining an irade authorizing the granting of an exequatur to the United States consul at Erzerum.

Norway and Sweden.

Christiania, Nov. 12.—The storthing has adopted a resolution to introduce a purely Norwegian flag, without the emblem of the union with Sweden.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

The Record for November Thus far Shows Clearings Larger Than Last Year.

New York, Nov. 12.—The country has safely passed the trial of "off year" elections, which for forty years have always shown a tendency to a change of policy, but this year has entrenched sound money behind a majority impregnable for at least four years in the Senate, and has retained a working majority for sound money in the House.

Other business conditions are not less favorable, and with labor questions causing no general trouble, with no anxiety about money, and with heavy crops met by large foreign demand, there is every reason now to look for improvement.

No doubt the result of elections will also facilitate the settlement of pending questions with Spain.

Before this election everything except political uncertainties favored business enlargement. The volume of trade has been the greatest ever known in October, and the greatest ever known in any month except December, 1892. The record on November thus far shows clearings 10.4 per cent. larger than last year, and 9.3 per cent. larger than in 1892. The railroad earnings in October have been 5.2 per cent. larger than last year, and 8.0 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Foreign trade shows an increase of 20 per cent. in October exports, with 38 per cent. in exports from New York last week, while imports showed a gain of only 22 per cent. in October, and credits against foreign bankers were piling up at an inconvenient rate.

Wheat declined nearly a cent, but recovered all the los , with Atlantic exports, flour included, of 3,338,509 bushels, against 3,274,489 last year, and Pacific exports 1,016,961 against 1,592,353 last year.

Western receipts, 9,924,045 bushels for the week, against 7,255,514 last year, continue to render the holding back of stocks manifestly a failure.

Corn has but slightly changed in the price, with exports of 2,062,331 bushels, against 2,474,641 last year, and an increase of more than a half in western receipts. Cotton remains at the lowest price on record, with heavy receipts and without large milling demand.

Iron production, November 1st, was 228,935 tons weekly, against 215,635 October 1st, and a decrease is seen of 35,241 tons in stocks unsold outside the holdings of the great steel companies, *indicating an actual consumption of 1,019,646 tons in October*, about 283 tons daily greater than the largest ever shown in any previous month on record.

Wool sales for the past week were only 7,437,500 pounds, at the three chief eastern markets, and were secured by concessions at all markets, as last week, making 18,234,900 pounds.

Cotton goods are, on the whole, in better demand, although denims are slightly lower, and little can be said of an encouraging character as to the demand for staple goods of domestic use.

There is much stubbornness in the leather market, without much change in prices, although a weaker feeling appears in some qualities.

The money market has been practically unchanged, although for best paper slightly lower rates have been made, and there is a heavy demand on stock collateral.

Failures for the first week of November were $1,646,535 in amount against $3,009,637 last year.

The Race Troubles at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 12.—The cabinet meeting yesterday lasted more than two hours. While a large amount of routine business was transacted, considerable attention was devoted to the race troubles in the Carolinas.

The president expressed deep concern over the situation, but it was decided that the developments up to this time did not warrant federal interference.

The conditions in these two states, however, will be kept under close surveillance with a view to action should it be deemed necessary.

The president will confer with Attorney General Griggs concerning the situation in the Carolinas upon the latter's return to this city.

The Tin-plate Consolidation.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 12.—A conference of the leading tin plate manufacturers has been held here to complete the consolidation of all the tin plate factories of the country.

It is said by one of the principal promoters that the purchase price of the tin plate factories of the country has been agreed upon, and a deal for all the plants has virtually been closed at figures approximating $15,000,000.

This deal will include about 40 factories, thirty of which are located in Pittsburg and Wheeling districts.

These plants are to be purchased outright, and all are expected to be ready for the organization before the first of January.

English Opposition Withdrawn.

London, Nov. 12.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says that the British minister at Pekin, Sir Claude M. Macdonald, on learning from the American minister there that a concession to build the Hankow-Canton Railroad had been granted to an American syndicate, refused to support the application of the Anglo Eastern syndicate for the contract.

It appears that although the American concession was signed by the Chinese minister at Washington in April, the China department of the foreign office advised the Anglo Eastern syndicate to apply for it, which was done on October 10.

Adirondack Deer-hunting.

Malone, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Reports from various hunting centers in the Adirondacks show a falling off in the number of deer killed up to this date as compared with last year, although Game Protector Alfred, in the district along the line of the New York and Ottawa Railroad, says that one hundred and ten have been killed in his territory a number fully as large as that of last year.

In 187 snow fell earlier, a condition most favorable to still hunting.

The snow storm now prevail comes too near the close of the season to be of much benefit in tracking the animals.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 13—William Hauptman, of the Twenty-second Regiment, New York Volunteers, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.

The City Election.

While other sections of New Jersey are settling down to the even tenor of their way, leaving politics to those to whom it is of unusual interest, Plainfield is not thus confronted. On the contrary the city is about to undergo a political campaign that will stir up local interest to the fever-heat point. This condition will come about in the canvass leading up to municipal election December 6th, Plainfield being the only municipality in the State that has its local election follow immediately after the county and State election.

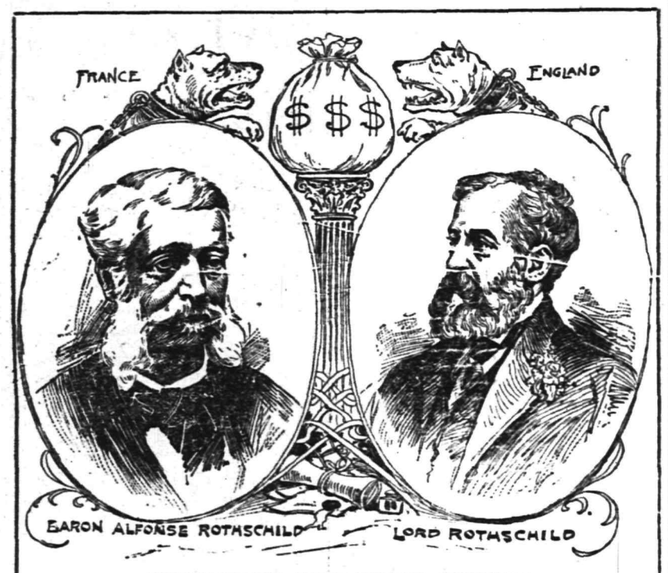
This year great interest is centered in the outcome. Formidable opposition is certain to appear against the regular Republican ticket, but whether it will be in the form of a straight Democratic ticket or Citizens' ticket remains to be seen. It is very likely to be the former, however. For years the Democrats have been in a disorganized state in this city, but recently a plan of reorganization was inaugurated and is being carried out successfully. Though there are some Democrats who feel that a Citizens' ticket will be the surest way of accomplishing Republican defeat in the city, there are many others that look at it in the light that the Democratic party has been a nonentity long enough and should put a straight party ticket in the field.

They urge that the Republican record in city affairs is such that there is every chance of victory for the opposition party, and if the Republicans are defeated at all it can be done as well under a party movement as under a Citizens'. At any rate, it is felt by many Democrats that even if defeat was met with again in the city election it certainly would show the Democrats to be alive and in this way the party organization would be strengthened and in future campaigns the Democrats would become more of a factor than heretofore in local affairs.

The officers to be elected are a Mayor, City Collector, City Judge, four Councilman and a member of the Board of Education.

In the consecration of the Church of the Redeemer at Jerusalem the Emperor William occupied the center of the stage and acted as grand master of the Teutonic Knights. This mediæval order of religious chivalry, unlike the Templars and Hospitalers, with whom it was contemporary, still retains some kind of skeleton and futile organization, and the kaiser took advantage of its historical memories to pose as successor of the old crusading chiefs. At the conclusion of the consecration service the new royal crusader read an allocution which contained this fervent apostrophe: "From Jerusalem there came the light in the splendor of which the German nation became great and glorious. What the Germanic peoples have become they became under the banner of the cross, the emblem of self sacrificing Christian charity. As nearly 2,000 years ago, so there shall today ring out from Jerusalem the cry voicing the ardent hope of all for 'peace on earth.'" It was not every crusader who went to the Holy City out of sheer religious enthusiasm. There were Bohemonds and Baldwins as well as Godfreys and Tancreds. Curiosity will wait with just a flavor of cynical interest to know what lies behind all this pretentious drama.

The New York Tribune advises the Republican leaders, if they want to have their party organization in good shape for the Presidential campaign, that it would be a good idea to have their State headquarters kept open the year around, for there are several counties where the Republican organization is in wretched shape and the work of getting them into effective order cannot be done in the heat and excitement of a political campaign such as has just ended What the Tribune advises for the Republicans is equally good admonition for the Democrats. In Union county the Republicans have got a fine working organization, but not so with the Democrats



THEY HOLD THE PURSE STRINGS.

It has become a settled practice in most European countries to consider the opinions of the Rothschilds before taking any important step likely to cause international complications. Two brothers of this financially powerful family, Baron Rothschild, of France, and Lord Rothschild, of England, have had more than is given out to do with delaying if not preventing war between England and France.

Now that Foster M. Voorhees is elected it becomes the duty of the newspapers to fill the offices at his disposal. For the present The Chronicle will be satisfied with one, and nominates Charles C. McBride, editor of the Elizabeth Daily Journal, as the Governor's private secretary. Mr. McBride is a Bound Brook boy, worked hard for Republican success, and deserves this place.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

We second the nomination. The affable, handsome and brilliant McBride is the man for the position. And he deserves well at the hands of Voorhees, too.

By going to Cuba for garrison duty the Plainfield boys in the Third Regiment are just as big patriots as the men who were in the front rank of assault on San Juan Hill. And they deserve just as much credit, for it's no pleasant job now to go to Cuba with nothing but dull and routine camp duty staring them in the face for the year and a half that they have yet to serve.

A writer who has an eye for details says that some front yards are so correct that they drive a man to set on his back doorstep and admire weeds.

If Spain gets balky in her peace negotiations it won't take Uncle Sam long to whip her into line again.

The best means for retaliating on a man who tries to make you feel mean is to have good humor.

The exact plurality of Congressman Howell in the Third district is 841.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

Some newspapers have stated that after March 4th, for the first time in the history of the State, there will be two Republicans representing New Jersey in the United States Senate. This is incorrect, as from November, 1866, to March, 1869, the Senators from New Jersey were Frederick T Frelinghuysen and Alexander G. Cattell, both Republicans.—Newark News.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

As a result of trolley extension a woman residing in Bound Brook came to Plainfield a few days ago and purchased in the neighborhood of about $25 worth of goods in one of Plainfield's leading stores. This money did not go to New York and it only cost the woman 20 cents to make the round trip. This is one of many such incidents that have come along with trolley extension.

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What is claimed to be the heaviest hog ever raised in the State of New Jersey, and perhaps in the United States, is owned by Robert Black, of Cream Ridge, Monmouth county. The hog, which is of the Jersey red variety, is three years old. On March 1st last the animal weighed 960 pounds, which had increased to 1,240 pounds on August 1st, with the further growth to 1,520 pounds on November 1st. The rate of increase at present is three pounds per day and the owner expects a live weight of 1,700 when the animal is killed in December. He believes that he has the heaviest hog ever grown in the United States.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K Samuelian at the Y M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11-11-2

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

Henry Chanfrau, in "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," a play dear to the hearts of all American playgoers, will be the attraction offered to the patrons of Music Hall next Tuesday. The famous old comedy drama presents a story of American western life, full of heart interest and exciting scenes, and at the same time a goodly spattering of real wholesome comedy of the old school. "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," is a purely American drama. This season Mr. Chanfrau has surrounded himself with a clever coterie of select players. Edward Maynard will be seen as Manuel Nond, who wrecks Kit's home and causes the thread of the story to be woven. Sara MacDonald assumes the character of Mary Redding, and afterwards as Alice Redding, her daughter. The comedy is in the capable hands of Lawrence Barbour as the Major, W. D. Stone as the Judge, Andrew Collom as Julius Caesar and Leo Hardman as Jerry Sleepers. The remaining cast includes Will B. Alexander, Walter Stewart, May Alexander, Baby Clifford and Rodney Wagoner.

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The funniest of all farce-comedies produced in recent years, "My Friend From India," will be the attraction at the Star Theatre, Fourteenth street and Broadway, New York, next week The comedy is from the pen of H. A. DuSouchet, and tells a story about a Kansas pork-packer who is trying to force his way into New York society through the medium of an alleged Indian mystic, who has fallen into his hands by accident. Ripples of laughter, like the first breath of an approaching gale, creep through the first act; while in the second act the gale itself breaks and sweeps in gusts over the audience. The third and concluding act is perhaps less violent, but it abounds in the same bubbling humor. From all parts of the country the most flattering receptions of the play are recorded. The production will be produced under the direct supervision of its managers and owners, Smyth & Rice.

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Modern vaudeville is certainly undergoing a revolution, thanks to Manager F. F. Proctor's lavish expenditure in the matter of his programmes. The latest sensational announcement comes from his Pleasure Palace, Fifty-eight street and Third avenue, New York, to the effect that, in addition to the usual big vaudeville bill, there will be produced Monday, November 21st, for the first time on any stage, a grand military, patriotic and historical spectacle entitled "The Battle of San Juan Hill." To make the production more than usually perfect and impressive, Mr. Proctor has utilized what was formerly the Garden of Palms, in the rear of his present stage, thus giving him the enormous stage depth of 150 feet, and a width of 75 feet This quite eclipses the famous old Drury Lane stage, and gives to New York theatricals a new distinction In the production there will be over 200 soldiers, 30 horses, and a most elaborate display of scenery, painted especially from photographs taken on the spot The people will be made up of actual participants in the battle. The Rough Riders, 71st Regiment, the gallant negro troops, all will take part, and fight the battle over again. The heroes of the fight, Roosevelt, Wheeler, Lawton, Kent and Lieut. Ord, will be enacted with life like fidelity by capable actors.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church will hold a fair in their church next week.

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No. 1½ satin ribbon, pure silk, all colors - 20c for 10 yds
Amoskeag apron gingham, 4½c yd
Lonsdale Cambric - 7¾c yd
Best soft-finish Cambrics - 2½c yd
Heavy twill crash, white, - 3c yd
Another case of those beautiful embroidered Underskirts 25c ea
Pears' Unscented Soap - 11c cake
Packer's Tar Soap - 15c cake
Cuticura Soap - 20c cake
Cosmo Buttermilk Soap - 6c cake

Down Stairs.

Lamp Chimneys, sizes 0, 1, 2 - 3c each
Hard wood Clothes Pins (1st quality) 5c per 100
Med'm size hard wood Chopping Bowls 6c each
Howe l's full strength Ammonia (pints) 5c bot.
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7 lb. Japanned Sugar Box - 10c each
Lace Edge Closet Paper (6 yd. pieces) 2c piece

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" 17c. " 2 " .....25c.
Children's 10c. " 2 " .....14c.
" 12½c. " 2 " .....20c.
Men's Heavy Natural Wool Underwear, 39c., regular price 59c.
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Children's Heavy Fleece lined Underwear.....25c.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 12—Tomorrow night Rev. E. S. Jamison will preach a special sermon on the political questions of the day, taking for his topic "Some Thoughts Suggested by the Candidates for Political Office in the Recent Election."

Many of the streets in town need the attention of the road committee. Since the people have seen what a fine condition Notth avenue has been put in, they want all the streets made as fine. A few loads of cinders and cracked stone would make a big improvement on several of them.

Crandall, the jeweler, is receiving his holiday goods day by day, and has a nice supply of watches and pins on hand. He has also added eye glasses and spectacles as a side line.

Eugene Runyon, the real estate dealer, is doing quite a business now in houses and lots. He has several fine ones on hand to dispose of which are going at a bargain.

Mrs. Thomas Robinson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Staats, has gone to her new home in Newark.

Sunday is always a big day for the trolley. On that day the Bound Brook cars run on half hour headway instead of 60 minutes.

The Middlesex County Bowling Green Club are bowling this afternoon for the last time for the Booth prize.

The juniors, of the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society, held a meeting yesterday afternoon.

Walter G. Runyon is engaging in the horse clipping business and is doing a good trade.

Class meeting was held last night in the Methodist church. Rev. E. S. Jamison presided.

The offering tomorrow morning in the Methodist church will be for the Episcopal fund.

Martin Kane, of Bound Brook, visited friends in the borough yesterday.

Willard Trombley has returned from a visit with friends in Waverly.

Miss Mary Browning spent yesterday visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Thomas Dixon, of Perth Amboy, is visiting Alfred Palmer.

Landlord Taylor is overhauling and shingling his barn.

Clarence Sutphen is spending the day at Morristown.

William H. Terry spent yesterday in New York.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, November 12.—Abner Coriell lost a valuable cow early this week. The animal is thought to have been poisoned. It was out to pasture as usual that day, but when it was brought home and put up in the barn the cow showed symptoms of illness and soon afterwards expired.

A change in the timetable of the Lehigh Valley Railroad goes into effect tomorrow.

The Misses Starker entertained a few friends at their home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Metz has been visiting relatives in North Plainfield.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 12—W. D. Murray, of Plainfield, will make an address Sunday evening in the Baptist church upon Y. M. C. A. work and the need of such an association in Scotch Plains. It is hoped a large number will turn out and encourage those who have made it possible for the village to have such an association. Young men of the village are especially invited.

Charles Frentz, George Johnston, John Reick and Henry Schwallbach returned yesterday from a two days' hunting trip to Annandale. The result of the trip was 53 rabbits.

Miss Adams, Miss Reger, Miss Robison, Mrs. Wm Maguire and several others attended the concert in the Presbyterian church in Westfield last evening.

The local football eleven are playing the Alis second team this afternoon on the gridiron in the rear of the school building.

George Baldwin is visiting friends and relatives in South Jersey. George expects to be gone two weeks.

Mrs. Joseph Clark and son, Clinton, are spending a few days with relatives in Hazlet, N. J.

Rev. J. S. Braker returned today from a three days' visit with relatives in New York.

The heavy wind Friday morning blew Chas. Haberle's fence down.

Mrs. George Stillger visited friends in Plainfield Friday.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov 12—Miss Adeline N. Sterling, book critic of Harper's Publishing Company, will deliver a lecture on "Some Passing Thoughts on Current Literature" in the Congregational church Tuesday evening.

Mulford M. Scudder, of this town, feels very proud that he received the largest vote of any candidate on the Democratic ticket. Mr Scudder was a candidate for Assemblyman.

The Christian Endeavor meeting in the Congregational church Sunday evening will be led by A. L. Alpers. The text will be "Christian Recitation."

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

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Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold a regular meeting Monday evening.

—The monthly meeting of the Ministers' Association will be held Monday afternoon.

—The Grocers' Protective Association will hold a regular meeting Monday evening.

—A dance and entertainment will be given in Saengerbund Hall Thanksgiving evening.

—There will be a regular monthly meeting of the T. A. B. Association Monday evening.

—Saturday afternoon and evening we make a special of all kinds of seafood for cash. Rogers.

—An entertainment will be held at the meeting of Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, Monday evening.

—The choir of the First Baptist church is rehearsing a religious cantata, which will be given sometime during next month.

—Murphy and Blatz have brought suit before Justice Wood, of Roselle, for Arthur G. Wilson, against William Jerome, on contract.

—William King, the colored man with two hearts, did not appear before the Plainfield Clinical Society at their meeting Thursday last.

—A meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club will be held Monday evening when arrangements will be made for a print exhibition.

—A meeting of special interest will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow evening by the Christian Endeavor Society of that church.

—One week from next Tuesday evening the members of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will be inspected by the department commander and staff.

—The members of the Loyal Temperance Legion will meet Monday afternoon at 3:45 in the W. C. T. U. rooms, 129 East Front street. A full attendance is desired.

—There are now twenty-one patients at the hospital, the largest number ever in that institution at one time. The needs of increased accommodations is apparent.

—The Reform Club election will not take place until the first Thursday evening in December. At the meeting last Thursday evening the attendance was very small.

—An illustrated lecture will be given in Hope chapel on the evening of November 15th, when E. O. MacFarland, of Newark, will deliver a lecture on the recent Cuban war.

—The evening of December 22d, the members of Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., will celebrate its anniversary, and will take a large number of new members. The grand lodge officers will be present.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Miss Jessie Roberts, of Brooklyn, is visiting Plainfield relatives.

Patrolman Watson has recovered from a recent attack of illness.

Julius Williams, of Elmwood place, is out of town on a business trip.

Mrs. W. H. Slape, of Fifth street, is entertaining relatives from out of town.

Miss DuBoise, of Park avenue, has returned from a visit in Hunterdon county.

Plainfield has another new resident in the person of J. H. Thompson, of Somerville.

Miss VanFleet, of East Third street, is entertaining company from New Brunswick.

Raymond Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, has entirely recovered from a recent illness.

Joseph H. Howell, of Washington Park, left town today on an extended business trip.

Mrs. Fred Moore, of West Front street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Miss Backer, of the borough, has returned from a visit with Whitehouse friends.

Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue, will spend Sunday with Bound Brook friends.

Patrolman Higgins, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is reported as being improved.

Mrs. Brady, of East Third street, is confined to her home with a severe attack of rheumasism.

William Hall, of this city, is one of the latest additions to the First Baptist church choir.

Howard Roome, of Washington Park, is very much improved from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. J. K. Large, of East Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Whitehouse.

Col. Julian Scott, who is confined in the Muhlenberg Hospital with pneumonia, is reported as doing nicely.

Miss Clara Williams, of this city, and Miss Bertha Wheeler, of the borough, left today for Bridgeport, Conn.

Miss Littell, of Newark, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dudley S. Miller, of Orchard place, has returned home.

Mrs. Seaman Williams and daughter, of Sandford avenue, have returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

William Hamptman, who addresses the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon, is a protege of General O. O. Howard.

There seems to be a slight improvement in the condition of John Goff, of Fourth street, who is suffering with muscular rheumatism.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, who is ill with typhoid fever, is doing very well under the care of Dr. E. W. Hedges and a trained nurse.

Miss Nevius, of Fifth street, has been secured by Tax Collector James Martin to assist him with his work during the present rush of business.

Miss Nettie Beeching, of Washington ville, has returned from out of town, where she has been attending to work of interest to the Sunday-school.

Mrs Frank Hart and son, of Arlington avenue, left yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives in New York city. Mr. Hart will join them Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Hester LaBau, of Harlingen, formerly a saleswoman at Woodhull & Martin's, to Mr. Egel, of Bound Brook, will take place next week Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride.

Benjamin Meyers, of Finderne, who has been looking after the interests of his father's dairy on Watchung avenue, was taken ill a few days ago, and last Thursday evening he was removed to his home for treatment. He was taken home in a coach from Roberts' livery.

—The fair that has been held this week in Washington Hall under the auspices of Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, will close this evening with special attractions.

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Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

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Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
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E. H. BIRD, P. M.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Mizpah Lodge, U. O of I. O. L., will hold its regular meeting Monday evening.

—There will be a church social at the First Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening. All are invited.

—The illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given by H. K. Samuelian at the Y. M. C. A. Hall, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. 11 11 2

—The Thursday Evening Whist Club met last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Tier, Bank place, to make arrangements for the winter games. There was a full attendance of the members, and there will be but a few changes in the club this year. The prospects for a successful season are very bright.

PAUL MORPHY AND THE DEVIL.

How the Great Chess Player Defeated His Satanic Majesty.

On reading the notes in the July number on Paul Morphy's visit to Philadelphia, I am reminded of an incident in connection with his visit to Richmond, Va., about the same time, which was related to me some years ago by Rev. Mr. H. of that city. I do not remember ever to have seen it in print. Mr. Morphy was Mr. H.'s guest while in the city, and on his arrival was at once attracted by a painting over the mantel, which was a fine copy of a celebrated painting representing a game of chess between a young man and the devil, the stake being the young man's soul.

The artist had most graphically depicted the point in the game where it was apparently the young man's move, and he seemed just to realize the fact that he had lost the game, the agony of despair being shown in every line of his features, and attitude, while the devil, from the opposite side of the table, gloated over him with fiendish delight. The position of the game appeared utterly hopeless for the young man, and Mr. H. said he had often set it up and studied it with his chess friends, and all agreed that the young man's game was certainly lost.

Mr. Morphy walked up to the picture and studied it for several minutes, when finally, turning to Mr. H., he said:

"I can win the game for the young man."

Mr. H. was, of course, astonished, and said: "It is impossible!"

Mr. Morphy replied: "Get out the men and board and let us look at it."

The position was set up, and in a few rapid moves he demonstrated a complete win for the young man, and the devil was checkmated.

Rev. Mr. H. was wont to apply the evident and beautiful moral, which I leave to each one of your readers to think over.—R. Munford in American Chess Magazine.

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DIED.

WALZ—In this city, Thursday, Nov. 10th, 1898, Charlie Francis, son of Earnest L. and Abbie M. Walz, aged 21 years, 2 months, 20 days.
Funeral services at the residence of his parents, 302 LaGrande avenue, on Sunday, Nov. 13, at p. m.
Please omit flowers.

LONG—In North Plainfield, Thursday, Nov. 10th, 1898, Jacob Long, aged 79 years.
Funeral services at his late residence, 52 Craig place, Monday, Nov. 14th, at 11 a. m.

KELLEY—Suddenly, on Thursday, November 10th, 1898, James A. Kelley, in his 19th year.
Funeral services from his father's residence, 602 East Third street, on Sunday, November 13th, at 2 p. m., and from St. Mary's church at 2:30. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 8 23 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants work, Call at 305 East Fourth St. 11 9 4

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

TO LET—10-room house, all improvements, excellent neighborhood, large lot: rent low till April Wm. D. Thickstun. 11 10 4

FOR SALE—Team bay carriage horses, also closed carriage, surrey, single and double harness and gentleman's saddle. 830 Central avenue. 11 8 5

RESPECTABLE man wants work on gentleman's place. 959 Arlington avenue. 11 11 3

FOUND—On Thursday, childs' ring. Call for at 47 Washington avenue.

APARTMENTS to let. Apply at 611 Liberty street. 11 11 2

WANTED—A coachman. 1038 Park avenue. 11 11 2

WANTED—One or two unfurnished rooms. Address C., care Press 11 11 2

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Apply 912 West Seventh street. 11 11 3

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, cheap. 91 Mercer avenue. 11 11 6

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 13 Grove St.

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We tell of; there are bargains here at all times and in all departments, but not such bargains as these. To tell you why we name this Round Table Lots of Clean, Seasonable Merchandise at a sacrifice would take time and space. The why does not interest you; the fact that we have so done does interest you.

LOT NO. 1.
Assorted lot of Waist, Skirt and Trimming Silks, the width is twenty inches, the colors are changeable, figures and stripes; the actual, lowest value is $1 25 yard, the price is.....75c. yd.

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Fifty styles of fancy figured Dress Goods, all good 1898 styles, the regular price is 10c. yd., the price is now.....29c. yd.

LOT NO. 3.
Is fifty pieces of heavy, soft Outing Flannel, newest styles, the value is 10c. yd., our price.....4c. yd.

LOT NO. 4.
Fifty dozen of Women's Fleece Lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, full sizes, winter weight, the price will be.....19c ea.

LOT NO. 5.
100 dozen Women's Fast Black hose, no seams, double sole, close gauge, one of the best wearing stockings in our stock, 15c and worth it, our price will be.....10c pair.

LOT NO 6.
A Fine Lot of all Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at a fair profit you would pay 15c each, buy now and they cost you.....8c each.

LOT NO. 7.
A case of Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, warm, comfortable garments, honest as the day is long, sold everywhere at 50c each, they will go at.....33c each.

LOT NO. 8.
A thousand boxes of the finest Writing Paper, smooth finish, each box contains 60 sheets and 60 envelopes, actual value, 25c, they go for 17c box.

LOT NO. 9.
Men's best quality night shirts, full generous sizes, Dwight Anchor Muslin, made as you would make them yourself, will go for.....37 each.

LOT NO. 10.
Twenty-five dozen of Women's Outing Flannel Wrappers, made of fine material, such as most stores ask $1.00 for and they are worth it but they will go for.....79 each.

LOT NO. 11.
A table full of Boys' Underwear for boys 10 to 15 years, good, warm wool shirts that you would pay 50c. for in the regular way, will go for 19c. each.

LOT NO. 12.
Two hundred pairs of black, grey and white corsets, every pair worth $1 and some $1.50, will go in this sale for.....59c. the pair.

Not only the above attractions does the store offer, but more, thus: The Coat and Suit Department with its fine assortment of Capes, Jackets, Suits and Skirts; the Millinery Department, that needs no advertising; the Women's Underwear Department, that is offering the best of values in the finest of Wool Garments. Then there is the Sale of Laces—fine, all linen Torchon Laces that are worth from 15c to 25c. the yard, we ask only 7c. The sale of fine White Aprons, the Women's Muslin Underwear Sale, all these should attract you to the store where your money will go the farthest.

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HORSES wanted to board this winter; first-class accommodations. McIntyre, 171 North Ave. 11 12 6

LOST—Pug dog; answers to name of Ben. Return to Mrs. A R. Dyett, 473 Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

3 COUNTERS and stove for sale cheap. 140 West Front St.

WANTED—Seven men to canvass and collect for the Colonial Life Insurance Company of America. Call Rooms 306-307 Babcock Building.

TO LET—New seven room house, nicely papered; low rent for the winter. Hugh McDonnell, 936 Park avenue, 11 12 2

WANTED—To rent, farm about 40 acres, within two miles south of Plainfield, good buildings and land. P. O. Box 107, Bound Brook, N. J. d 11 12 1 w 11 17 1

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Illustrated Lecture,
"Peter the Great and the Making of Russia,"
AT THE CASINO,
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The above signs on Muslin, 12x12 inches, for sale at this office for 5 cents each.

ONLY A CLERK.

"I am sorry to disturb you, but the tide is coming up rapidly, and you have only just time to get round the point."

Mabel Rorke was so engrossed in her sketch she had forgotten everything else. There certainly had been a young man hovering about for the last half hour, but she had a soul above young men, and barely noticed him.

"I am very much obliged to you. I will move in a few minutes."

"Excuse me, you must come immediately," and he snatched up her paint-box. "Run, run," he said. "What a fool I have been to leave it so long."

It was terrible work running through the heavy sand, hearts pumping like steam-engines with fear, and when at last knee-deep in water they turned the point the strong-minded young woman was disgracefully near fainting.

"You can rest now," he said kindly; "we are safe."

"I shall be all right in a minute," she panted.

"No hurry, I will be packing the easel and things."

"You are an artist, I see," she said as she saw how neatly he packed up. "I thought you looked like one; don't be too severe on my poor daub."

"I am not an artist," he said, coloring slightly, "and it is not a poor little daub. I ventured to admire it from a distance when I ought to have been watching the tide."

"It is very kind of you to say so. Shall we go on now?"

"If you feel able. Let me carry your things; it is a rough walk. If you will take my hand I can help you over the stones."

"No thank you—there I go again. How abominable slippery the rocks are."

"You must take my hand," and she was not sorry to cling tight.

"What a mess I am in; look at my poor frock."

"Your frock will be all right when it is dry; it is good, substantial stuff."

"Men don't understand those things."

"I assure you—"

"Never mind—I don't care. There's our cottage; I had better hurry. I hope you will call and see us," as she stopped to say good-bye. Then, with a slightly trembling voice, "I don't forget what I have to thank you for. I shall never forget it. Good-bye."

"Do you know that man you were bidding such an affectionate farewell to?" said Mary Moore, the "bachelor" friend she was touring with.

"Know him, in the vulgar conventional sense I dont, but know him for a gentleman and a brave man who has saved my life."

"You needn't go into such heroics."

All the same Mary Moore was more interested in the story than she would condescend to confess.

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If we were not prejudiced, and had eyes for anything else in the world but the shops, we should admire Oxford street on a fine day in October. There are some really lovely sunsets to be seen from Marshall and Snelgrove's. Nevertheless, "How I wish I was back at Tregurrian," thought Mabel.

"That velvet is lovely, I will do up my old hat, the one I wore at Tregurrian, I am fond of that hat," and she went into the shop.

She was conducted to a counter—"Here, Walker, are you serving?"

"No, sir."

A tall fair man came forward. Mabel looked at him, stared hard, and couldn't believe her eyes; and he, poor fellow, turned pale. He, too, had had his dreams. But he had nothing to reproach himself with, he had taken no advantage whatever, not even called when invited. He was brave then, he was more brave now.

"What can I do for you, madam?"

"Some velvet, please, something cheap—the very commonest you have is good enough."

But she worried over it, and was hard to please somehow.

With a cool "good-morning" she went.

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"Mary, Mary, put down that wretched paint brush, what are you working over that thing for? I hate the very sight of pictures, and all that rubbish."

"Why, what is the matter with you?"

"Nothing, nothing is the matter, I am all right, only I am the most vile, ungrateful wretch that ever lived. I have behaved infamously, disgracefully; I wish to goodness I had never been born; I wish we lived on a desert island."

"Do tell me what is the matter?"

"I've seen him again, I've seen him again, and I tell you I have behaved like a cad. Yes," she went on hysterically, "he's in a shop, he served me, called me 'madam,' and his name is Walker."

"Good heavens! you don't say so; how awfully annoying. You took his arm, too, didn't you Mabel?"

"I didn't take his arm," furiously, "for I took his hand; and I will tell you what I am going to do. I am going back to the shop to-morrow, and I shall ask him to come and see my pictures and have tea."

"Please yourself of course; I shall be out."

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"Jim, dear," said Mrs. Walker, "did you notice that little man with long hair and a velvet coat who just bought a red necktie?"

"Yes; was he a brother of the brush, Mabel?"

"He's Mary Moore's fiance. I can't say I feel inclined to change; dont be conceited; that's my row. Come and look at my show room; I have made it perfectly lovely."—Golden Penny.

THE HORSE SHOW.

The History of New York's Chief Society Event.

The original projectors of the Horse Show build-d far better than they knew when they first met and arranged for their first display in 1883. The idea of the Horse show was first developed in and among the then comparatively small element in the New York society world known as "the hunting set," and whose chief headquarters then as now were in the saddle at Hempstead and Far Rockaway.

The first five shows in the old Garden were very modest affairs compared with those of the past six years, and the figures both of the attendance at these and of their receipts look almost ridiculous beside those of to-day. But each year saw a steady improvement in the attendance and consequently in the receipts. With the opening of the new Madison Square Garden in 1890 the public began to realize that the show afforded it an opportunity to inspect the much-talked-of and much discussed beauties and leaders of New York society at close range and to study their costumes and gowns, with the result that they rushed to the Garden. The show had its red-letter year in 1892, although that of last year was almost equal in the figures of attendance and receipts.

As the years went by, the demand for the best boxes became such that the premiums paid at the auction sales reached surprising figures, until upward of $500 was cheerfully given for the choice of a prominent box for the week. The ticket speculators saw their opportunity in this craze and frequently managed to secure some of the best boxes, as well as the best seats. One of these three or four years ago held a box in a good position at $1,000 for the week of the show. He offered it to Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, who refused to pay such a price, but immediately afterward sold it to Captain De la Mar. This is the highest recorded price paid for a box at the Horse Show.

Until three years ago New York society made the show so much of its own that it intrenched itself in all the boxes and aspiring millionaires from other cities were not able to break into the charmed circle, although several attempts were made to do so. Three years ago, however, Philadelphia secured a box, and the next year Boston, Baltimore and Pittsburg were represented. Last Autumn other cities held at least a third of the prominent boxes.

Considered solely as a social function, the Horse Show, notwithstanding the fact that it has ceased to be a novely and that the interest of New York society in it is somewhat waning, is still undoubtedly the most important event of the year in the society world, not only of New York, but of America. It is the Advent season of the society year, and its week means the opening of the Winter's gayeties. The members of New York society regulate, to a large extent, their time of returning to their city homes by it and date the events of the year from and by the show week. For it the matron and belle prepare their most elaborate gowns, and the man of fashion overhauls his wardrobe and gives extra instructions to his valet.

As may be supposed, it is the event of the year to the milliners and dressmakers not only of this country, but also to some extent of London and Paris, for many workshops in those cities are busied every summer on orders from American women for Horse Show gowns. As is natural, therefore, the show sets each year the fashion in Winter gowns and even in men's clothes, and is the Mecca of all the leading milliners and dressmakers of the country who assemble at the Garden during the week to study their own and their fellow's productions and to get points for the Winter's fashions.

At the show the Winters' gayeties are planned entertainments are organized, engagements announced, and scandals whispered. It is the first meeting day of the society clearing house after the long Summer and Autumn, and to a large extent it sets the pace for the six months to follow.

The mornings of the show are favored by the more enthusiastic members of the hunting set and by the children of society. About three o'clock the advance guard of the fashionable throng begins to arrive, and by four the boxes and prominent seats are filled with fashionably dressed occupants, and the public begins its rounds of study and comment. At six o'clock the human tide begins to ebb as dinner hour approaches, and at eight it begins to flow back again. By 9:30 every night the function is at its height, and at eleven the show is over. Then the fashionable restaurants and cafes are filled until long after midnight with the brilliantly dressed throng discussing the events of the day.

Sympathy in Children.

Collecting butterflies, bird's eggs, etc., should never be encouraged. It is apt to develop all that is hard and cruel in a child's nature, and to make him heedless of giving pain and sorrow to others. Any sign of cruelty in a child's nature should at once be checked, as should also the fear of any insect or animal. Instead of telling the child to "throw away that nasty caterpillar," instruct him to touch it very gently so that he will not hurt it, and to admire its beauty of form and coloring. Always encourage the love of animals in children.

Birdie—There's a Frenchman behind us; I'd better tell you this in English.

Bertie—On the contrary, you'd be safer if you were to speak French!—Judy.

FATHER AND SON.

Both are Kings and Have Reigned for Thirty-Five Years.

Father and son celebrate the thirty-fifth anniversary of their accession to thrones within a month of each other, and strange to say, King George, of Greece, had royal honors even before his aged father, for the former ascended his throne, October 31st, 1863 and King Christian, of Denmark, was crowned on November 15, of the same year.

Prince Christian, a fourth son of the Duke of Schleswig-Holstein, had been brought up in the ordinary military career of princes without expectations. He had a small salary, she a small dot. For ten years they had to practice the most rigid economies. Then came a slight betterment in his condition and an enormous and unexpected change in his prospects. On May 8, 1852, the apparently inextricable confusion into which the question of the Danish succession had lapsed was straightened out by the protocol of London, and Prince Christian was formally recognized as heir to his wife's cousin, King Frederick VII. of Denmark. The couple received the title of Royal Highnesses, and later Christian became inspector general and commander in chief of the Danish cavalry in a miniature army of forty thousand all told. This turn of Fortune's wheel, however, made little throne as Christian IX of Denmark.

Simultaneously with the accession of the Prince of Schleswig-Holstein to the throne rival claimants arose for the duchies of Schleswig-Holstein, which had been part of the possessions of King Frederick VII. of Denmark. The extinction of his dynasty, it was asserted, and the substitution of a new one, had entirely altered the change in the household's style of existence until the year 1863, when Frederick's death brought the prince to the rights of succession in these provinces. It is needless to enter into the merits of this involved and difficult controversy. Lord Palmerston used to say:—"There have been but two men who really comprehended the question about the duchies—Prince Albert, who is dead, and I, who have forgotten." Suffice it to say that after diplomatic wrangles, which closed in an appeal to arms, Prussia, Austria and Germany all took a hand in the fight, and the first of these great countries, under the wily hand of Bismarck, succeeded in robbing little Denmark of the three duchies of Holstein, Schleswig and Lauenberg and attaching them to her own dominions. France and England looked on growlingly, but both concluded not to interfere.

After this loss of one-third of the kingdom internal troubles arose in that portion of his dominions which still remained to King Christian. King and parliament could never agree, a characteristic that both have retained almost to the present time. Ministerial crises in Denmark have been as frequent as revolutions in South America.

But in his home life he found a relief from the strains of ruling, and the story of the splendid marriages of his sons and daughters has become an old-time tale to every household in Christendom.

THE WASP AS AN ENGINEER.

Bit of Insect Cleverness That Won Praise From Army Men.

Several members of the United States engineer corps were interested witnesses of a feat of insect engineering near the road on which they were working. One of their number found a blue ground wasp dragging along the ground a dead swamp spider one-quarter the size of a full grown tarantula. Whether the wasp killed the spider or found it dead is a question beyond solution. He was having a hard time dragging his prey along, and presently left it to go prospecting for his abode. The discoverer of the wasp called his companions, and one of them in coming stepped upon the wasp's ground hole, crushing down some blades of dried grass across it. This caused no little trouble to the insect, who, upon locating the hole, nipping away at the obstructing stalks with his strong mandibles until he had cleared a passage. Then he went back and sized up the spider, walking around the big body and surveying it from all sides.

"He's reckoning that the hole isn't big enough," said one of the engineers.

"That's all right, he'll fix it," said another, as the insect went back and commenced vigorously widening the entrance to his domicile.

Again he returned to the spider, seized it and dragged it to within a foot of the orifice. To the spectators it was evident that more work would have to be done before the spider could be dragged in. This struck the wasp, too, for again he ran around the body, examining it carefully, and returned to the hole to take measurements. He went to digging a second time. Having dug for two minutes, he brought his prey up to the edge of the hole, nipped out a piece of dirt here, cut away a grass stem there, and after fifteen minutes of hard and skillful labor disappeared underground, dragging the spider after him, doubtless to form the piece de resistance in a winter storehouse. The engineers then resumed their work, exchanging comments of admiration.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"If you do not marry me I shall hang myself," exclaimed a lovelorn Denver young man.

"Well, if you do, please go down a block," was the cheerful response, "for I heard papa say he did not want you to hang around here."—Denver Times.

Neues aus der alten Heimath.

Mecklenburg.

Doberan. Es wird geplant, die Seebäder Heiligendamm, Brunshaupten und Arendsee durch eine elektrische Bahn zu verbinden. Auch würde dann die Bahn Doberan-Heiligendamm elektrisch betrieben werden. Wegen der Anlage steht die Baltische Elektrizitätsgesellschaft in Kiel mit der Großherzoglichen General-Eisenbahndirektion in Unterhandlung. Es soll über das Projekt noch dem diesjährigen Landtage eine Vorlage zugehen. Dieselbe Gesellschaft beabsichtigt auch, hier elektrische Straßenbeleuchtung einzuführen.

Oldenburg.

Nordermoor. Hier erstach während des Tanzes ein junger Knecht den Posthilfsboten Cordes aus Elsfleth; ein Anderer erhielt von demselben einen Messerstich in die rechte Brustgegend, ein Dritter in den linken Unterarm, als sie den Knecht beruhigen wollten. Der Thäter wurde in das hiesige Gefängniß eingeliefert.

Braunschweig.

Wolfenbüttel. In tiefe Trauer ist die Familie des Oekonomen Schmidt im nahen Dettum versetzt worden. Bei Abschlachtung einer Kuh, welche milzbrandverdächtig war, half der Sohn Schmidts und zog sich eine kleine unbedeutend erscheinende Wunde am Finger zu. Es trat Blutvergiftung ein, welche alsbald den Tod des jungen Mannes nach sich zog.

Großherzogthum Hessen.

Darmstadt. Der auch hier recht fühlbare Mangel an kleineren Wohnungen, der durch den Bauverein für Arbeiterwohnungen nicht ganz hat behoben werden können, veranlaßt die Bürgermeisterei, den Bau von Wohnungen für Arbeiter und den Mittelstand in Aussicht zu nehmen. Es werden Informationen in solchen Städten eingeholt, in denen in dieser Hinsicht bereits praktische Erfahrungen gemacht wurden.

Jugenheim. Wie aus sicherer Quelle verlautet, hat ein Darmstadter Konsortium um Genehmigung zur Erbauung einer Zahnradbahn von Zwingenberg auf den Melibokus nachgesucht.

Mainz. Die Armen von Mainz sind bei der Eröffnung des Schlacht- und Viehhofs in anerkennenswerther Weise bedacht worden, indem jede Familie drei Pfund besten Fleisches empfing.—Ueberrascht hat die plötzliche Kündigung des Directors des neuen Schlacht- und Viehhofs, Herrn Schilling.

Worms. Die „Südwestdeutsche Gewerbezeitung," die im Verlage des „Wormser Tageblattes" als Organ des hessischen Landesverbandes der Handwerker und Gewerbetreibenden erschien und vornehmlich den zünftlerischen Bestrebungen diente, hat nach zweijährigem Bestehen ihr Erscheinen eingestellt.

Bayern.

München. Die Hauptrechnung über die Lokalarmenpflege Münchens für das Jahr 1897 hat folgenden Abschluß: 1,287,875 Mark 94 Pfennige Einnahmen, 1,282,982 Mark 66 Pfennige Ausgaben, so daß sich ein Aktivrest von 4893 Mark 28 Pfennige ergibt.—Das Landgericht verurtheilte einen Bauarbeiter, der auf Geheiß seines Meisters einen anderen Bauarbeiter vom 4. Stockwerke eines Neubaues hinabzuwerfen versuchte, zu einem Monat Gefängniß.—Für die bayerischen Jäger-Bataillone ist nun die versuchsweise Einführung des Schneeschuhlaufens in Aussicht genommen. Jedes Bataillon erhält zunächst 12 Schneeschuhe norwegischer Konstruktion, mit deren Beschaffung das Bekleidungsamt des 1. Armeekorps betraut ist.

Amberg. Neulich Abends brach im Stadel des Gastwirthes Schwab in Roding Feuer aus, das 22 Scheunen mit allen Erntevorräthen einäscherte. Der Brandstifter, ein Bauerssohn, ist bereits verhaftet.

Augsburg. Der vom Militär entlassene Joseph Maier tödtete nach voraufgegangenem Streit seine Geliebte durch zwei Revolverschüsse; sich selbst verletzte er durch einen Stich in die Herzgegend lebensgefährlich. Eifersucht ist das Motiv der That; seine Geliebte war ohne sein Wissen zur Kirchweih gegangen.

Bachau. In Pflaumheim hat sich die geistig gestörte, 31 Jahre alte Tochter des Bürgermeisters im Keller erhängt.

Holzkirchen. Die hiesige Marktgemeinde-Verwaltung beabsichtigt die Anlage einer Wasserleitung in größerer Ausdehnung, wozu die in der Gemeinde Wiesen gelegenen Quellen der Gaißach und des Kaltenbaches gewonnen werden sollen.

Nürnberg. Die hiesigen Schreinermeister beabsichtigen, eine Zwangsinnung zu gründen.

Passau. Ein merkwürdiges Gerücht war dieser Tage hier aufgetaucht. Unser Magistrat, so raunten sich die Leute schaudernd in die Ohren, sei der Familie Bismarck einen erheblichen Betrag schuldig, dessen Rückzahlung ihm nicht möglich sei. Das unsinnige Gerücht hat eine Reihe von Dienstmädchen und andere kleine Leute veranlaßt, bestürzte Nachfrage zu halten, ob ihre—Spareinlagen verloren seien.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, †7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, *6 45, 7 08, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 12, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at †10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 26, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, *8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 23, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 33, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 03 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 55, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 41, 10 24, 11 20, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m. 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 08, 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 18, 6 55, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m.; 6 08, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 15, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 50 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

8 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 39 p. m.—For Flemington.

4 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 48 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 18, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 8 37, 8 13 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all those tracts or parcels of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being partly in the township of Warren, in the county of Somerset and State of New Jersey, and partly in the township of New Providence, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey, bounded as follows: The first tract being Lot No. 3 in the division of the real estate late of George Townley, deceased, and begins in the road running from the Union village to Thomas Coun's, at a corner of (No. 2) Enos B. Townley's lot, at a point sixteen links westerly from the centre of the well, and four links southerly from the corner of (No. 1) the Hadly lot; thence in said road north forty-four degrees west on a line of the Widow Townley's dower lot, four chains and sixty six links; thence on a line of (No. 4) formerly belonging to Benjamin Moore, north fifty-five and a half degrees west, two chains and thirty links; thence on the same, in said road, north forty-seven and a half degrees west, passing close to the northeast side of two hickory trees near the river, six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of the Passaic river; thence up the bank of said river south sixty-seven degrees west three chains and seventy links to Lines Tucker's corner; thence on his line south one degree east fifteen chains and thirty links to a stake at a corner of said Enos B. Townley's lot; thence on his line north fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees east, a hickory tree being in this line seven chains and forty-four links from a stake in said Tucker's line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to the place of beginning. Containing twelve acres and twenty-eight hundredths of an acre of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed by Squire Parrot and wife and Daniel Runyon and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated July 5th, 1845, and recorded in the Clerk's office in the county of Somerset, July 14th, 1845, in Book B. 2, page 549, etc.

The Second Tract, being lot No. 2, of the division of the farm late of George Townley, deceased, and which was set off in the said division to the said Enos B. Townley and begins in the road leading from Union Village to Thomas Coun's, opposite the middle of the well and sixteen links distant from the centre of it; thence running south fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees west, a hickory tree being in this line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to a stake in Lines Tucker's line; thence on his line south one degree east eight chains and seven links to a basswood tree in William Titus' line; thence on his line and others, north eighty-eight degrees east twenty-seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said road; thence in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) set off to the heirs of Johanna Headley, north fifty-four and a half degrees west five chains; thence north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence still in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty links to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-five acres of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed to Christopher Zuchschwert by Enos B. Townley by deed dated March 28th, 1846, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Somerset county, in Book O. N. 2, pages 160, etc.,

The Third Tract, situate, lying and being in the townships of Warren and New Providence, in the counties of Union and Somerset, beginning in the middle of the road leading from Union Village at a corner of lands of David A. French, and from thence running south eighty-eight degrees, west two chains and fifty links to the middle of the mouth of the road leading to Townley's bridge over the Passaic River, at a corner of lands of said Christopher Zuckshwert; thence on his line (2) north forty-five and a half degrees west in said last named road five chains; thence (3) north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence (4) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty-four links to a point sixteen links distant from the middle of the well; thence (5) in the middle of said road and still on said line late of said Zuckschwert north forty-four degrees west four chains and sixty-two links to a point at a corner of a lot formerly of Benjamin Moore's in the road opposite the middle of the cider house; thence on his line to the middle of the cider house north thirty-eight and a half degrees east ninety-one links to the eastermost side of said cider house; thence (7) north sixty-two and a half degrees east, passing close to the north side of an Elm tree, marked, on this lot, twenty-one chains and fifty-two links on a line formerly of said Moore to line now or formerly of Ezra Wilcox, at a small birch bush; thence on lines now or formerly of said Wilcox and said David A. French, south two degrees east twenty-eight chains and thirty-four links to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-two and one-tenth acres of land. Being the same premises conveyed by Squier Parrot and wife, and Daniel Runyon and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert, by deed dated May 17th, 1850, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book R, No. 2, pages 264, etc.

The Fourth Tract, situate in Warren township in the county of Somerset. Beginning at a stone at the edge of the Passaic River at a corner of a lot, now or formerly, belonging to Squier Parrot, and Daniel Runyon, on corner of Essex, now Union and Somerset; thence south nine degrees east on the line of said Parrot and Runyon, the Headley woodlot, and E. G. Townley's lot, fifteen chains and thirty-five links to a stake in the line of the dower of the Widow Townley; thence on her line south sixty-two and a half degrees west fourteen chains and fifty-two links to the middle post of the northeast side of formerly the cider house; thence still on the line of said Widow's dower lot south thirty-eight and a half degrees west ninety-one links to the line in the road of another lot, formerly of said Parrot and Runyon; thence in said road on their line north fifty-five and a half degrees west two chains and thirty links; thence on same north forty-seven and a half degrees west six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of said river; thence down the said river the several courses to the place of beginning. Containing seventeen acres of land more or less.

Fifth tract, situated in the townships of Warren and New Providence in the counties of Essex, now Union and Somerset, being No. 5 in the division of the real estate of George T. Townley, deceased, and set off to E. B. Townley, and begins at a small beach bush in line now or formerly of E. Griffing, at a corner of Widow Elizabeth Townley' dower lot; thence on its line south sixty-two and a half degrees west seven chains to a stake a corner of land late of Benjamin Moore; thence on his line north nine degrees west five chains and seventy links to a stake a corner of lot (No. 6) set off in said division to the heirs of Johanna Headley; thence on it line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said Griffing's line; thence on his line south two degrees east six chains and three links to the place of beginning. Containing four acres of land strict measure.

Sixth tract, situated in the township and counties aforesaid described as follows: Beginning at a stone in the edge of the Passaic River at the corner of Moore's land, it being the point where the line between the counties of Essex now Union and Somerset strikes the river; thence running on said Moore's line south nine degrees east nine chains and six y five links to a corner of C. Zuckschwert; thence on his line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to Ezra Wilcox's line; thence on his line north one and a half degrees west ten chains and fifteen links to the edge of said river; thence up the said river the several courses thereof to the place of beginning. Containing eight acres of land more or less.

The last three described tracts being the same premises conveyed by John R. Burnett and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated Oct ber 6th, 1864, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book Q., No. 3, of deeds for said county, on pages 304, etc. Excepting a tract of land twenty-five feet in width conveyed by William E. Lang and Julia Lang his wife, to Robert Cornish, by deed dated Sept mber 6th, 1892, and recorded in County Clerk's office at Somerville, Somerset county, December 16th, 1892, in Book of deeds L, No. 7, page 55, etc.

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J. D. Bartine, Solicitor.
Dated July 5, 1898. 10 22 5-8

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Somerset County Surrogate's Office.

Estate of Albert B. Darby, deceased, Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of Oct. A. D., 1898, on the application of the undersigned as Executors of Albert B. Darby deceased an order was made by the Surrogate requiring the creditors of Albert B. Darby, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscribers within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor should be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscribers.

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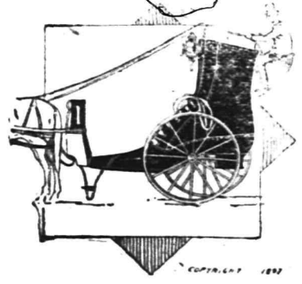

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BREAKING THE NEWS

"Do you think he'll take it very badly, Nora?"

Nora Helmsley shrugged her shoulders.

"My dear Betty, you ought to know more about Mr. Markham's powers of endurance than I."

"But what do you think he'll do? What do you suppose"——

"Why waste our time in supposition? He'll be here most likely this afternoon, and you will be able to judge for yourself."

Betty Oakhurst sprang to her feet.

"Ted is coming here this afternoon? Why on earth didn't you tell me before?" And she figetted nervously with her hat before the glass as she spoke.

"But you knew. Betty, where are you going?"

"Anywhere out of this," cried the girl, laughing nervously as she stooped to kiss her friend.

Nora, however, caught her arm. "Nonsense, Betty! You'd much better tell him straight out now and get it over. It will be ever so much more awkward for you if the news reaches him from the outside."

"I don't see that at all," returned Betty quietly, as she drew away from her companion. "I am sure that if—if you"——

She paused tentatively.

"You don't mean to say that you expect me to tell Ted Markham that you've jilted him?"

"I certainly don't expect you to put it in that way," replied Miss Oakhurst, with a little laugh; "but I am quite certain that you would explain it to the poor fellow much better than any one else."

"Explain!" exclaimed Nora, impatiently. "I don't know that there's anything to explain, except that you've put yourself and me in a most ridiculous position."

"Nora!"

"I wish I'd never had anything to do with it. I never felt so uncomfortable in my life as I have done since you dragged me into this precious scheme of yours."

"Poor old Nora!" murmured Betty sympathetically, while she cast furtive glances at the clock.

"You came here and shed any number of tears, declared that you adored Ted Markham; that your father wouldn't hear of an engagement, but that if you only had a little time before you, you were sure everything would come right."

"So it has," remarked Betty, sotto voce. "It's only a question of point of view."

Nora flashed an indignant look at her.

"I think you might be serious now, and at least pretend that you're ashamed of yourself. You begged me to help you to get my aunt to ask him here, to act as screen in fact, so that your people might imagine it was all over and that you had both changed your minds, and now—now"——

The sound of a bell broke in upon Miss Helmsley's eloquence, and Betty caught up her gloves.

"I'm awfully sorry, Nora. Abuse me as much as you like. Goodby!"

And before Nora could stop her she had darted through the door and was on her way downstairs. She let her go. After all, it never was of any use to argue with Betty; she was one of those delightfully irresponsible creatures who always manage to shift the blame of their shortcomings on to other people's shoulders, and whom no one—no man, at any rate—ever dreams of judging by ordinary standards. Nora wondered, as she stood there idly looking into the street, how she could ever have been foolish enough to take Betty's love troubles seriously.

Meantime, that same folly of hers was going to bear some very unpalatable fruit. In less than ten minutes young Markham would be there. He had arranged to call for Miss Helmsley and her aunt, Lady Hewitt, to escort them to an afternoon concert. The elder lady had declared at luncheon that the weather was far too depressing for it not to be madness to risk the probability of a further fall of one's moral barometer by a couple of hours of orchestral music, and that Nora must give him some tea and her excuses.

Nora was conscious that this was a neat pretext for giving the young man the chance of a tete-a-tete with herself. Lady Hewitt was too indolent, naturally, not to be heartily weary of her duties as chaperon to her niece. An attractive heiress was a responsibility little to her taste, and the girl felt that, ineligible as most mothers and responsible people would have termed Ted Markham, with his post in the Foreign Office and his meagre personal fortune, Lady Hewitt would open her arms to him gladly if he would but relieve her of her onerous duties of watchdog, and would declare that Nora had money enough for them both.

Nora sighed as she stood at the window. It was a topsy-turvy world, and the wrong people were always being thrown together. If only——

"Am I disturbing you? I was told to come in here."

Nora started, and the color rushed to her face.

"Oh, I hadn't heard you come in! Do sit down. Aunt isn't well. I am so sorry you should have had the trouble of calling for nothing, but she hoped to be able to go until the last moment. Won't you let me give you some tea?" She spoke with nervous hurry, scarcely pausing for an answer.

Ted Markham took the chair she offered him, and listened in silence while she rattled on. Suddenly she stopped, conscious of his fixed glance.

"Is anything the matter?" she asked, in a slightly alarmed voice. It was surely not possible that he could already have learned Betty's treachery.

"Yes. We can't go on like this, Miss Helmsley!"

"No?" Nora felt the color go out of her face.

"It isn't fair to you, and besides I—things have changed"——

"You mean that Betty"——

"Miss Oakhurst is going to be married." Nora gasped, but did not speak. "She is engaged to Lord Barthorpe I met Lady Oakhurst just now, and she was overflowing with loving-kindness to the world in general."

"Betty has behaved abominably!" put in Nora, indignantly.

Ted Markham smiled.

"I think, on the contrary, that she has shown remarkably good sense. I am going to leave London; I really came this afternoon to say goodby."

Nora bit her lips.

"I am very sorry," she began hesitatingly. "I am afraid I was rather to blame, but I thought Betty really cared, and"——

She left the sentence unfinished. Ted Markham's demeanor puzzled her. he was quite white, and there was a look in his eyes which troubled her. What was there in her fluffy-haired, blue-eyed little friend to move a man so? That her companion had taken some great resolution, and that a singularly difficult one, it was easy enough to perceive.

"Are you going to be away long?" she askeu awkwardly. "I mean, are you going far?"

"I think of going to have a look at the antipodes. My father has some interest, and I hope to get sent off to Melbourne."

"But haven't you made up your mind rather hurriedly?" she objected timidly.

"Hurriedly? Why, I put things in train weeks ago!"

"Weeks ago!" she exclaimed. "But Betty's engagement is quite fresh. Did you suspect"——

"I suspected nothing. I knew"——

"You knew!" she exclaimed indignantly. "Then why didn't you speak? Why didn't you tell me?"

"Tell you!" She stared at him, his tone was so vehement. "Oh, about Betty, you mean!"

"Of course. What else could I mean?"

"Nothing, of course"——

"Really, I don't understand you."

He laughed drearily as he rose. "No, I must not explain. Goodby."

She looked up at him with startled eyes.

"You are too hard on Betty. She"—

"On Betty? Don't you know that I haven't thought of her for weeks—that I found out long ago that we had made a mistake?"

"Then why are you going?"

She managed to keep her eyes upon his face, though her cheeks burned and she felt almost choked.

"Don't you know that I am almost a pauper?" he said bitterly, as he turned away.

Nora took a step after him. "Are you going," she asked in a trembling voice, "because you want to make your fortune, or because—because I am too rich?"

"Nora!"

She covered her face with her hands.

"Oh, if you were not in love with Betty, didn't you see—didn't you guess weeks ago"——

The voices of the chaperons were loud in condemnation when the engagement was announced, and the mothers of younger sons and ungilt titles declared that Lady Hewitt had allowed her niece to throw herself away; while Betty Oakhurst shook her pretty head and reflected sadly that men were fickle creatures and that feminine friendship was but a broken reed.—London World.

JOE JEFFERSON'S LONG SNOOZE.

There Was No Pretence and the Resonant Snore Was Genuine.

While he was playing "Rip Van Winkle" at Chicago Jefferson once went to the theatre very much exhausted by a long day's fishing on the lake. As the curtain rose on the third act it disclosed the white haired Rip still deep in his twenty-years' nap. Five, ten, twenty minutes passed and he did not awaken. The audience began to get impatient and the prompter uneasy.

The great actor doubtless knew what he was about, but this was carrying the realistic business too far. The fact was that all this time Jefferson was really sleeping the sleep of the just, or rather of the fisherman who had sat eight hours in the sun. Finally the gallery became uproarious, and one of the "gods" wanted to know if there was going to be "nineteen years more of this snooze business."

At this point Jefferson began to snore. This decided the prompter, who opened a small trap beneath the stage and began to prod Rip from below. The fagged comedian fumbled in his pocket for an imaginary railway ticket, and muttered drowsily, "Going right through, 'ductor."

At this entirely new reading the audience was transfixed with amazement, when all at once Jefferson sat up with a loud shriek, evidently in agony. The exasperated prompter had jabbed him with a pin. Consciousness of the situation came to him and the play went on after that with a rush.—Philadelphia Post.

How It Happened.

The house surgeon of a London hospital was attending to the injuries of a poor woman whose arm had been severely bitten. As he was dressing the wound, he said: "I can not make out what sort of a creature bit you. This is too small for a horse's bite and too large for a dog's." "Oh, sir," replied the patient, "it wasn't an ankimal it was another lydy."—Washington.

THE CROSS OF LILIES.

"You shall not go—I would rather see you dead at my feet."

"I shall go, father—some day." And so she went out of his life.

He was an old Puritan—grim, ascetic, dead to all pleasure and amusement. There were but three things for him: his Bible, his sword and his daughter. He had laid aside his sword, for he was growing old; but the Book was always by him, and he loved to interpret it in his own harsh fashion. And then his daughter—but she had gone.

She was young and beautiful, panting for all that makes life sweet and grateful—for love, for triumph, for the applause of thousands. She had resolved to be an actress and to have them all. She was stifled in that ugly, square house in Scotland. So one day she disappeared, and James Gordon was left alone with his Bible.

Meanwhile Ruth Gordon's name was on everyone's lips in London. Her beauty had brought her all she had ever dreamed, more than she could ever have hoped. It was the last night of the burlesque wherein she made herself famous. The house was crowded, and she excelled herself in every song and dance. At the close of the piece the stage was covered with bouquets from admirers—from men she knew and from men who wished to be known to her.

Then, when the curtain had gone down for the last time, she picked up one or two of the offerings and went off to the dressing room. One she held in her hand had attracted her by its uncommon shape and condition. It was a half-faded cross of white lillies. She threw it contemptuously on her table, and pressed the other—the gift of a young earl—to her lips.

"Who dared send me that shabby thing?" she said to her dresser, and then picked it up, from sheer curiosity to see the name of the man who had ventured to offer it. She dropped it, and uttered a cry of surprise and pleasure, then picked it up again and kissed it passionately. The label read: "To my daughter. Come home. I am angry no more." Truly it was the happiest day of her life—a triumph and reconciliation.

She left for Scotland that night. How slowly the train crawled on through the darkness! She could not sleep, and she watched the lighted towns go by one by one until the dawn.

She drew near her home, and the scenery became more familiar. Every spot she passed was bright with memories of childhood. The train slowed down and stopped. She got out, left her luggage at the station, and walked towards her home.

In ten minutes she had reached the house. It looked more cold and grey than ever after the brilliance of London. She hammered at the door, waited for a minute or two, and then struck it again. Presently faint shuffling footsteps sounded in the hall, the door opened slowly, and Jeannie, the old servant, confronted her. She threw herself on the old woman's neck and kissed her

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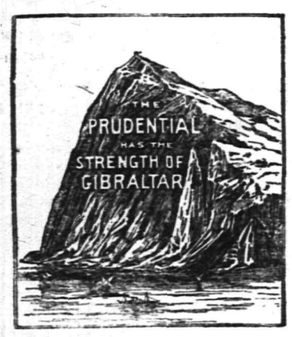

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WHIST

The "Big Four" whist team of the Park Club, having won all the honors they care to, have decided to withdraw from future contests. The team has had a memorable career and won many notable victories. The "Little Four," recently organized, is starting in at a good pace. They have already won the two matches played and under the coaching of the "Big Four," there are no reasons why they should not achieve fame and glory for the famous Park Club.

GOLF.

There will be playing on the Park Golf Club course this afternoon, and a tea will be given in the clubhouse. While the good weather prevails there will be playing on the links every week.

JAMES KELLEY'S DEATH

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.

head had not been caused by a bullet. It was only a flesh wound at the scalp, did not penetrate to the skull and was ragged and apparently caused by the man having a hard, backward fall and striking on a nail or sharp edge of something. The skull was not fractured and the brain was in good condition except evidences of concussion, as if from a fall.

When the body was opened, however, the entire aspect was changed by what was revealed. The stomach and intestines were found to contain a quantity of arsenical poison, paris green, sufficient to kill several men. The County Physician at once expressed a belief that Kelley had taken the poison with suicidal intent and had crawled into the freight car to die, sustaining the injury to his head by falling while doing so.

Kelley's funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and 2:30 from St. Mary's church.

Col. Scott's Sickness.

Several articles published in the Plainfield papers since the begining of Colonel Scott's illness have given the impression that the comfort which he enjoys as a private patient in a private room at the hospital are due to the kindness of a well-known gentleman of the borough. Since these publications have caused such widespread misapprehension of the fact, it is proper to state that, though much kindness has been shown, and invitations have been received from many sources, Col. Scott occupied his present quarters as the "guest" of no one, and that whatever bills he may make while there, will be paid by himself.

A friend of Colonel Scott.

—A meeting to which all are invited will be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening Philip Van-Arsdale will conduct the meeting.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Annie Cheneski, of Somerville, is visiting Miss Mamie Mehl, of New street.

Andrew Vanderbeek, of West End Park, has returned from a visit in North Branch.

J. S. VanArsdale, of the treasury department at Washington, has been visiting friends here.

W. W. Stratton, of East Third street, was called to Newark today to attend the funeral of a friend.

The Misses Waring, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Waring, of Park avenue, who have been making a tour of Europe for several months, are expected to arrive home by Thanksgiving.

Polk Miller, who furnishes the entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course Thanksgiving night, is endorsed by Thomas Nelson Page, Chauncey M. Depew, Mark Twain, Bill Nye, ex-Gov. Fitzhugh Lee and the Governors of Virginia and Florida.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of Loughlin against Butscher, for possession of premises. Murphy & Blatz are for the plaintiff. In the cases of Crane & Mundy against Pierson; against Wolverton; and against Brotherhood, all on contract and returnable the 16th, 17th and 18th. In the case of Codington against Goldsmith, on contract, returnable November 18th.

Debated a Big Question.

The members of the Plainfield Law Debating Society and the North Plainfield High School debaters met last night and debated the question whether the United States ought to annex the Phillipine Islands or not. Prof. Wightman, Attorney Francis J. Blatz and Justice H. S. Thomas were the judges and decided in the affirmative that the Phillipines should be annexed. The North Plainfield High school had the affirmative.

Want to Be Red Men.

At the meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe last night nine applications for membership were made. Ten were proposed last night, so there are now nineteen already secured for adoption the first of next month. At that meeting the entire board of great chiefs will be invited to be present. A committee of three, consisting of Past Sachems Westphal, Allen and Johnson, were appointed to arrange for a collation.

Commissioners of Appeal to Meet.

Tuesday, November 22d, the Commissioners of Appeal will meet and consider the objections of dissatisfied property owners who think that their assessments are too high. It is said that an unusually large number of owners will appear before the Commissioners this year.

—W. A. Woodruff is having his office papered.

—C. Frank French is building a new house on Somerset place, near Somerset street.

—The bill board next to Powlison & Jones, on East Front street, blew down yesterday.

—A number of large crosswalks are being laid in the borough to take the place of small and inferior ones.

—An interesting praise and prayer meeting was held at the First Baptist church last evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. W. O. Chapman led the meeting and there was a large attendance.

—A regular meeting of the Women's Relief Corps was held last evening and routine business was considered. At the next meeting of the Corps the annual inspection will take place, at which time the department officers will be present.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

—There will be baptism at the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow morning.

—The Monday Evening Whist Club will meet next Monday evening for regular play.

—Francis J. Blatz's fast trotter, with a record of 2:41, has been laid up for several days.

—The Grace M E. church parsonage is now enclosed and the interior work is being pushed rapidly.

—The collection at the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow will be for the board of home missions.

—You can escape that regular winter cough if you buy some of Van-Emburgh's warm underwear.

—Next Thursday night there will be an entertainment given by the Busy-Bee Club in Filmore Baptist church.

—Word has been received telling of the death of Mrs. MacFarland, wife of George W. MacFarland, of Trenton, who is well-known in this city.

—If you want fine footwear at economical prices, made of good wearing leather, all fall shapes and styles, go to Flynn Brothers, 222 West Front street, near Music Hall.

—The work of clearing the wreck on North avenue where the recent fire destroyed A. D. Thompson's building, was started yesterday. In a short time contracts will be given out for the erection of a new building.

—The Womens' Temperance Aid Society, of Reform Hall, ask the generous public for donations of cast off clothing of all kinds and discriptions, for the worthy poor, all articles may be left with Mrs. J. S. King, 226 West Second street, christian relief committee of W. T. A. S.

BATCH OF PLUCKY TELEGRAPHERS.

Bravery of Staff of the Cable Company at Bombardment of Cavite.

During the whole of the action of May 1, when Cavite was bombarded by the American squadron, the staff of the cable company, from the superintendent downward, were at their posts, although their office was situated only 200 yards from a Spanish battery, which several times opened on the American ships. Fortunately, however, the latter did not reply. Having completed the destruction of the Spanish fleet and Cavite arsenal, the American Commodore lined his ships up in front of Manila, with their guns trained on every shore battery, with the evident intention of commencing a bombardment should a single shot be fired on his squadron from any of the batteries. The operators of the cable company were all this time in their office, transmitting the telegrams which were handed to them, as if nothing unusal was happening. On the evening of May 2 the Hong Kong cable became interrupted. Two of the servants of the company immediately proceded to the cable house on the beach, which was within a stone's throw of a battery, then threatened by the American guns, and, having set up a testing apparatus, found that the cable was broken about ten miles from shore. From that time to the end of the war the telegraphers stood by their office day and night, although the building was repeatedly struck and pierced by bullets from the insurgent forces, who had been maintaining a determined attack on the Spanish intrenchments in the neighborhood. Altthough they were given by the directors permission to retire to a place of safety, they never left their posts.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

FANNY KEMBLE'S DRIVER.

She Paid His Extraordinary Charge and Continued to Employ Him.

A story is told of Fannie Kemble, whose favorite summer resort was Lenox, that on her first season there she employed a self-respecting villager, who had a comfortable turnout, to drive her about. He, feeling it to be his duty to make the drive as entertaining as possible, began to call her attention to the beauty of the scenery—which she wished to enjoy undisturbed—and to tell her who lived in certain houses as they passed along, until finally Mrs. Kemble, being unable to stand it any longer, said, in the high-tragedy manner somewhat peculiar to her: "I have engaged you to drive for me, sir, not to talk."

The driver ceased talking, pursed up his lips, and in all their subsequent drives his only remarks were such as he found necessary to address to his horses. At the end of the season he handed in his bill for the summer services. Running her eye down its awkward columns, she paused at an item she didnt understand.

"What is this, sir? I cannot understand it?"

"With equal gravity he replied: "Sass. I don't often take it, but when I do I charge."

She paid the bill without comment, and continued to employ the same driver during many summers she spent there.—Chicago Tribune.

"This train makes a good many stops."

"Yes. It is a milk train. It is probably stopping for water."

THE PULPIT SUBJECTS

SERVICES IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES TOMORROW.

What Plainfield Ministers Will Talk About for the Elevation of the Minds and Morals of Their Congregations.

St. Mary's (R. C.) church, Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor.—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; evening devotions at 8.

St. Joseph's (R. C.) church, Rev. William H. Miller, pastor.—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; evening devotions, 8.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service, with a celebration of the Holy Communion. Rev. E. M. Rodman will officiate.

Congregational church, West 7th street, Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, sermon to young men; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, Christian Endeavor service. An annual report of the Woman's Board meeting will be given by Mrs. Martin Welles, of Westfield.

Wilson Memorial chapel—Evening, Rev. Dr. Nelson will preach; violin solo by Clarence Mills.

First M. E. church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—10:30 and 7:30, public worship and preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League vesper service.

Hope chapel, Rev. G. K. Newell, pastor—10:30, preaching; 3, Sunday-school; 8, Communion of the Lord's Supper.

Grace M. E. church, Rev. G. W. Gardner, pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "The Caleb Spirit;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7, Epworth League devotional meeting; 7:45, sermon, subject, "The Far Country of Sin."

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "The Christian's Safe Deposit;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:30, a service in the interests of young men will be held, and the pastor and F. K. Andrews will speak.

A public meeting will be held at the home of William Koryer, on East Third street near Washington street, at 10:30, subject, "The Apostolic Plea." Lord's Supper at 11:30. All are cordially invited.

Mt. Olive Baptist church, Rev. E. E. Jackson, pastor—11, sermon, subject, "My Brother's Blood;" 4:30, People's Lyceum memorial services for the soldiers who died in the Spanish-American War; 6:30; men's meeting, special call; 7:30, sermon by Rev. G. Ross, of Virginia.

Y. M. C. A.—9:30 and 4:15, Bible study; 4:15, men's meeting, William Hauptman, of the Chinatown mission, and later of Co. E, 22d Reg't., N. Y. Vols., will speak, and Thomas A. Cuming and a male choir will sing; boy's meeting, address by Physical Director C. E. A. Heywood.

Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor—Day of prayer for young men, 11, sermon, subject, "Danger;" 3, Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League; 8, sermon, subject, "Youth Triumphant."

Filmore Baptist church, Rev. W. D. Johnson, pastor—Morning subject, "Our Power Over the World;" evening subject, "Work."

First Presbyterian church, Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor—morning, sermon by Rev. J. W. Richardson; evening, series of sermons on "Questions," 1st, "Does God Lead Us Into Temptation?"

Park Avenue Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—10:30, sermon by Rev. C. E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church; 2:45, Sunday school; 7:30, sermon by the pastor, subject, "Decent Treatment for the Wayward." All sittings free.

Reform Hall—4 p. m., Percy Cannon, "The Blind Man," will lead the meeting.

St. Stephen's church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—7:30, Holy Communion; 9:45, Sunday school; 11, morning prayer, litany and sermon; 7:45, evening prayer and sermon.

Calvary Baptist church, Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor—11, Covenant meeting; 3, Sunday-school; 4, Holy Communion; 7, young people's meeting; 8, sermon, subject, "Weeping."

All Souls' church, Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, a November sermon, subject, "Life's Aftermath;" 11:50, Sunday-school, and next talk by the pastor in the early church history series will be given to the adult class on "Arius and the Ariano."

Grace P. E church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, and Rev. F. Appleton, curate—7:30, Holy Communion; 10:30, morning prayer and sermon; 2:45, young men's Bible class; 3, Sunday school; 3.15, parish Bible class; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon.

Final Decree of Divorce.

A final decree of divorce has been signed by Chancellor McGill in the case of Miller against Miller granting the prayer of the petitioner, Lena Miller, for separation from her husband on the grounds of desertion. William Newcorn was solicitor for the petitioner.

HUMAN HAIR HARVEST.

Regular Crop is Grown To Supply Switches and Wigs.

If the tresses you wear did not grow on your head they probably are imported. The United States buys more than $2,000,000 worth of hair each year, much of which is used in the manufacture of wigs and switches to supplement the cranial hirsute adornment of those whose locks are scanty.

The popular idea is that the material for switches is supplied by poor girls who, to raise a mortgage or pay the rent or something of the sort, do as the girls in story books, and go to a hairdresser and sacrifice their magnificent "crowning glories" for their family. It is true that some hair is obtained in this way, but the supply is too inconstant to be depended upon.

There is a regular hair harvest, just as regular as the wheat crop. In fact, it is more to be depended upon, drought does not affect it. This hair comes from Switzerland, Germany and the French provinces. There is a human hair market in the lower Pyrenees held every year. Scores of hair traders walk up and down the village streets, their shears dangling from their belts, and examine the braids which the peasant girls let down for their inspection. If a bargain is struck the hair is cut and the money paid on the spot.

These girls have fine hair and can raise more than one crop. A woman's hair may grow to the length of six feet. A single hair will bear up a weight of four ounces without breaking, but the hair thus heavily tried must be dark brown, for blonde hair will break under a strain of two and a half ounces.

The hair that is cut is the best. Dealers can easily tell whether the locks offered them have been cut off or combed out. They do this by rubbing the hairs through their fingers. If the hair has been cut from the head and has not been misplaced it remains in the original position. If it has been pulled or combed out and put together regardless of the direction in which it grew, one portion will slip to the right and another to the left. It does this because the jagged edges catch upon each other and pull in opposite directions.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Do not miss the opportunity of a life time and don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing anywhere else until you have been here first of all. Everything will sell fast so come at once and don't delay. Secure yourself with an overcoat or a suit at this great sale at one third its value. Be on hand early and get the first pick.

You can see more clothing at this sale and there is more clothing sold here than in any two stores in Plainfield, and is it any wonder? When you can get the finest goods here at one third the prices you have to pay in any store in the world for goods far inferior to the clothing sold at this sale.

We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale.

There is over $25 000 worth of fine clothing here in our store of the late New York failures, and we can show you three times as many suits, overcoats and trousers than any store in this city. It will all be sold immediately at less than one third of its first cost in order to raise the money. Keep this price list, bring it with you and ask for any of these bargains, and remember there are others more besides.

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7 25 worth $18 00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00. Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18 00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19 00.

Dawyer or Harriss' cassimere suits at $8 90 worth $18 00. Imported melton and covert cloth overcoats at $7 50 worth $16 75. Scotch cheviot sack suits at $4.50 worth $12 00. Boys' school suits at $1 60 worth $2 75. Childrens' suits, age 3 to 8 years, at $1.00 $1.25 and $1 50 worth double. Working pants, 75c.

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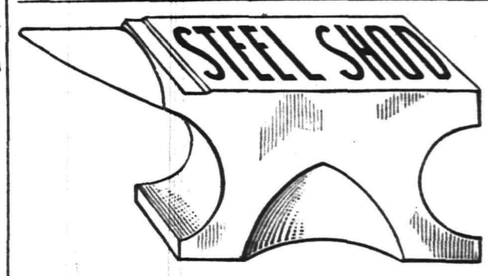

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Sun Sets 4:42 p. m.
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PRINCETON TIGER DOWNED OLD ELI.

Many Plainfielders Witnessed the Great Game.

SIXTEEN THOUSAND THERE.

THE GREATEST FOOTBALL GAME PLAYED IN JERSEY.

Charles Dupee Was a Substitute on the Yale Team But Did Not Get a Chance to Play—Plainfielders of Both Universities in the Cheering Squads—Princeton Won by a Score of 6 to 0.

(By a Staff Representates.)

Princeton, Nov. 14.—The Princeton Tiger is purring most melodiously today, for did not the stout sons of Old Nassau defeat their old rivals from Yale in the greatest football game of the season Saturday afternoon. All Princeton is jubilant. The game was positively exciting from start to finish and the sixteen thousand people, who witnessed the contest from the great stands that surround Brokaw Field, Princeton, yelled themselves hoarse over it. It was the greatest contest ever fought on the gridiron in Jersey and the deatils of the fight will furnish stories for the Princeton students for many moons.

Plainfield was well represented among the crowd. Among the body of Princeton students, a thousand strong, that cheered and sang all through the game, were Arthur W. Lederer, 1902, and Thomas D. Blair, '99, both of Plainfield. The other students from Plainfield, half a dozen in all, occupied seats in the eastern and southern stands. Orange and black was united in the eastern stand and predominated in the two end stands. The bonny blue of old Eli waved in the western stand with here and there at the ends a standard of Nassau. There was a score of old Princeton students who had come from Plainfield to root for their old college. In addition there were several hundred enthusiasts who wore the orange and black. They came from Plainfield by the way of New York, Elizabeth and New Brunswick.

On the side lines, where the followers of Yale congregated, there was Charles Dupee, of Plainfield, clad in his mole skins and ready to take McBride's place at full back should he be injured. Dupee, however, had no chance as the Yale full back stuck it out for the whole game. Raymond A. McGee, who was forced to give up his chances for left tackle on account of a game knee, was also noticed on the side lines watching the play. He came to Princeton with the 'varsity squad although in no shape to play.

Plainfield has for years sent many of her sons to Yale, and there were a number of them amongst the big crowd of Yale rooters who occupied the cheering section in the west stand. Then there was a goodly delegation of Yale graduates among whom S. St. John McCutchen figured prominently. Senator and Mrs. Charles A. Reed and the Senator's brother occupied seats on that stand. Charles H. Lyman sat near by.

Governor Voorhees sat on the east stand in the midst of a band of howling Princetonians. Former President Cleveland and his wife were on the same stand, all bedecked in orange and black.

Harry Woltman, 1902, of Princeton, entertained several members of the Bachelors Club, a Plainfield organization of which he was a member. They occupied seats on the south stand near a party of Somerville young people. Another party of young people from Plainfield who wore the blue, was chaperoned by Mrs. F. H. Andrews, of Central avenue.

Aside from the Yale men and their families, most of the Plainfield enthusiasts wore the colors of Old Nassau.

The game itself was well worth witnessing. The results were somewhat of a surprise to those who had followed the showing of both teams in other games. The veteran line of Princeton, from which so much was expected, fell before the determined rushes of the Yale backs. The Princeton line, however, held well on the kicks while the Princeton ends were down the field every time, a thing in which the Yale ends were lacking.

The sensational run of Poe's on which the touchdown was made showed that the Princeton coaches had prepared their charges to take advantage of every misplay of Eli's supporters. When Poe went down the field, the crowd broke into the wildest enthusiasm. Dignity was thrown to the winds and the Princeton rooters rose up in a body and let forth a yell, the echoes of which reached even to

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CLIMAX CLUB WINNERS.

THEY CAPTURE TROPHY OFFERED BY PETERS' CARTRIDGE CO.

Last Contest Held on the Grounds of the Climax Gun Club Saturday, But the Attendance Was Rather Poor.

Owing to the open season for game shooting, the attendance at the final tournament of the New Jersey Central Trap Shooters' League Saturday was not at large as the occasion deserves. Only two complete teams put in an appearance at the grounds of the Climax Gun Club, the Reservoir Club of New Brunswick having but three representatives and the Dunellen Club but four. Had either of these clubs put in full teams they would have had a chance to become owners of the handsome loving cup which had been presented for competition by the Peters' Cartridge Co., of Connecticut, through their Eastern representative, T. H. Keller. Previous to Saturday's shoot the Climax Club had scored three wins for the trophy, the Dunellen Club two and the Reservoir Club two. A win on Saturday for either would have tied the Climax Club and a shoot off would have been necessary. The win of Saturday now makes the Climax Club absolute owners of the trophy. The league did much toward exciting a new interest in trap shooting in this vicinity and has been the means of bringing the sportsmen of Union, Somerset and Middlesex counties together and it is hoped after the game season closes that the league will be revived. The first of a series of live bird tournaments will be held December 1st at New Brunswick by the Reservoir Gun Club.

Following is the score:

Peters' Cartridge Company trophy contest.

CLIMAX GUN CLUB, OF PLAINFIELD.

C. Smith	14
Keller, Jr.	16
Goodman	12
Darby	12
Swody	11
	69

BOUND BROOK GUN CLUB, OF BOUND BROOK.

Tingley	14
J. Zeglio	15
Hobart	13
Jackson	9
S. Terry	9
	60

DUNELLEN GUN CLUB, OF DUNELLEN.

Apgar	19
Manning	16
Brantingham	16
Cramer	20
	61

RESERVOIR GUN CLUB, OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Bissett	17
Belloff	12
H. B. Smith	18
	40

Regular club shoot of Climax Gun Club: Brantingham, 23; Keller, 22; C. Smith, 21; Manning, 20; Swody, 19; Goodman, 18; D. Darby, 16; Keller, Jr., 16; O. Terry, 15; C. Louber, 13.

The low scores in the trophy contest are accounted for, as the affair was not ended until it was too dark to see the targets. Consequently the last ten birds shot at by each man was hardly a test of skill.

DEATH OF MRS. SARGEANT.

Died at Her Home in Brooklyn—Was Well-Known in Plainfield

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sargeant, of 455 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn, aged 71 years, died Saturday morning after a two weeks' illness of pnumonia. Mrs. Sargeant was quite well-known in Plainfield, as she frequently visited the homes of relatives in this city. She was an aunt to Chief T. O. Doane, also to J. Hervey, Charles E., and John H. Doane. She was also a cousin to Mrs. A. L. Force and a niece to Mrs. Sarah Bradshaw, of the borough. Her funeral will take place this evening at 7:30 from her late residence, and the interment will be private. Mrs. Sargeant had been a great sufferer for many years with asthma. She was a devout Christian mother, willing and fully prepared to change her earthly home for the glorious one that awaited her in Heaven.

Special Services in Warren Chapel.

There will be special meetings in Warren chapel every evening, except Saturday, of this week, at 8 o'clock. The speakers will be: Monday—Rev. H. W. Hathaway, of Elizabeth; Tuesday—Rev. G. W. Gardner, of Grace M. E. church; Wednesday—Rev. G. K. Newell, of Hope chapel; Thursday—Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., of Crescent avenue church; Friday—Rev. G. K. Newell, of Hope chapel. All are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

An Illustrated Lecture.

An illustrated lecture entitled "With the Workers in France," will be delivered by Mrs. Mitchell Tyng, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church Saturday evening. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the McAll Auxiliary and will tell of the work of that organization.

Democratic Association to Meet.

The next meeting of the Democratic Association will be held Thursday evening of this week. Important business in relation to the approaching city election will be transacted.

—Press want ads bring results.

COLLEGE Y M C.A. WORK

FRED H. ANDREWS DESCRIBES IT AT TRINITY CHURCH.

Opening of the Week of Prayer Instituted by the Y. M. C. A.—Mr. Andrews' Talk Was Very Interesting.

An interesting service was held at Trinity Reformed church last evening in behalf of the young men and the week of prayer for them as instituted by the Y. M. C. A. This is an annual affair and usually services of a similar nature are held in all of the local churches.

Councilman Fred H. Andrews was present at Trinity church and made a short address along the line of work being carried on for young men in the preparatory schools and colleges of this country. The devotional exercises were in charge of the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., and a feature was the special music given by a double male quartette consisting of F. S. Runyon, Thomas A. Cuming, A. J. Moore, H J. Martin, H. J. Martin, Jr., Nelson Runyon, Charles Hummer and L. A. Hummer. The singing was thoroughly enjoyed as was also an offertory solo by Mr. Cuming.

Pastor Schenck read as the Scripture lesson the parable of the young man and the vineyard, very appropriate to the occasion, and after offering prayer, he made a few remarks on the subject of "Young Men's Ideals," as based on the 16th chapter of Psalms and eighth verse.

Following Mr. Schenck's remarks, Mr. Andrews was introduced. During the past six years Mr. Andrews has held the position of State secretary of the work for college and preparatory school students and is well informed on the subject and work. Today there are between five and six hundred Y. M. C. A. Associations among these colleges and smaller schools from Maine to Washington. Mr. Andrews spoke of the work being carried on in Princeton College, how committees from the Y. M. C. A. would make it a point to see the freshmen that enter college each year and to secure their interest in Christian work. He spoke of the four places in this country where annual conferences are held for college men, namely: Asheville, S. C.; the Pacific slope, Lake Geneva, Wis.; and Northfield, Mass., and he spoke of the great work accomplished at these places every year. He spoke of some young men in the west who rode in a cattle train two days and one night to attend one of these conferences. In conclusion he spoke of the work being carried on in foreign fields, and how at one conference in India there were 1,230 students present. He spoke of the World's conference at Northfield, when twenty-six countries were represented. In the opinion of Mr. Andrews he thinks the world is getting better, and he made an earnest appeal to the young men present to accept of Jesus Christ as their King and Savior.

Promoted in His Work.

C. E. Ball and family, of North avenue, remove to Dover, Morris county, tomorrow. They have a host of friends in Plainfield who are sorry to learn of their removal. Mr. Ball has recently been promoted by the Prudential Insurance Company, as superintendent for the Dover district. The Press compliments Mr. Ball on his appointment and the Prudential on their selection of so worthy a person.

A Sacred Concert.

The choir of the First Baptist church, under the direction of E. J. Fitzhugh, will at an early date give a sacred concert and Mendelssohn's "Athalie" will be given in full. The work comprises several beautiful solos and choruses. The choir will be augmented for the production. The concert will be given some evening during the week at the First Baptist church, and the date will be announced later.

Interesting Men's Meeting.

The Sunday evening men's meetings at the Seventh-Day Baptist church were resumed last evening. A special effort will be made this year to have them unusually interesting. They will be for men of all denominations. Last evening Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis gave a very interesting talk on "Higher Education for Business Men." Despite the fact that the evening was an unpleasant one, there was a good attendance.

Organ Stopped Suddenly.

The self-control of the members of Grace P. E. church was well shown yesterday morning. In the midst of the Te Deum, the electric motor got out of order and the organ suddenly become silent. The choir, without a break, continued to sing and finished the piece as well as though the organ had accompanied them all the way through.

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its regular meeting this evening.

HORSE CAUSES TROUBLE.

MR. HETFIELD SAYS TENEYCK DROVE IT TOO HARD.

TenEyck Borrowed Animal to Move Some Household Goods—Went to Irvington and Returned During the Evening.

Oscar TenEyck borrowed a horse belonging to Hetfield & Gallop Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Hetfield says he only borrowed it for an hour. Twelve hours later Mr. Hetfield saw the horse hitched to a broken truck on East Front street near Caspar's Hotel. The driver, he says, was drunk. This morning, the driver was held accountable in the City Court.

This morning Oscar TenEyck was arraigned before City Judge DeMeza on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. William G. DeMeza appeared as his counsel and entered a plea of not guilty. His side of the affair was not heard. Mr. Hetfield, however, related to the court what the trouble was.

According to Mr. Hetfield's story, TenEyck came to him early Saturday morning and asked the loan of a horse for an hour as he wanted to move his goods and chattels. The colored man had been in the employ of the firm. Mr. Hetfield told him that he might have the horse and there would be no charge. At 9 o'clock he came after the horse and put it to one of Carey's trucks. Then, Mr. Hetfield says, he drove clear over to Irvington after some household goods. He returned during the evening and the truck broke down on East Front street blocking the trolley tracks. It was necessary to unhitch the horse and lead him home and run the truck into a neighboring alley.

According to the story of Mr. Hetfield, TenEyck was drunk while the horse was dripping with sweat as if he had been driven very hard. Mr. Hetfield told the circumstances to Patrolman Totten who arrested TenEyck and locked him up in the city jail for the night.

As the witnesses for the complainant were not present, the Judge set the case down for trial Saturday morning.

FUNERAL OF C. F. WALZ.

Six of His Young Companions Acted as Pall Bearers.

The funeral of Charles Francis Walz was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents on LaGrande avenue. The attendance was large, many of his young friends being present. Rev. Dr. Richards officiated and made the remarks, and Rev. G. Kennedy Newall offered the prayer.

The choir from the Crescent Avenue church rendered two hymns effectively, "O Mother Dear, Jerusalem," and "For All Thy Saints." The pall bearers were six young men, all of whom were intimately acquainted with the deceased. They were Morris Dumont, Carroll L. Runyon, Van R. Schuyler, Henry Leal, Edward Kline and Stanley Hunter. Interment was in Hillside.

DEATH OF ISAAC COLTHAR.

One of the Borough's Oldest and Most Respected Citizens Dies of Consumption.

Isaac Colthar, of Grandview avenue, one of Somerset county's oldest and highly respected citizens, died at his home at 4 o'clock yesterday morning in the eightieth year of his age. Death was due to consumption, and Mr. Colthar had been a sufferer for a long time. He was born near Martinville, and for a great many years followed the trade of carpenter. For a number of years past he has lived a life of retirement, partially on account of his illness. He was a Christian man and always was considered upright and fair in all his dealings. He leaves two daughters and one son. Notice of funeral will be given later.

Little Anna McKenna Dead.

This morning at 3 o'clock occurred the death of Anna McKenna, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna, of 198 Grove street. The little one had been ill for some time and death was not wholly unexpected. The parents have the sympathy of a host of friends in their bereavement. Announcement of the funeral services will be made later.

Offering for Missions.

The yearly offering for the American Baptist Home Mission Society will be taken at the First Baptist church next Sunday morning. An address will be delivered by Gen. T. J. Morgan, who was associated with ex-President Harrison in the Indian affairs when the latter was President.

A Plainfielder Heard From.

William J. Stephenson, formerly of this city, but now chief cook on the U. S. S. Gunboat Essex, has been heard from. His boat left Portsmouth this morning for Newport, R. I., where they will remain for a time. Mr. Stephenson is well and getting along nicely.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

SUSPECT TO NEWARK.

NEWARK DETECTIVE TOOK FROELICH TO HEADQUARTERS SATURDAY.

Police Are Confident That the Young Man Knows More About the Death of His Friend Than He Has Already Told.

The police of both Plainfield and Newark are pretty confident by this time that Charles Froelich knows more about the death of James J. Kelley than he cares to tell. They do not say that Froelich is guilty of any great crime, but the fact that his story does not correspond with the facts ascertained from other sources, certainly gives the appearance that he is concealing something.

The circumstances of Kelley's death still remain a mystery. The theory that he was shot has long since been given up, as the wound found on his head was plainly shown on examination to be caused by striking some pointed object in falling. The autopsy that discovered the Paris green in the dead man's stomach gave rise to the theory of suicide. The mystery that hangs about it and the behavior of young Froelich has aroused the suspicions of the Newark police, and they are now inclined to think that Kelley did not meet death at his own hand.

Saturday afternoon Chief Grant and Sergeant Kiely, of the Plainfield force, went to Newark and held a conference with the police authorities there. Chief Grant advised that Froelich be sent for as the Plainfield city jail was a poor place in which to keep him. At Newark, Froelich might be confronted regarding the story he told of his happenings the night of Kelley's death.

Saturday night a member of the detective force of Newark came to this city and took charge of Froelich. Froelich was immediately taken to Newark by train and locked up there.

The remains of young Kelley were brought to Plainfield Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, and taken to his home by Undertaker Cole. Yesterday afternoon, the funeral was held from the house at 2 o'clock and from St. Mary's church at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Father Smyth officiated. There was a large number of friends of the deceased present at the services. There were also many floral tributes. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

MRS. N. P. ROGERS WON.

Defeated Miss VanBoskerck in Close Match on Park Club Links.

There was a goodly number of golf enthusiasts on the links of the Park Golf Club last Saturday, and especially in the morning was the course crowded. There were no special features excepting the contest between Mrs. N. Pendleton Rogers and Miss Maude VanBoskerck for the lowest score. It will be remembered that on election day Mrs. Rogers made the lowest score for the women and thereby secured the silver loving cup offered as a prize. Miss VanBoskerck was second and only one point behind with a score of 135. Mrs. Rogers made a score of 134. Mrs. VanBoskerck felt sure that she could lower her score and Mrs. Rogers also felt that she could maintain a low score. The contest took place last Saturday morning, and Mrs. Rogers won. It is quite likely that another friendly contest will be arranged between these two enthusiasts. In the afternoon there was a large number of players on the links and some excellent scores were made. A tea was given in the club house during the afternoon, and Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen, assisted by Mrs. E. T. Douglass, presided. The tea was well attended and was a decided success. Next Saturday afternoon another tea will be given by some of the lady members.

FRIGHTENED AT PAPERS.

Exciting Runaway at Dunellen Yesterday—No One Was Hurt.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 14—Peter Steven's horse ran away and caused quite a little excitement near the Whittier schoolhouse yesterday morning. Stevens and his family, who live in Stelton, were on their way to visit friends in Dunellen, when near the schoolhouse a bunch of papers blew out in front of the horse and frightened him. One shaft became lose, and the horse ran as far as the railroad track drawing the carriage by one shaft and a small strap before Mr. Steven could stop him.

Tandem Came to Grief.

Two young men who said they were from Amboy, took a spill from their tandem yesterday afternoon at the corner of Seventh street and Park avenue. The front wheel became loose, and threw the riders, neither one of whom were hurt. The tandem was not damaged, so the front wheel was adjusted and the couple rode on.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

QUICKLY PASSED AWAY.

MRS. EDWARD VANDERWEG, OF EAST THIRD STREET, DIES SUDDENLY.

Was Working at the Home of Charles L. Peterson, on Watchung Avenue—Death Was Caused by Apoplexy.

While in the performance of her duties at the home of Charles L. Peterson, of 221 Watchung avenue, this morning, Mrs. Vanderweg, wife of Edward Vanderweg, of 224 East Third street, died of apoplexy. For three years past Mrs. Vanderweg has been employed by Mr. Peterson to do washing at his home. She came as usual this morning and seemed to be in her usual good health.

It was about 11 o'clock that she was standing at the wash-tub, when Miss Peterson noticed that Mrs. Vanderweg acted strangely She spoke to her, but Mrs. Vanderweg made no reply. This excited Miss Peterson's curiosity and she walked to where Mrs. Vanderweg was standing. She found that she was leaning against the window and that she was unconscious. She immediately called her father, and Mrs. Vanderweg was carried to a front room. Dr. J. B. Probasco was sent for at once, and after examination he pronounced the illness apoplexy. He then went for Dr. Murray, and when the two physicians returned Mrs. Vanderweg was dead. During her short illness she had two or three spells, but from all appearances she did not suffer much pain.

As soon as death occurred, word was sent to Patrolman Martin Vanderweg, son of Mrs. Vanderweg, and he in turn went to Roselle, where his father is employed to tell him of the sad news. The body was removed later to the home on East Third street. Mrs. Vanderweg leaves a husband, and three sons. Two of the sons, Martin and William, live in Plainfield, and John, a younger son, lives in Connecticut.

Mrs. Vanderweg had lived in this city for many years, where she was respected by all who knew her. She was a good wife and a kind mother. She will be missed very much in the circle in which she moved. Announcement of the funeral services will be made later.

FUNERAL OF JACOB LONG.

Attended by Relatives and Friends From All Over the State.

The funeral of the late Jacob Long was held this morning at 11 o'clock from his late home on Craig place. The officiating clergymen were Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor of Trinity Reformed church, and Rev. Mr. Nelson, a retired clergyman and a personal friend of the deceased. Both clergymen made comforting remarks.

Elmer E. Runyon sang two solos, "I Would Not Live Alway" and "Nearer My God to Thee." The pallbearers were the four sons—William H. Long, J. S. B. Long, Jacob Long, Jr., and Dr. Monroe B. Long. Interment was in Hillside. The services were well attended by relatives and friends from all over the State.

NEARLY LOST HIS WHEEL AGAIN.

Stranger Frightened Away Just as he Was About to Steal Bicycle.

Frank Dencklau, of East Second street, is beginning to believe that his bicycle is fated. Saturday evening, he left it on the piazza of his home while he went on an errand. Soon after, his brother came around the house and noticed someone standing by the wheel. He supposed it was Frank until the man made a sudden break for the front gate and ran away down Second street. It was too dark to see who the stranger was but from his actions it was very evident that he was after Dencklau's wheel. Dencklau has decided to take wonderful precautions in the future.

Arranging Anniversary.

The members of the missionary and social committees of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will meet tonight at the home of Miss May Thompson, on Belvidere avenue, in the interests of the tenth anniversary of the society to be observed November 25th.

To Take Better Position.

Edison Brown, who for some time past has been the efficient night operator at the local telephone office, has secured a lucrative position with an electric power plant at Bristol, Conn., and will leave Plainfield in a short time to assume his new duties.

Editor McBride in Town.

Editor Charles McBride, of the Elizabeth Journal, was a welcome visitor at The Daily Press office today. He was called to Plainfield on the sad mission of attending the funeral of the late Jacob Long, who was a personal friend.

—The macadamizing of Summit avenue is progressing favorably. The course of large stone has been laid, and is now being rolled in.

FARMERS' CARD IS THE WINNING ONE NOW

It Bears an Inscription Warning City Sports.

TO KEEP OFF POSTED LAND.

FARMERS PROPOSE TO HAVE A CHANCE AT GAME, TOO.

They are Tired of Having a Horde of Modern Nimrods Swoop Down Upon Their Farms and Slaughter all the Best Game Before They Get Their Guns Cleaned—Prepared to Enforce the Law.

The modern Nimrods, attired in canvass jackets, shod in high top boots, accompanied with packs of dogs and retinue of servants, equipped with the latest rifles and possessors of all other details of hunting paraphernalia on an elaborate scale, who have in years heretofore invaded this section on the opening days of the hunting season and ruthlessly shot down all game that they came across, are this year euchered. The farmers hold the winning card this year, on which appears the following in good plain type:

NO TRESPASSING.
On these grounds
With dog or gun.
Under penalty
OF THE LAW.

In former years the city sportsmen, both from New York and the larger cities in New Jersey, have invaded the splendid hunting preserves in the Washington and Passaic valleys and along the Watchung range of mountains unhindered, but since Thursday, when the open game season commenced, they have found their hunting expeditions blocked on every side by the above formidable and omnipresent notices. In the open ground these cards can be found posted in great number on fences, and in the woods many trees are covered with them.

The farmers have always complained that city hunters appeared at the opening of the hunting season in such a horde that by the time the agriculturists could get down their guns and have them cleaned the game was pretty well annihilated. Under a recent State law farmers are now authorized to arrest, without a warrant, all trespassers and illegal hunters on their lands, and in this way where the trespass law was virtually a dead letter previously it is now enforced in a vigorous manner. In many sections the farmers have banded together for mutual protection, and sorry be it for the city sportsmen who invades posted ground.

Besides the individual efforts of the farmers the city sportsmen are also confronted with the Union, Somerset and Middlesex Counties' Game Protective and Propagating Association, which has leased several hundred acres of farm land in the three counties and stocked it with young game during the summer months. The association has fully-posted all their preserves and in co-operation with the game wardens and the farmers, who are made members of the association if land is leased of them, trespassers are kept off the preserves in the knowledge that violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

This attitude of the farmers and the game association is particularly grievous to the city hunters this year in view of the fact that game is unusuallly plentiful and fat now.

Another Popular Sale.

Another of those popular Saturday night sales took place at Woodhull & Martin's last week, and was as well patronized as the first. The goods placed on sale are all first-class, and the customers have found that out. Beginning at 6 o'clock the sale lasted until nearly midnight, and would have lasted longer, but some of the stock gave out.

A Fund to Purchase Instruments.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 14—Dr. J. Ackerman Coles, of Scotch Plains, on Saturday presented to the Newark Eye and Ear Infirmary two bonds of $500 each as an endowment fund for purchasing surgical instruments for the institution. The fund is to be known as the Dr. Abraham Coles Surgical Fund.

Annual Meeting of Primary Union.

Next Thursday afternoon and evening the annual meeting of the Plainfield Primary Teachers' Union will be held in the First Baptist church. Miss Harlow, of John Wanamaker's Sunday-school in Philadelphia and will teach the lesson for next Sunday. In the evening she will give an address. All are invited to attend.

—The Women's Association of the Congregational church will hold a sewing meeting in the church parlors Thursday afternoon

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SPAIN MUST GIVE UP

Positive Orders on the Philippine Question.

COMMISSION IS INSTRUCTED

A Special Night Meeting of the Cabinet is Held. Further Discussion as to Right of Spain to Consider Disposition of Philippines Must Cease.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The cabinet held a special session Saturday night at which instructions, understood to be of a positive character, bearing on the Philippine question, were drafted for dispatch to the American commissioners in Paris. These instructions were the outcome of a conference held earlier in the day.

They instruct the American representatives to admit of no further discussion as to the right to consider the disposition of the islands, and state that on that point the instructions already sent must stand, the only matters for discussion being the manner of giving over the islands.

A special cabinet meeting was held earlier in the day to consider a dispatch received from Judge Day, in Paris, in which he informed the president that the Spanish commissioners had asked for additional time to prepare their reply to the proposition submitted by the United States.

Although the president and his advisers are exceedingly anxious that the negotiations should proceed as rapidly as possible, the request for additional time was granted, and the Spanish commissioners will have until next Tuesday to prepare their reply.

The meeting, which was called by the president in the morning, lasted until one o'clock. As a cabinet meeting on Saturday is unusual, many reports were afloat as to the urgent and critical character of the subject considered.

But the members of the cabinet said most positively at the close of the session that nothing of a critical or disturbing character had developed at Paris or had been under consideration.

The attitude of the insurgents in the Philippines has given the administration considerable uneasiness, for it is feared that if they are allowed to continue their hostile activity there may be protests which this government will be compelled to regard. The difficulty in the situation is that the insurgents are operating at points outside the island of Luzon, where the United States has never been in actual possession and where it would be difficult to place any troops to maintain the status quo.

Nevertheless, it is believed to be incumbent on this government to do something in this direction, and the military and naval authorities at Manila will be so advised.

The president has received a personal message from Judge Day thanking him for his inquiry as to the judge's health and saying that he was very much improved.

Fleet to Gather Here.

New York, Nov. 14.—As soon as the slight damage to the propeller shaft of the battleship Texas has been repaired there will be a fine naval show off Tompkinsville, where the vessels of the North Atlantic squadron will assemble preparatory to sailing in company for Hampton Roads.

In the fleet will be the cruisers New York, Brooklyn, Newark and New Orleans, and the battleships Indiana, Massachusetts and Texas. The New York will be the flagship.

Every one of these ships will be in the pink of condition. The battleships have been provided with new rapid-fire six-inch guns in place of the old-fashioned weapons they formerly carried. All the ships have been repainted. The Indiana and Massachusetts will probably leave the navy yard in a few days and join the New York off Tompkinsville. They are now ready to sail.

The Brooklyn is ready for sea. She has just taken on 600 tons of coal, which Captain Cook believes will last until she arrives at Norfolk. The Brooklyn still proudly carries two battle scars, one at the top of an exhaust pipe and one on the after smokestack.

Oldest Actress Dies.

New York, Nov. 14.—Clara Fischer Maeder, who was supposed to be the oldest living actress, died Saturday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Post, New street, Metuchen, N. J. Mrs. Maeder was 87 years old. She was born in England July 14, 1811, and at the age of six years made her first appearance on the stage in England as a child actress. This was on December 17, 1817. For years she was known as the child wonder of the English stage.

She came to this country in 1827 and made her first appearance in "A Lottery of Love" at the Park theatre in New York. She afterward became a prominent actress in this country and gained great fame in supporting Wallace, Forrest, Brougham, McCready and Keene.

Her last appearance on the stage was in 1888, when she appeared with Daly's company in this city. She was then nearly eighty years old.

Lord Aberdeen's Successor.

Quebec, Nov. 14.—The Earl of Minto, the new Canadian governor general in succession to Lord Aberdeen, arrived here on the steamer Scotsman from Liverpool, accompanied by his wife and family and suite. He was met at the landing stage by Lord Aberdeen and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, several members of the cabinet and some of the provincial lieutenant governors. The party drove to the provincial legislative buildings, where the new governor general was sworn in.

Kaiser Returning Incognito.

Beyrout, Nov. 14.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany sailed from here at six o'clock yesterday morning on board the Hohenzollern. The imperial yacht will first call at the island of Rhodes for dispatches and will then sail for Malta.

The emperor will observe the strictest incognito throughout his return journey.

POSTOFFICES AND POSTMASTERS.

Annual Report of Fourt Assistant Postmaster-General.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The report of Mr. Bristow, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General, for the year ending June 30, 1898, is a succinct but comprehensive review of the operations of that branch of the postal service which comes within his jurisdiction, and contains much information of general interest concernng postal matters.

The report shows that at the close of the fiscal year there were 73,570 postoffices in the United States—3,816 Presidental and 69,754 fourth-class. The net increase for the fiscal year was 2,548. The state having the largest number of Presidental postoffices is New York, with 330, followed by Pennsylvania, with 284; Illinois, 257, Iowa, 212, and Ohio, 208. The States having the greatest number of fourth-class offices are Pennsylvania, 4,871; New York, 3,394; Virginia, 3,297; Ohio, 3,175; and North Carolina, 2,898. In compensation Massachusetts heads the list, showing an average compensation for her fourth class postmasters of $336 a year, followed by Rhode Island, $319, and Connecicut, $283.

PEACE REIGNS IN WILMINGTON.

No Further Clash Between Whites and Blacks.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 14.—Wilmington is rapidly settling down to its normal quietude. There has been no further clash between the races. The new city government is exerting every effort to reassure the negroes so that they will resume their labors at the cotton compresses and the shipping wharves

The mayor has sent negro messengers through the woods adjacent to the city to urge hundreds of their race, who are in hiding, to return to the city and assure them that they may come back to the city with perfect safety. Many of them, men, women and children, are reported in a starving condition.

The coroner's jury held an inquest Saturday morning over one of the negroes killed in the riot. The verdict was that the negro came to his death at the hands of parties unknown to the jury. This verdict will apply to all of those killed.

The board of aldermen has elected a new police force of one hundred men. They will serve for thirty days or longer, at the discretion of the mayor and chief of police.

Manley, Negro Editor, Here.

Asbury Park, Nov. 14.—Al Manley, the colored editor, who fled from Wilmington, N. C., where his newspaper office was wrecked by a mob has reached this place. It is believed that the fugitive came here with another colored man named Butler, and that the two travelled together as far as New York. Manley is living with his sister, who is the wife of the Rev. I. N. Gibbs, pastor of the Colored Methodist church in West Asbury Park. He is a slender young fellow of pleasing appearance, and is intelligent.

Manley left Wilmington two days before the race riot, and said that he knew nothing about the events following his departure, excepting what he had read in the newspapers.

He was reticent, and left the impression that he was reserving a complete story of the exciting events for publication later on.

Yale vs. Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 12.—Fifteen thousand persons witnessed the football game between Yale and Princeton on Brokaw field this afetrnoon, which resulted in a score of 6 to 0 in favor of Yale. The play was like this: After the first five minutes Yale forced the play and got to Princeton's 12-yard line. There she fumbled the ball, and little Poe, quick as a flash picked it up, eluded two Yale backs and ran the length of the field for a touchdown. That was the play that spelled victory for Princeton. Yale kept her foe on the defensive all the rest of the half. In the next half Yale started in to get a touchdown right off, but lost the ball. The fight waged in midfield till toward the end, when Princeton forced the pace close to Yale's goal line, but could not score again.

Roosevelt Selects Youngs.

New York, Nov. 14.—William J. Youngs, district attorney of Queens county, has been selected by Governor-elect Roosevelt to be his private secretary, and Mr. Youngs will accept the place.

Mr. Youngs has been a personal friend of Colonel Roosevelt for many years. He lives near him in Oyster Bay.

Mr. Youngs accompanied Colonel Roosevelt on all his speaking tours through the state in the campaign having entire charge of the train and the itinerary.

The salary of the governor's private secretary, in total, is $5,000 a year—$3,500 as secretary and $1,500 as bill clerk in the executive chamber.

A New Cunard Liner.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 14.—The new Cunard steamship Ultonia, arrived at this port Saturday morning on her maiden trip across the Atlantic.

She was launched at Newcastle, England, June 6, and was fitted out at that port for the trade between Liverpool and Boston. She is a large twin screw cattle and cargo vessel.

Weather Station at San Juan.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Nov. 14.—A branch of the West Indian and South American service of the United States weatherb ureau is being established in San Juan. Dr. M. W. Harrington is in charge of this office, his assistant in the work is Clyde Lomon, and F. R. Randolph is aiding in the establishment of the bureau.

Li Hung Chang Shelved.

Pekin, Nov. 14.—Li Hung Chang has been ordered to proceed to Tsi-Nan, capital of the province of Shan-Tung, to adopt measures with the viceroy of Shan-Tung to prevent future inundations of the Lellow river (Hoang-Ho).

This appointment is regarded as virtually shelving Prince Li.

HOLLAND BOAT TESTED

Submarine Craft Given a Trial Before Naval Board.

RESULT IS SATISFACTORY

The Strange Vessel Ran Swiftly on the Surface or Under the Water and Her Diving Apparatus Worked Admirably. The Boat is Certainly a Wonder in Naval Construction.

New York, Nov. 14.—With United States naval officers on board directing and controlling its movements, the submarine torpedo boat Holland was put to an official test in the lower bay yesterday before the naval board of inspectors and survey from Washington, with a view to the purchase of the boat by the government.

For the first time the boat was directed by government officers, and the inspection was the first made by all the members of the board, among whom was Captain Robley Evans commander of the Iowa.

Fighting Bob examined the strange manoeuvres of the wonderful little vessel with a critical eye, and seemed pleased when the inspection was ended, for the test was the most successful that has yet been made with the Holland.

She first discharged an eleven-foot torpedo in the harbor, then put to sea and went through a remarkable programme, diving, plunging under and out of the water like a porpoise, running at full speed under the surface, and reversing swiftly while submerged.

Lieutenant W. J. Sears, inspector of ordnance in the navy, who arranged the torpedo test, said the official trial of the boat had been very successful.

Two large parties accompanied the Holland. The members of the board of inspection and survey, with other naval officers, and the owners of the Holland, were in one tug; a second was reserved for the newspaper men and artists.

Composing the naval board were Captain Frederick Rogers, the chairman; Commander William H. Emory, Lieutenant Nathan Sargent, recorder, and Captain Evans.

The Holland lay at the Atlantic Yacht Club moorings at the foot of Fifty-ninth streeet, South Brooklyn, where the inspecting party with Mr. Holland, the owner of the boat, landed.

Several changes had been made in the torpedo boat since its former trials. It lay in the water with but little more than the conning tower showing above the surface. It still bore a steel upright, or mast, fore and aft, one flying the Union Jack and the other the Stars and Stripes.

Its crew was composed of H. C. D. Nindermann, who was with Lieutenant De Long on his Arctic exploration in the Jeannette; Matthew Addison, F. C. Cable and Henry Myers.

When the signal was given to cast off, at noon, Lieutenant Sargent, who inspected the boat last spring, and Chief Engineer Lowe descended through the conning tower to superintend the manoeuvres, and work the boat themselves.

In response to signals from the tug, the Holland then turned seaward and ran at cruising position—that is, barely on the surface—out through the Narrows and to a point two miles south of the Orchard Shoal light.

The sea was almost as calm as a mill pond. There were no craft cruising about to make diving dangerous.

In response to signals from the tug, the Holland first ran for ten minutes to the northwest, completely submerged, only her two little flags showing above the water.

Lieutenant Sargent had been standing in the conning tower steering the torpedo boat.

At the order to submerge, he quickly pulled down the cover of the tower and the boat sank out of sight. After running swiftly to the northwest, she came to the surface, and turning about ran submerged in the opposite direction.

Her air and water compartments, by which she sinks or rises, worked without a hitch and she sank like lead. This began a series of dives. She ran swiftly forward and a moment later her nose dipped into the waves, her stern tilted into the air, and she dived like a duck, her flags disappearing beneath the surface.

For three or four minutes nothing could be seen of her. Three hundred yards away to the right she suddenly rose out of the water and glided over the surface. There were murmurs of admiration and approval among the members of the board.

Next the Holland made a series of four dives in quick succession, rising above and sinking beneath the waves like a porpoise, and followed this feat with a dive in which she completely reversed her position

Priest Attacked With Dynamite.

Scranton, Nov. 14.—Because the Rev. John Orloroskie, pastor of the Duryea Polish Catholic Church, refused to accede to the demands of a gang of desperadoes and pay them $100, a dastardly attempt was made on his life Saturday night. As it was the entire front of his home was wrecked with dynamite. The stoop was shattered, windows broken and the church, about sixty feet distant, also damaged.

The priest received an anonymous letter written in Polish about one month ago which when translated read as follows:

"You must pay us $100 in money or we will murder you and blow up your house. The money you can place in a bottle and leave it buried in the ground right under the cornerstone of the church. Do not expect a second demand."

Dr. Orloroskie paid no attention to the demand, and this fearful work followed.

Guns from Spanish Warships

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 14.—The German steamship Senior, from Santiago, with guns taken from the Spanish cruisers Maria Teresa, Viscaya and Oquendo, and the Colon's safe, arrived here Saturday

A PECULIAR REMEDY.

Something About the New Discovery for Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. I. Bell, a highly esteemed minister residing in Weedsport, Cayuga Co., N. Y., in a recent letter writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the Dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten years except the new remedy called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating and again after long years CAN SLEEP WELL. Rev. F.I. Bell, Weedsport, N. Y., formerly, Idalia, Colo."

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HAVANA QUIET AGAIN.

Orden Publico Force Disbanded After a Partial Payment of Arrears.

Havana, November 14.—The Orden Publico force, cavalry and infantry regiments, has been disbanded after a part payment of arrears has been made. The trouble leading to the disbandment of the force began with the protest of the Third Company on Thursday morning before the Palace. At that time General Solono, chief of the staff of General Blanco, addressed the men and led them back to their quarters on Compestela street, where the men gave cheers for Spain and General Blanco. General Arolas, Military Governor of Havana, ordered more than 4,000 troops quartered in the outskirts of Havana to march into the city, where they arrived at nightfall. At the head of a portion of these troops General Arolas marched toward the Orden Publico quarters, where the protesting Third Company was drawn up in the street under arms. The regulars refused to charge or fire upon their brother soldiers, who were finally persuaded to retire to their quarters.

Baring these slight incidents, the military authorities have maintained thorough control of the city. The sum total of the casualities Thursday night was three: A lieutenant on General Arolas' staff, wounded in the right hand; one Orden Publico wounded slightly, and another wounded seriously. The city has again resumed its normal tranquillity, although regulars are still quartered in the principal streets and parks of the city as a precautionary measure. It was expected by the leaders of the demonstration that the Guardia Civile and part of the artillery brigade would lend their support, but they did not.

J. B. Caldwell of the Quartermaster's Department, who is suffering from proved slightly to-day.

FINDING THE MARIA TERESA.

An Official Report to The Navy Department from Commander Craven.

Washington, Nov. 14.—An official report to the navy department of the finding of the Maria Teresa was contained in the following cable dispatch received from Commander Craven of the wrecking tug Potomac, which had been ordered to Cat island from Santiago:

Nassau, Nov. 12.

Secretary of the Navy, Washington:

Potomac arrived. Maria Teresa near Bird Point, Cat island, one mile off shore in two fathoms of water. Tide rising and falling inside. Temporary deck broken up, movable articles removed by natives. Vulcan not seen. Natives at work since Saturday.

The Potomac was ordered at once back to Cat island with instructions to Commander Craven to take possession of the Teresa and drive off the wreckers who are looting the ship.

He replied by cable that he would start immediately and would arrive at the wreck in the morning. The fact that the Teresa, a vessel drawing in trim twenty-three feet of water, and waterlogged as she was when abandoned, probably drawing nearly thirty feet, should have been driven into 13 feet of water is regarded by naval officials as evidence of the great strength of the storm which caused her crew to abandon her.

A Subsistence Depot at Manila.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—By direction of the secretary of war, under the provisions of an act of Congress approved July 17, 1898, for increasing the efficiency of the subsistence department, Manila, Philippine islands, is designated as one of the important depots to which officers of that department are assignable for the purpose of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies, to take effect from this date. Lieutenant Colonel David L. Brainard, chief commissary of subsistence, is assigned to the duty of purchasing and shipping subsistence supplies at that depot, and while on such duty will have the rank of colonel.

The Hist Compelled to Return.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 14.—The auxiliary gunboat Hist, with General Wood, has been compelled to return on account of bad weather.

General Wood will leave on the Hist some time next week for Gibara and other north coast points.

Mr. Brooks, a planter of Guantanamo, is in the city. He says that he is working half a force, but will not invest capital until America announces her intention as to giving Cuba a stable government.

Mr. Brooks and family have lived in Cuba forty years.

Banking Records Broken.

New York, Nov. 14.—The weekly bank statement issued Saturday by the Clearing House was of unusual interest, as it showed that two banking records had been broken, the average daily deposits of the associatd banks, $777,000,000, being larger than in any previous week, and the average daily loans, $687,867,400, also surpassing in size those for any week in the past, despite the fact that the week had only five business days.

Jerry Simpson to Give Up Politics.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 14.—Congressman Jerry Simpson, who was defeated in the Seventh district by Chester I. Long, concludes a statement in explanation of his defeat, as follows:

"As for myself, I shall seek office no more. I shall, at the expiration of my term in Congress, retire to my cattle ranch at Medicine Lodge and participate in politics only to help out the Populist party whenever my services are in demand."

Mrs. Guilford on the Lucania.

London, Nov. 14.—On the Cunard line steamer Lucania, which sailed Saturday for New York, was Mrs. Nancy Guilford, the Bridgeport, Conn., midwife, who has been extradited to stand trial for the murder of Emma Gill of Southington, Conn.

Detective Cronan of Bridgeport is in charge of the prisoner.

M'MILLAN TO ENGLAND

The Senator From Michigan to Be Hay's Successor.

ALGER TO TAKE HIS SEAT

Inference Is that Governor Pingree Will Appoint Secretary of War for Unexpired Term. Will Relieve the Administration and at the Same Time Protect Alger's Feelings.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—United States Senator James McMillan of Michigan is to succeed Secretary of State John Hay as ambassador to Great Britain, unless Secretary Alger and a few of his personal friends have been misinformed.

The statement came so directly from a gentleman who is in a position to be advised on the subject that it may be considered absolutely accurate.

The suggestion of Senator McMillan for the English mission is not new, as the subject has been frequently mentioned in Michigan politics, and also at the National Capital since the first report was circulated that Secretary Alger would retire from the McKinley cabinet.

The statement that Senator McMillan was willing to relinquish the remainder of his term in the Senate to go to the court of St. James has never been directly denied by the president, Secretary Hay or Senator McMillan.

All efforts to obtain an authorized confirmation of the report have been equally futile, but at the same time those who are closely associated with Senator McMillan and Secretary Alger in unguardedmome nts during the last few weeks have stated without qualification that the incident is as good as closed, so far as Senator McMillan's appointment by the president is concerned.

Of course the inference is that when McMillan resigns his seat in the Senate Governor Pingree of Michigan will appoint Secretary Alger to fill out the unexpired term, which lasts until March 3, 1901.

This is the plan said to have been agreed upon between the president, Secretary Alger, Senator McMillan and Governor Pingree some time previous to the recent elections.

The subject has been kept in the background pending the campaign, but the Michigan men are now looking forward to an early culmination of the project, which will relieve the administration of the services of Secretary Alger without inflicting serious wounds upon his personal pride. A seat in the United States Senate is balm enough to heal almost any political wound.

Senator McMillan is now rounding out his second term in the Senate, and he has no further aspirations in that direction.

The novelty of being one of the richest members of that distinguished body and in addition being regarded as one of the ablest and most astute councillors in the Republican party, has passed, and he is said to be willing to go to the court of St. James during the remainder of the McKinley administration.

Secretary Alger has evidently grown weary of being made the scapegoat for all the mistakes of the war, and he would not hesitate to resign his seat at the cabinet table, with all its multifarious responsibilities and accept a governor-given senatorial toga at the hands of his personal friend, the executive of the state of Michigan.

1st New York Ordered Home.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—The First regiment of New York volunteer infantry, now doing duty at Honolulu, has been ordered home by the War Department. Major General Merriam, commander of the department, has received a despatch from the department instructing him to recall the regiment immediately.

This sudden and most unexpected recall of the New York regiment from Honolulu is the result of the recommendation made to the War Department by General Merriam on Friday.

The last report received here by the department commander from Brigadier General King showing that the regiment was badly off from a sanitary viewpoint, as many of the men were ill with fever, and the disease seemed to be on the increase.

Troops Ordered to Savannah.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—With a view to their transfer to duty in Cuba, the following troops, now on their way from Porto Rico, have been ordered to go into camp at Savannah, Ga.: Batteries C and F of the Third artillery, B of the Fourth artillery and D of the Fifth artillery; Troop B of the Second cavalry and Troop H of the Sixth cavalry.

The Second artillery, with the exception of two light batteries now at Huntsville, has been ordered to Savannah, and attached to General Lee's corps.

Nearly all this regiment is now stationed in the northeastern states.

Merrimac Hero Honored.

Stuart, Ia., Nov. 14.—Osborne Deignan, one of the men of the Merrimac, arrived here yesterday and was met by five hundred people, who escorted him home. Eighteen or twenty girls surrounded him at the depot and attempted to kiss him, but he pushed all back, saying that there were handsomer men in the crowd tahn he.

The municipal authorities presented Deignan with a sword and Governor Shaw and other prominent Iowans made speeches.

Diegnan ran away from his home here years ago.

Tin Company Assigns.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 14.—Raible Smith & Co., manufacturers of tin plate ware at Preston and Lampton streets, filed a deed of assignment on Saturday in the county clerk's office. Christopher Wright was named as assignee. The liabilities and assets are estimated at $70,000 each. The plant employs about one hundred people.

WORK OF WAR BOARD.

Members Expect to Conclude Their Duties by January 1.

Washington, D. C., November 14.—All the members of the War Investigating Commission except ex-Governor Woodbury, were present at Saturday's session, which was devoted to a discussion of the work of the sub-committee, which went to the Western cities and to prepare for the New York and Boston trip. There are eight or ten important witnesses to be examined here before leaving for New York, but the commission hopes to go next Thursday night. A large number of complaints have been received from that city and the opinion was expressed that two weeks' might be put in there. Among the witnesses who will be heard before leaving for New York are Generals Young, Humphrey and Breckerridge, Colonels Knox and Forward and Dr. Huidekoper, each of whom was identified with the conduct of the Spanish war in some important capacity. General Young and Colonel Knox participated in the Santiago campaign, the latter being wounded in the fight at El Caney. Dr. Huidekoper has been much criticised as an army surgeon, and he has sought an opportunity to go before the board for his vindication.

General Doyle, Colonel Sexton and Dr. Conner gave the other members of the board a great deal of information concerning their Western trip, which they consider was productive of important developments. General Dodge expressed the opinion that the commission would be able to conclude its duties by the 1st of January next. It is not yet decided whether the commission or any of its members will visit Cuba and Porto Rico.

SCHLEY PRESENTS HIS REPORT.

Command of the European Squadron Promised to the Admiral.

Washington Nov. 14.—Admiral Schley has presented to the president, the secretary of state and the secretary of war copies of the report of the Porto Rico evacuation comission. This report contains a record of the proceedings of the commission from day to day, all the interesting features of which have been published. In the main it is nothing more than a transcript of the daily record of proceedings of the commission, noting each proposal made to the Spanish commissioners and their counter proposals, and closing with an account of the ceremonies attending the end of Spanish sovereignty and the assumption of control by the United States forces.

The admiral is looking thin and worn as the result of his labors afloat and ashore. He desires to take a rest in the mountains for a few weeks before undertaking any active duty.

Troops to Withdrawn.

Carlinville, Ill., Nov. 14.—Adjutant General Reese of Springfield has notified Sheriff Davenport that the remaining troops guarding the Chicago-Virden Coal Company's shaft at Virden should be removed.

Since the differences between the coal company and the miners have been settled the troops are no longer needed.

The grand jury adjourned Saturday until Monday. Great pressure is being brought to bear by influential persons that nothing shall result from its investigations.

A prominent member of the jury admitted that such was the case. He indignantly declared that it was the intention of the grand jury not to be affected by any outside pressure.

Camp Black's Flagstaff Brought $125.

Hempstead, Nov. 14.—After a public auction which was held Saturday, at Camp Black, the post passed into a memory. Lieutenant William Weigel, the commissary of the camp, held a public auction in which all the government buildings were sold to the highest bidder. The bidding for the flag pole at headquarters was spirited. Several of the members of the Meadow Brook Hunt Club and some of the other residents of the neighborhood were present, and all were anxious to obtain the first flagpole that was raised by government troops at the beginning of the war with Spain. The pole brought $125, and was purchased by Timothy Tredwell of East Williston.

Schley To Get Fine Command.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Admiral Schley, having asked again for sea service, has been promised the command of the European Squadron.

This squadron will be re-established in a short time with some of the finest cruisers in the navy to exhibit the American Flag credtably to the European nations.

Colored Colony to Go to Cuba.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 14.—Kansas will furnish the first colony of immigrants to settle in Cuba from the United States. John T. Veny, a colored Baptist preacher, well known in Topeka, has made arrangements to establish a settlement of colored people near Santiago, and expects to start from Topeka with about thirty families in twenty or thirty days.

Gen. Greely Favors Hawaiian Cable

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—General Greely, chief signal officer of the United States army, is in this city.

He will inspect the electrical work in the harbor. He strongly favors the establishment of a cable line between San Francisco and Honolulu.

The Siamese Minister Received.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The newly arrived Siamese minister, Phya Visddha, was presented Saturday by Secretary Hay to the president. He was received in the Blue parlor and the customary addresses were exchanged.

The Oregon and the Iowa at Rio.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—The battleships Oregon and Iowa have arrived at Rio to take part in celebrating the anniversary of the creation of the Brazilian republic. The supply ship Celtic was with the battleships.

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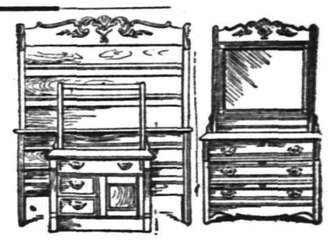

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Twentieth Day of December

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Tree Planting In Cities.

In not a few of our cities, large and small, associations have been formed for the purpose of encouraging the planting of trees. The householder is urged to set them out in front of his residence, and every inducement is pressed to persuade those associated with public institutions to follow the example on a larger scale. In many of the New England towns and cities, as also in the west and south, beautifully umbrageous streets frequently add greatly to the charm of the ensemble and the comfort of the inhabitants, but it is more frequently the case that the tree, such a splendid fact in the perspective, is altogether wanting in the city street.

Many of the most lauded streets of great foreign cities, which excite the admiration of travelers, are not so superior in splendor of buildings or in that bigness of impression derived from width of thoroughfare, or in any advantage of mere location and thoroughness of care. It is the noble avenues of trees, framing with their splendid greenery the handiwork of man in architecture and blending their softening and harmonizing effects with the stiff lines of structure. On the side of health and comfort certainly nothing more need be said to enforce the value of an abundance of tree growth in cities, at least away from the purely commercial sections. A generally awakened sense of this element of street decoration and comfort would revolutionize the appearance of most American cities in the next quarter of a century and immensely add to the satisfaction of the urban dweller. Every public and private encouragement should be given to these tree planting associations. On this kind of initiative depends the success of not a few needed reforms, as hundreds are too busy to think out and act on them by themselves.

Figures From Union.

The Union County Election Board Saturday afternoon completed the official canvass of the vote of the county at the recent election, except that cast for Coroner, as, owing to the vote of Cranford Township for that office being missing, the total vote could not be computed.

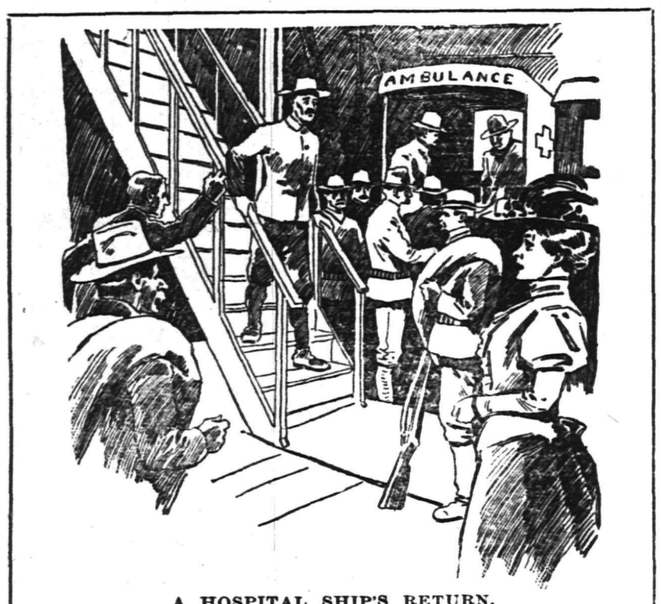
The vote for Governor was: Voorhees, 9,272; Crane, 7,032. Voorhees' plurality, 2,240. For Congress: Fowler (Rep.) 9,242; Snyder (Dem.) 6,801. Fowler's plurality, 2,441. For Senator: Cross (Rep.) 9,054; Ford (Dem.) 7,074. Cross's plurality, 1 980. For Assembly: Houston (Rep.) 9.292; Squire (Rep.) 9,059; Murray (Rep,) 9,049; Collins, (Dem.) 6 857; Scudder (Dem.) 6,981; Higgins (Dem.) 6,826.

There is a general feeling among the local Republicans that it will be a good thing if the Democrats place a regular ticket in the field. The Republicans are very much opposed to a Citizens' ticket, as they claim that there is no unity in it, and the city officials elected on it are responsible to no one. The Republicans are really more confident of defeating a Democratic ticket than the Citizens' ticket, believing that there are many Republcans who, although somewhat dissatisfied with the present administration, would hardly bring themselves to vote the Democratic ticket.

Governor-elect Voorhees and Former President Cleveland were both present at the Princeton-Yale game Saturday, but they were as pigmies in the eyes of the cranks who were there with them to see the fun. What a kaleidoscope nation we are.

Old Li Hung Chang has been reduced in official rank again. Still, the old fellow is a good ways from where he started. In the give and take of Chinese politics he can afford to drop down a peg, if in doing so he doesn't jeopardize his neck

The Newark Advertiser printed a list of available New Jersey Republicans to succeed Senator Smith in the highest legislative body in the United States, and John Kean's name was conspicuous by its absence. What does it mean?



A HOSPITAL SHIP'S RETURN.
The hospital ship Missouri arrived in New York, from Porto Rico, October 29th. She had on board 276 soldier and civilian patients. Ambulances were on hand to convey the sick to the hospitals. There were 44 seriously ill. Two died en route from Ponce. All spoke in high terms of their treatment on the Missouri.

It is reported that Lottie Collins, of Ta-ra-ra boom-de-ay fame, tried to commit suicide owning to domestic troubles. If this is really so, Lottie is a fit candidate for a museum to exhibit as the only music hall artist who has taken domestic troubles so seriously.

"Sockless Jerry" Simpson in his hour of defeat says that there are other Congressional elections to be held. Evidently Jerry hopes to see his star in the ascendancy again.

The name of Senator Reed is mentioned as a possible selection for President of the State Senate at the approaching session of the Legislature.

The United States Senatorship race in New York is a free-for-all. In New Jersey it is supposed to be closed to all but John Kean.

It is a good thing that Col. Roosevelt's head is too big to let the Platt collar drop down around his neck.

The person that can't talk "horse" needn't try to get into New York society this week.

Senator Smith that is will soon have to be satisfied with the title of Senator that was.

When it cames to being sporty, what's the matter with Princeton?

You're a dandy, Poe.

'Rah for the Tiger.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

Of the Councilmen who hold over for the next Council there are three regular Republicans and four Councilmen elected last year on a Citizens' ticket. The result of the coming election will therefore decide the political complexion of the new Council. The Democrats of the city have reorganized and are preparing to put a regular Democratic ticket in the field. Last year they supported the Citizens' ticket. The disgruntled Republicans object to uniting with the Democrats and are thinking of putting up an Independent or Citizens' ticket, as last year. This may result in there being three tickets in the field, which would increase the chances of the Republican ticket—Plainfield Correspondent in Tribune.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

The great importance of having Pearl street macadamized from Somerset street to Watchung avenue has impressed itself on Mayor Wilson, of the borough. He recognizes that if the street was macadamized it would afford a pleasant and substantial outlet for people living in Washington Park and all parts of the borough to Watchung avenue and the railroad station without passing through the crowded business part of the town. In view of these facts His Honor made a canvass through the street and learned that only one per cent of the people living thereon are willing to contribute to the improvement. The Mayor says, however, that he hopes to see the street macadamized in the early spring.

—The P. O. S. of A. will initiate one candidate tonight.

—The Laire Hardware Company make a new announcement to Press readers today. Read their advertisement for bargains.

—John Mowrey, of West Front street, and party spent Friday hunting through parts of Hunterdon coudty, and returned at night with 70 rabbits and 3 quails.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

That good old comedy drama, "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," will be seen here in Music Hall tomorrow night. A review of the play says: Henry Chanfrau, in "Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," played to a crowded house last evening at the Academy of Music The play and the player were not simply applauded, but cheered long and loud. The gallery fairly screamed at times, and Mr Chanfrau was called before the curtain several times. Mr. Chaufrau, in the title role, held the audience well. His acting was simple and effective, and characterized by great earnestness. Edward Maynard was a typical villian, and succeeded in gaining the ill will of the audience at the start. W. D. Stone and Lawrence Barbonr as the "Judge" and the "Major" were excellent, and kept the audience in roars of laughter. Miss Sara MacDonald, as "Alice Redding," proved herself a capable and pleasing actress. The other roles were well played, too. The levee scene in the second act gave a chance for some good singing and banjo playing, which received loud applause. The company is under the management of Jesse D. Burns.

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The bill that is offered at Proctor's Twenty-third Street Theatre, New York, for this week, is as strong as usual in names, and in entertaining qualities. It is headed by sprightly Nellie McHenry, who only made her first appearance in vaudeville a week ago, but who already bids fair to become one of the most popular of vaudeville stars, judging by the enthusiastic welcome she is receiving nightly at Mr. Proctor's uptown house. The merry little farce, "Patchwork," in which she appears is an excellent vehicle for the display of her lively talents, and she is, besides, most excellently supported by John G. Webster and others. Marie Wilma, the latest European sensation, will give her unique sand painting exhibition; Manus and Mazett appear in their screamingly funny acrobatic comedy, "The Tramp and the Brakeman;" Miss Minnie Methot, a vocalist of great personal beauty and the companion of Remenyi and of Urso in their concert tours, will make her first appearance in vaudeville; Hanley and Jarvis will talk amusingly, and twenty other clever people will put forth their best efforts to entertain.

TIGER DOWNED OLD ELI

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New Haven.

The day was all that could have been desired. There was a little wind at the start that caused the occupants of the east stand to draw their coats more closely but after that it died away and the afternoon was a very delightful one for players and audience.

The score was 6 to 0 in favor of Princeton, but there were times when it appeared that both sides would score. It was a great game and well worth seeing.

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All our 50c French Flannel - 39c yd
All our 50c Figured Brilliantine, 42 inch - 38c yd
All our 49c Medallions - 35c ea
A Special Lot of Ladies' Muslin Nightgowns - 50c ea

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$5 Solid Oak Chiffoniere, 5 drawers, brass handles, for the day - - 3.98
Solid Oak Sideboards, 13x26, plate mirror, lined drawer for silver, for the day 9.75
$18 grade, 18x32 beveled glass, for the day - - - 13.75
Coppered wire Bed Springs, for wood beds, two sizes only, 4x6 and 4.4x6, (value $2.50) - - 1.75
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, October 14.—Yesterday was a big day for the trolley, and the cars running from here to Bound Brook and back did a good business. Two cars were kept busy yesterday, carrying the crowds, and these were filled at each trip except just at noon and 6 o'clock. The cars pass each other at Lincoln, where there is a turnout, but when the company get to running more than two cars an hour, it will necessitate building another turnout or two.

Rev. E. S. Jamison, of the Methodist church, preached a political sermon to his hearers yesterday taking for his subject, "Some Thoughts Suggested by the Candidates for Political Office in the Recent Election." He had a good house, and made some strong hits on the way politics are being run now days.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church are hurrying their preparations for the fair and bazaar which is to be held in Apgar's Hall next week. The programme committee have decided to have musical features, vocal and instrument, and other attractions. The proceeds go to the financial aid of the society.

A subscription is being taken up to pay for having the spire on the Presbyterian church steeple straightened. A pierce of the wood which supports the spire has rotted away so that the strong wind has blown the spire and vane to one side, and to look at it reminds one of the leaning tower of Pisa.

The Whittier School building, which underwent a thorough disenfection last week, was opened again today. The Board of Eduction say that now there can be no danger of disease germs lurking inside its walls.

A new electric light is to be placed on North avenue, near Adam Dealaman's store, which will make the dark corner near Alvah Gray's coal yard much brighter at night.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Bloomsbury, who has been visiting Miss Edna Coriell, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Manning, of Junction, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. Laring, has returned home.

A large collection was taken up yesterday morning at the Methodist church for the Episcopal fund.

Thomas Dixson, of Perth Amboy, who has been visiting Alfred Palmer, has returned home.

Miss Sophie Maltby has been visiting relatives in New York State.

The condition of Captain William Long remains the same.

Mrs. Boyle, of Somerville, has been visiting Mrs. J. Smith.

Henry Kirchner is painting his house.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 14—A change in the Lehigh Valley time-table went into effect yesterday. There is no change in the time of running the local trains.

Mrs. William Bartlet, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned to her home in Boston.

Nelson Dunn has gone to Newark to accept a lucrative position.

Miss Mazie Wendell has returned from a visit in Trenton.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 14—The stormy weather last evening no doubt kept many away from the Y. M. C. A. meeting held in the Baptist church, but as it was quite a large audience braved the weather and listened to an address by W. D. Murray, of Plainfield, who is a member of the international committee on Y. M. C. A. work. A. D. Beekon, president of the new association, made a short address explaining that the association was nonsectarian, that the object of the association would be to help the young men in the village, to furnish a counter attraction to the many pitfalls which lie in their pathway through life, and to furnish a place where they could spend their evenings in a pleasant way. Mr. Beekon said all churches in the town were supporting the movement, and they hoped in a short time to have the moral support of every one in the village. Mr. Beekon then, in a few words introduced Mr. Murray, the speaker of the evening. Mr. Murray kept his audience interested from start to finish.

Miss Mary Bornmann, who recently had an operation performed at Muhlenberg Hospital for a cancer on her foot, expects to come home this week. The operation is said to have been a successful one.

Jacob V. Coles, of Front street, is dangerously ill at his home, and on account of his advanced age small hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Miss Iva Mundy, who has been visiting her friend, Miss Sadie Reger, returned Saturday to her home in Roseville, this State.

C. Frank Sykes, of Front street, went to New York Saturday to have an operation performed for appendicitis.

Mrs. Stites M. Parse returned Saturday afternoon from a visit with relatives in Newark.

Miss Ada Miller, of Fanwood, visited friends in Plainfield Saturday afternoon.

Fred Smith, after a three days' illness, is around again.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 15.—Rev. James Danforth, formerly of the First Congregational church at Philadelphia, has been extended a call by the Board of Trustees of the Congregational church of Westfield.

A dog which was supposed to be mad visited this section on Saturday and bit several dogs but so far none of them have shown any signs of rabbies.

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—A literary entertainment will be given at Grace M. E church Thanksgiving evening.

—We are selling oysters at 30 cents per quart. Prime stock at $1, $1.50 and $2 per 100. Rogers.

—The sum of $50 was made last week by the members of Warren Engine Company on their dance.

—An illustrated lecture on the recent Spanish-American war will be given in Hope chapel next Thursday evening.

—One week from tonight the City Council will meet in adjourned session. Business of importance will be considered.

—An important meeting of the Plainfield Catholic Club will be held tomorrow evening. All the members are urged to attend.

—Next Thursday at Muhlenberg Hospital there will be a Harvest Home, and all people interested in this institution are cordially invited to attend.

—A chrysanthemum tea will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church this afternoon and evening under the auspices of the King's Daughters.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet next Friday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock in the lecture room of the church.

—A consecration meeting will be held next Friday evening at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. R. W. Barnes will lead.

—A number of Col. Julian Scott's many friends have remembered him in a pleasant way since his confinement in Muhlenberg Hospital by sending him beautiful flowers. The tokens are much appreciated.

—Last Saturday P. J. McAndrews, of this city, went to White Haven, Pa., to attend the funeral services of his cousin, John McNally, the engineer on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, who was killed last week near Wilkesbarre, Pa.

—The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the lecture room of the church, and Miss Grace Yerkes, the new president, will preside for the first time. A full attendance is desired.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Mrs. Charles Ball, of North avenue, will move shortly to Dover.

Mr. LaRue, of East Second street, has recovered from a slight illness.

Bert Schreiner, of Shaw's pharmacy, is detained at home by illness.

Miss May Bates, of West Fourth street, spent yesterday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. William Wilson, of Grove street, is detained at her home by illness.

Miss Evelyn, Lewis, of West Seventh street, is the guest of friends in New York.

Mrs. John Clapp, of Mercer avenue, spent Sunday with friends in Asbury Park.

The condition of Robert Radford, of West Front street, is reported about the same.

Miss Pierson, of Watchung avenue, will give a large luncheon party Thursday.

Mr. Thompson, of Newark, has been visiting Plainfield friends for a short time.

Miss Jessie Roberts, of Brooklyn, is visiting Miss Louise Wilbur, of East Front street.

Mr. Randal, of New York, spent Sunday with his friend, Charles Faber, of Rockview avenue.

Mr. Thatcher, a brother of H. S. Thatcher, of Chicago, is visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Miss Edith Rue, of Philadelphia, has been visiting her friend, Miss Shreve, of Grove street.

Charles Dupee, of Yale University, returned to his home on Rockview avenue to spend Sunday.

Mrs. William Wilson, of the borough, is ill at her home with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Rufus Larew, of West Fourth street, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever is able to be out again.

Miss Alys Marie Chandor, of East Fifth street, has been confined to her home for several days with illness.

Gilbert Lovell, of Crescent avenue, returned to Yale University this morning, after a short stay at home.

Peter Finger, of Washingtonville, who is confined to his home by illness, is reported as being slightly improved.

Bradford Smalley, son of Mrs. William Palmer Smith, of Belvidere avenue, is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

The Thursday Night Whist Club will meet this week at the home of Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of East Sixth street, returned to Lehigh University last evening, after a few days' vacation.

Mrs. Max Wiertz, of West Sixth street, sails Wednesday for her old home in Belgium, where she will visit her parents.

Mrs. Bleeker, of East Orange, is spending a few days with her relatives, W. C Butler and family, of East Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fitch, of Westfield, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fitch's parents, Mr and Mrs. John Darling, of Prospect avenue.

The condition of Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, who has typhoid fever, was not so well yesterday, but no alarming results are feared.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. Leonard, of Perth Amboy, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Leonard's sisters, the Misses Marsh, of Madison avenue.

William M. McCutchen, of Rockview terrace, came down to the game at Princeton Saturday and spent Sunday at home. He will return to Yale today.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, have returned from Naugatuck, Conn., where they went to attend the funeral services of Mr. Tolles' father.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Runyon, of Mountain avenue, in the borough, are guests at the home of Charles Clift, Mrs. Runyon's brother-in law, 353 Park place, Brooklyn. Mr. Clift holds the position as chief of the pumping station at Prospect Park.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—There will be an important meeting this evening of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.

—Stone Square Lodge, No 38, F. and A. M., will meet this evening and consider important business.

—There will be a meeting of Court Pride, No. 8,024, Ancient Order of Foresters, tomorrow evening.

—There will be an important communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., tomorrow evening.

—The next meeting of the Rasores Club will be held tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. William Smith, on East Seventh street.

—At the meeting of John Hand Camp, No 38, Sons of Veterans tomorrow evening arrangements will be made for the fair to be held in Washington Hall December 5th to 10th inclusive.

HOW GENERAL HOWARD YIELDED.

His Unselfishness Toward Another Officer and What Came of It.

Speaking on the law of self-sacrifice work in America, Dr. Henry Mable of Boston relates an incident of the civil war. In Sherman's campaign it became necessary in the opinion of the leader to change commanders. O. O. Howard was promoted to lead a division which had been under the command of another general. Howard went through the campaign at the head of the division, and on to Washington to take part in the review. The night before the veterans were to march down Pennsylvania avenue, General Sherman sent for General Howard and said to him:

"Howard, the politicians and the friends of the man whom you succeeded are bound that he shall ride at the head of his old corps, and I want you to help me out."

"But it is my command," said Howard, "and I am entitled to ride at its head."

"Of course you are," said Sherman. "You led them through Georgia and the Carolinas, but, Howard, you are a Christian."

"What do you mean?" replied Howard. "If you put it on that ground it changes the whole business. What do you mean, General Sherman?"

"I mean that you can stand the disappointment. You are a Christian."

"Putting it on that ground, there is but one answer. Let him ride at the head of the corps."

"Yes; let him have the honor," added Sherman, "but, Howard, you will report to me at 9 o'clock, and ride by my side at the head of the whole army." In vain Howard protested, but Sherman said gently but authoritatively: "You are under my orders."

When the bugle sounded the next morning Howard was found trembling like a leaf, and it required another order from General Sherman before he was willing to take the place assigned to him. He had, as a Christian, yielded the place to another which rightly belonged to him, and in the grand review found himself not at the head of the corps, but at the head of the army. Even worldly men know where Christians should be who laid down their lives in self-sacrifice for others.

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The rough riders who came out of the West last spring, headed for Cuba and glory, were telling stories about Col. Roosevelt. And finally a young woman, who was listening so hard that ears, eyes and mouth were all wide open, said in a rather awestruck tone:

"Do all the rough riders bow down and worship Roosevelt the way you do?"

Whereupon they wagged their heads with emphasis and Trooper Bell of Company K remarked:

"There arn't one of us that wouldn't lie down and let the Colonel walk over us if it would accommodate him. After he led us up San Juan hill, we'd have followed him anywhere, if it had been up against all the Spaniards on earth! We got to the point where, if we were on top of one of the high buildings in New York and the Colonel jumped off, every man of us would jump off, too. Yes, we would."

And Trooper Pettit said in a soft, slow way, "That's right."

"There arn't a man in this whole country," continued Trooper Bell, "no, nor in any other country, that could have done what Col. Roosevelt did with that regiment. Regular army officers wouldn't have known their men and, by Jove, if they had tried to make parade soldiers out of us they'd have lost an eye or two. We three come from the West and, I tell you, all of our crowd were looking for fight and not for exact information about the way to hold our fingers when we saluted. You can't make a parade soldier out of a cowboy in three weeks. I don't know as you could ever make one out of him. But you can make a fighter out of him in three seconds, and all you need is the right kind of a leader to keep your cowboy from fighting at the wrong time.

"The colonel was the leader we needed, and the proof of it is that you didn't hear any kick coming from him about his men, and you can listen from now till Gabriel blows his trumpet and you won't hear any kick from his men about him. You mu-n't think he was careless about discipline. When he snapped his fingures things jumped. Everything he did went with a snap. He didn't spend time fooling. When he wanted a thing he didn't ask somebody to ask somebody else to send somebody around with it. He went and got what he wanted and then he stayed by it till he got it where he wanted it. The other troops used to say:

"'Oh, yes! the rough riders! they've got this and they've got that!'

"That's all right. We did have things that the rest didn't have. And why? Simply because Col. Roosevelt hustled around and got them for us."

"Yes," said one of them, "I remember the evening of July 2—I think it was that night—when we were in the San Juan trenches. We were rather shy on provisions about that time and after figuring awhile they made out to give us two pieces of hardtack each. We'd made the most we could of our supper and I was standing by when the Colonel came up. The first thing he asked was whether we had had our rations, such as they were. They told him we had.

"'All right,' he said, 'I'll have mine now.' And he ate his two pieces of hard tack like the rest of us."

"I'll tell you one thing he did that showed the kind of a heart he's got," said Trooper Pollock. "It was when we left the trenches and went back to our last camp before we left the island. Each of us had his equipment to carry, and we had pickaxes and shovels in addition. One young fellow was pretty nearly tuckered out, and he was struggling along with his pick besides his gun and the rest of his stuff. You remember that young fellow, don't you, Bell?'

"Yes, and I'll tell you who he was. He was a son of General Babcock."

"That's so. Well, the colonel came along, and when he saw the boy he just took the pick away from him and carried it back to camp himself. And not only that, but then he carried it down the company street and put it in the boy's tent."

FIGHTING INDIAN FASHION.

Individual Firing While Watching the Movements of the Leader.

The Indian method of fighting, as shown at Leech Lake, is a unique type of warfare, and as such is a subject of great interest to foreign military men. The United States regular soldier is an expert at it and has learned to fight the Indian as the Indian fights him. Military attaches sent by foreign Governments to observe the Spanish-American war asked many questions from American officers on this topic, and considered the veteran Indian fighter, represented by such men as Generals Chaffee and Kent, as one of the best types of soldiers.

Individual fighting is the Indian style. It was so in the days before the Revolution, and a century has not changed it. The Indian has adopted many innovations taught him by the white man. He usually wears "store clothes" in these days and lives in a house, even if it is only a log hut. But he fights as his forefathers did, seeking to gain an advantage over his foe by ambush or some other form of strategy. The Indian who can hide behind a rock or tree and shoot down an unsuspecting foe who is passing is considered much more of a hero than one who will fight in the open and die bravely facing the enemy.

Indians on the warpath are commanded by chiefs, who are generally elected at a council fire. These chiefs are usually the heads of large families and command squads of from 20 to 100 men, composed of their brothers, sons, cousins and other relatives. One of the chiefs is known as "great chief," and is usually given this rank for prowess in war or hunting. He occupies something like the same relation to the forces under him that a General or a Colonel has in the United States Army, but his authority is much more restricted and is exercised only in rare cases.

The usual method in a fight such as that at Leech Lake is for the chief to advance and his men to follow him, keeping near enough to see his movements and acting in conformity with them. When the foe approaches within range general firing begins, one of the chiefs usually setting the example. When his men see him fire they fire too, and so the rattle of the guns becomes general.

It is seldom that an order is given to an Indian in battle. He follows his chief, picking out individual foes and fighting individually. His commissary and quartermaster's arrangements are attended to by squaws.

The United States regular when fighting Indians adopt their tactics only when the Indians are near. The skirmish formation is then used and the men dodge behind trees or rocks, but they listen for and quickly obey the orders of their officers. If hard pressed they usually assemble and throw up hasty intrenchments, where they can pour a collective fire into any foe that may attack them.

Had It Down Fine.

Teacher—Parse the sentence "Yucatan is a peninsula."

Pupil (who never could understand grammar)—Yucatan is a proper noun, nom'tive case, second person, singular——"

"How do you make that out?"

"First person Icatan, second person Yucatan, third person Hecatan; plural, first person Wecatan, second per——"

"Go to your seat!"—Truth.

Elsie was trying to eat a desert of gelatine, and had some difficulty in conveying the quivering spoonful to her mouth.

"Mamma," she said at length, "I don't b'lieve I like such nervous desserts."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

UMBRELLA SKIRTS IN STYLE.

Coats Seen in Connection With Bodices.—Sleeves Quite Tight Fitting.

One encouraging feature of the new fashions is the diversity of style and cut which makes them adaptable to every kind of figure. One of the prettiest skirts for the tall, slim well-rounded form is the one with the peplum overdress cut circular and shaped in deep points at the bottom. This fits the hips close without so much as one tiny plait or fullness of any sort at any point around the waist.

There are skirts and skirts, with every possible variation of trimming, but the general effect in cut is very much like an umbrella—very scant at

the top, and spreading out so immensely wide at the foot that visions of crinoline begin to loom up in the distance. The most attractive skirt, perhaps, is the one with no attempt at any fulness around the hips and an especially pretty flare around the bottom. However, it must be shunned like the plague by all women who are not blessed with almost faultless figures. The average woman is either too slim or too stout, and the one is no better suited than the other to adorn this particular skirt, for a well-rounded figure is the first element of its success.

Bodices hardly excell the skirts in variety of styles, yet there are so many and so widely diversified modes that it is simply impossible to designate any particular one as the leading fashion. There are long coats and short coats and every kind of coat between a long cutaway and a jaunty bolero jacket, yet round waists seem to be quite as much the vogue. The long coats reach to the knees and are cut straight down in front or cut away after the manner of an elongated Louis XVI. coat.

Yoke, guimpe, and vest effects are

the conspicuous features of the round waists, and pretty combinations of colors are noticeable in all the new gowns of whatever description. Lace of all kinds, silk tucked in various ways, embroidery with a mixture of soft colors, plain velvet and velvet with fine cords of satin in some contrasting color set in around at intervals of one inch, are all employed for yokes.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Aus der Rheinpfalz.

Frankenthal. Nachdem die Vorarbeiten für die Errichtung einer Baugenossenschaft hier abgeschlossen sind, soll nunmehr die Gründung eines gemeinnützigen Bauvereins erfolgen. Zweck der Genossenschaft ist die Erbauung und Erwerbung von billigen, gesunden Wohnhäusern zu der Vermiethung oder Weiterveräußerung an die Mitglieder, zunächst an Arbeiter.

Kaiserslautern. Bei einem Neubau am Gefängniß stürzte eine Mauer ein und begrub zwei Maurer unter den Trümmern; der Eine ist todt, der Andere leicht verletzt.

Mutterstadt. In der Morgenfrühe wurde dieser Tage der Landwirth Reinig vor der Wirthschaft zur Krone ermordet aufgefunden.

Neustadt a. H. Der Verein für Volksheilstätten in der Pfalz beschloß in seiner hier abgehaltenen Generalversammlung, die erste Heilstätte auf einem sehr geeigneten Terrain oberhalb des Eischbachthales (Bahnstation Albersweiler) zu erbauen.

Speyer. Der pfälzische Hauptverein der deutschen Lutherstiftung hat für das abgelaufene Rechnungsjahr die Summe von 1980 Mark als Erziehungsbeiträge an drei Pfarrers- und 44 Lehrersfamilien vertheilt. Der Vermögensstand beträgt zur Zeit 10,930 Mark 4 Pfennige.

Württemberg.

Stuttgart. Die Gesammteinnahmen der württembergischen Staatseisenbahnen vom 1. April bis 31 August 1898 belaufen sich auf 21,485,600 Mark, 877,801 Mark mehr als im gleichen Zeitraum des Vorjahres.—Dieser Tage beging die Firma Eberhard Fetzer die Feier ihres 50jährigen Bestehens, wobei die Prinzipale den Angestellten ein solennes Festessen im Terrassensaal des Stadtgartens gaben.

Cannstatt. Hier wurde kürzlich ein römischer Friedhof aufgedeckt, auf dem in etwa 200 Skelett- und Brandgräbern die gewöhnlichen Todtenbeigaben gefunden wurden. In den letzten Tagen nun stieß man auf die Grundmauern eines 3.8 Meter langen und 3.4 Meter breiten römischen Hauses, in dessen Innern sich 12 unterirdischen Gottheiten geweihte Skulpturen vorfanden. Zwei der gut erhaltenen Steinbilder haben Inschriften an die Göttin Hercluna.

Friedrichshafen. Die Arbeiten an der Bodensee-Gartetbahn zwischen hier und Lindau sind so weit vorgeschritten, daß der Betrieb dieser Linie mit 1. Juli 1899 aufgenommen werden kann. Wagen und Fahrpersonal stellt die bayerische Verwaltung. Zur Zeit wird der Bahnhof in Friedrichshafen bedeutend vergrößert; die zwei württembergischen Bahnhöfe an der neuen Bahn, Langenargen und Hennighofen, die Haltestelle Eiskirch und neun Bahnwärterhäuschen sind im Rohbau fertig.

Genkingen. Durch Stockschläge brachte der Tagelöhner Johannes Haug seiner 65jährigen Frau zahlreiche Verletzungen am Rücken bei, die schließlich den Tod verursachten. Der Thäter wurde dingfest gemacht.

Nagold. Die hiesigen Methodisten haben mit einem Aufwand von circa 30,000 Mark ein Bethaus hierselbst errichtet. Dasselbe wurde nunmehr eingeweiht, wozu Prediger und Gesinnungsgenossen aus der Umgegend eintrafen.

Oberndorf. Von Rottweil kommend, wollte der in der hiesigen Waffenfabrik beschäftigte, etwa 30 Jahre alte Techniker P. Gebauer aus dem hier nicht haltenden Nachtschnellzug springen. Er gerieth beim Sprung zwischen die Rampe des Güterschuppens und den Zug und wurde überfahren. Dem Unglücklichen wurde der Kopf vollständig vom Körper getrennt.

Baden.

Karlsruhe. Wegen fahrlässiger Tödtung verurtheilte die Strafkammer den Wundarzneidiener und „Zahntechniker" Weizenbauer in Bruchsal zu 14 Tagen Gefängniß. Nach den Zeugenaussagen und dem Sachverständigen-Gutachten hat der Angeklagte den Tod des Trompeters Hecht verschuldet, indem er ihm einen kranken Zahn ohne nähere Untersuchung mit einer Guttaperchafüllung versehen habe, durch die eine Blutvergiftung eintrat.

Gailingen. Das israelitische Landesasyl für alte und gebrechliche Leute ist feierlich eingeweiht worden. Es wurde zu Ehren des Großherzogs zu dessen 70. Geburtstag von den Israeliten Badens gestiftet; durch freiwillige Beiträge wurden etwa 90,000 Mark aufgebracht. Das Asyl trägt den Namen „Friedrichsheim."

Freiburg. Zum ersten Male werden in diesem Winter an der hiesigen Universität akademische Kurse für Kaufleute abgehalten. Jeder Kursus, der gegen mäßiges Honorar Jedermann zugänglich ist, besteht aus acht Vorlesungen. Mit dieser Einrichtung, die den Beifall weiter Kreise finden wird, ist hier der Anfang zur Volkshochschule gegeben. Es ist erfreulich, daß unsere Universität auch in dieser Weise den modernen Strömungen Rechnung trägt.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 50 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 06 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 41, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55, a. m., 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 45, 3 06, 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 3 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m.; 2 08 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 20 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 15 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

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1 01 p. m, way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

2 08 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 6 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, a. m; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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A WESTERN ROMANCE

The poet to the contrary, notwithstanding, there are occasions when "it might have been" are joyful words. Most men, upon meeting again in after years, realize this, and offer up prayers of thanksgiving.

It was so with Hurlburt.

In the early days of the Pacific coast Hurlburt was stationed at San Diego. It was a picturesque little town. Its streets were not much more than cow paths, and its houses were mostly of the good old pattern—adobes, one story high and built around a patio. In such a house as this lived Manuela Lopez, and in one of the cow path streets Hurlburt first met her. It was upon a Sunday.

She had read no books that could have told her that it was the acceptable thing to do; she had probably never given such subjects a moment's thought; but when the mind of a child becomes the mind of a woman, it is at one bound, not by slow degrees. Inspiration struck full upon Manuela's brain and she dropped her rosary. From which it may be inferred that the love of the fathers and the wisdom of ages has taught woman nothing new in affairs of the heart. The impulse of the intrigante and of the child of nature are the same.

Hurlburt, of course, was close to Manuela when the rosary dropped. He returned it to her. If she had not been with a servant he might have spoken. As it was, he observed more narrowly what he had been observing for some moments as he approached, that she was graceful and pretty. Then he raised his helmet and passed on.

The same day, after lunch, he said to his host, as they sat smoking under the ramada: "Who lives in the house on the next street, where the two mocking bird cages hang on the wall?"

"You must be more explicit," his host said; "there are a number of houses on the next street, and one and all have mocking birds."

"Yes," said Hurlburt, "but there is a hedge of red and white geraniums in front of it."

"I saw you meet her," the civilian told him. "Her name is Lopez—Manuela, I think."

Hurlburt became very red. When your phlegmatic man grows embarrassed, he is badly embarrassed. It was some time before he regained speech and came floundering out of the sea of silence. When he did, he changed the subject.

Not that he abandoned the cause. Far from it. It took him two weeks, but he got himself introduced to Senor Lopez, and had taken care to call upon him. The senor was a well educated man, and the most hospitable of his hospitable race. He made Hurlburt free of the house at once, and showed him everything it contained, save only Manuela.

"You must come again, often," he said, as they parted. Hurlburt replied that he would, and went again in three days. Neither did he see his lady of the rosary upon this occasion. He addressed himself to Senora Lopez, who was handsome and well preserved.

"You have a daughter, have you not, senora?"

Senora Lopez understood just so much English as she chose. She did not choose to understand this. She turned her soft eyes upon her husband and he answered for her.

"We have a daughter," he said, "but she is very young."

Hurlburt understood that he had offended a semi-oriental prejudice.

It having thus been made obvious to him that Manuela would not be produced by her parents, he went to an early mass at the church, met her, and introduced himself. It chanced that she was alone.

"May I walk home with you, senorita?" he said. "I have the pleasure of knowing your father."

"Yes, sir," said Manuela.

It was but a few hundred yards to her home, but he made the most of his time. Manuela answered in monosyllables and raised her eyes but twice. Hurlburt's infatuation was complete. Senor Lopez was angry. He was civil to the officer, but he sent the girl to her room at once.

"I met the senorita at mass," Hurlburt explained.

"Are you, then, a Catholic?" inquired the Mexican.

"No," said Hurlburt—and determined to pursue the policy that sages who know nothing of mankind tell us is invariably the best—"I went to church on purpose to meet your daughter. I saw her on the street the other day,"—he refrained in a moment of diplomacy from speaking of the dropped beads—"and I admired her very much. That is why I came to call upon you. I thought I would see her openly under her own roof. As I did not, I encountered her elsewhere. Now," said Hurlburt, leaning back in his chair in an easy pose that did not meet with the punctilious Mexican's approval, "I should like to ask you to be allowed to pay my court to your daughter."

Senor Lopez had no objection to the officer's suit, but he did object to his fashion of advancing it. He incased himself in perversity.

"My daughter, sir, is too young."

He rose to his feet by way of suggesting that Hurlburt would do well to take his leave. Hurlburt rose, too, but did not go.

"May I ask her age, senor?"

"She is 16 years old."

"You have told me that you married the senora when she was but 15."

"That was in the old times. We do not do so any more."

"But I will be willing to wait for a year, if Senorita Manuela will love me."

"Sir, we will talk no more concerning this. My daughter is too young to be married, and I do not wish to give her to an American"—which was not in the least true. Up to then it had been his plan to do so, but his obstinacy was roused.

The result was one that anyone, most of all a Mexican, should have foreseen. Hurlburt embarked upon an intrigue. He sent notes to Manuela, and got them from her in return. The notes led to meetings by night. The meetings led to infatuation.

The clandestine interviews continued for several months. Then Hurlburt made one last attempt at frankness. He went to Senor Lopez, and renewed his request to be permitted to pay his daughter court. The senor had conceived an unreasonable and great dislike for him, and refused.

Whereupon Hurlburt arranged another meeting with Manuela. He began to realize that they were both running terrible risks. Senor Lopez was quite equal to killing one of them if they should be discovered. But he did not suggest that to Manuela. Instead, he asked: "Do you love me, chiquita?"

"Yes, yes. Must I tell you so always?"

"Do you love me enough to leave your home for me?"

"I do not understand." The gentle eyes looked into his, perplexed.

"Will you marry me?"

"I would, but how can I?" she asked. "My father will not consent to it."

"Do you love me enough to run away from your father, to disobey him, and go over to Mexico, across the border, with me? We can be married there, and then come back."

Hurlburt was an impassive, unemotional man, but his nerves were upon a fearful tension as he waited for the answer of an irresponsible child. She appeared to consider, and ended by agreeing. Hurlburt was beside himself with happiness.

A week later they went across the line and were married. They returned immediately and had an interview with Senor Lopez. The Mexican was enraged. Hurlburt, having obtained what he wanted, was not inclined to be conciliatory, but Manuela and her mother patched up a peace. Manuela behaved beautifully, and Hurlburt was more enamored than ever. He took her back to his home, and for three days dreamed of a life of bliss. Then Manuela decided that she had had enough of living on honeycomb, and that she had tired of scented time. With no explanations and no reason save that she wanted to go she went. Her father, charmed at Hurlburt's discomfiture, refused to make her return to him, and guarded her closely. Hurlburt begged for one final interview, and it was granted. He was a sorry sight, pale and haggard and self-abasing. But Manuela was unmoved. She stood meekly before him, her folded hands holding a rose, her father and mother on either side of her. She was not in the least unhappy, and no grief had marred her prettiness.

"Manuela," said Hurlburt, "have you not changed your mind? Will you not come with me?"

She shook her head. "No," she said.

"Why not? Was I not kind to you? Did I not love you?"

"Yes, you were very kind. But I like better to be with my father."

It was useless to threaten, implore or reason. Manuela was gently stubborn. She would never go back to him; she did not like Americans.

When Hurlburt finally went away he decided that his heart was broken. He thought of suicide. He never could bear up under the disgrace, and it was not so great as his wretchedness. This frame of mind lasted for a year; then he became resentful; then he obtained a divorce; then he was ordered east, and it was ten years before he returned to the coast. He had with him his wife—a woman of his own people, very charming, very well suited to him in every way. She knew the story of his first marriage, and she knew that, whatever he might say to the contrary, he still regretted deep down in his heart the sweet, soft Mexican wife of his youth, of his season of dear belief and illusions. The knowledge was the one grief of her life. It threw a shadow of sadness over her eyes. But she kept it to herself, and for this unfeminine virtue the gods in due time rewarded her.

They went one day by ambulance from Wilmington, where Hurlburt was stationed, to Los Angeles. One of their mules got lame and they had to spend the night at a roadside ranch. A crowd of dirty Mexican children played around the adobe; several yet dirtier men lounged about the door; a fat, beshawled woman waddled across the yard; a yet more untidy one welcomed them.

Her greasy face was still rather pretty and young, but she was thick and heavy and stupid. When she looked full at Hurlburt she gave a little cry that was more of a grunt.

"Come in; I will tell my husband," she said, and shuffled away with her bare feet.

Hurlburt turned to his wife gravely. "I am sorry to have brought you here" he said, "but it is all we can do unless you prefer to sleep in the ambulance to-night. That—woman was my wife."

"So I supposed," she said. She laid her delicate hand on his arm. "Don't let it trouble you, dear. I do not mind. She smiled into his eyes, and the shadow was forever gone from her own.—Gwendolen Overton in the Argonaut.

A BAD INSTRUMENT.

By C. A. E. King, U. S. N.

Surveying a tropical ocean in June in a vessel of the old navy, always under steam, is not the lightest duty that naval men are called upon to perform, so it is little wonder that when the sloop of war Alert reached Yokohama after a long tour of this service, several of her officers were down with sickness. So their places were filled by others, drawn from the ships of the squadron, provisions laid in and preparations made to return south to the scene of her labors, the survey of Britomart Reef.

This reef, reported and placed upon the charts long ago, had been the terror of merchant skippers for years. It lay in the Pacific ocean, somewhere between the Bonin Islands and the Ladrones. Its exact location was in doubt.

There was great bustle of preparation on board the stanch little ship as stores and coal were taken on board.

The caterer of the junior officers' mess had told his messmates that a pleasant surprise awaited them when Guam should be reached, for that island, over which our flag now flies, was to be our furthest stopping place, and there under the "blood and gold" of Spain we were to learn the secret of all his smiles and pleasantries. So we cheerfully chipped in our hard earned silver dollars for mess stores, which Uncle Sam, with unappreciative acuteness, thinks his officers better able to buy than himself.

Shortly after we had sailed canned peaches came to be plentiful on the mess table, so that we had them stewed for breakfast, cold for tiffin and baked into pies for dinner. In fact, canned peaches soon came to be our principal diet, until we tore our hair and hurled abusive epithets at our smiling mate, the caterer. His appetite for peaches never palled, and for all the abuse he would only say:—"Wait until we get to Guam" and nod as if to say, "When Guam is reached how remorseful you will all be for this treatment of me."

All things come to an end at last, and one night the navigator told us we would see the shores of Guam at sunrise in the morning. What a joyful prospect it was to know that we would touch the green earth once more and learn the mate's tantalizing secret!

The ocean and sky grew ugly that night, and by ten o'clock we were pitching and tossing in a fearful sea that threatened to lay us on our beam ends. The heat was terrific, for it was a "black storm," and there was not a breath of wind, and one poor fireman, crazed with heat and work, rushed up from below and threw himself into the inky waters. Away went the lifeboat, and into it a fearless crew, but we never saw the man again, and it was with the greatest difficulty that we recovered the boat's crew after two hours of hard battling with the waves.

We were in the dead centre of a whirling storm, and the greatest intensity and danger seemed to lie toward our haven—Guam. The skipper, one of the best that ever trod a quarterdeck, was a wise man, and gave orders to work about slowly and steam easily—away from Guam! All night we labored to save the ship, and when at dawn the wind burst upon us we were ready to make a brave struggle for life. And so we pulled through at last, many, many miles to the north of Guam, and when the sea went down no order came to turn to the southward again.

We pushed along to the north hour after hour, and as the time went by the mate's smiling face grew dark and gloomy, melancholy and sad, and we pined for the secret we were to have known in Guam.

Still the canned peaches fed our hungry mouths at every meal; peaches morning, noon and night, until our patience was utterly exhausted, and we resolved to wreak vengeance on the mate and wring from him his secret.

We put our heads together one day at tiffin and refused to eat the peaches, and demanded to know, with one voice, why we had nothing but peaches, and what was the gladsome secret that we we would have had revealed had the skipper taken us to Guam.

The mate implored, we insisted, until at last, with tearful face and voice, he told us this tale of woe:—"You see," he said, in deep, funereal voice, "it was this way. I had heard that neither the Spaniards nor the natives of Guam had ever tasted the sweetness of canned peaches, and so I thought that if I bought a lot of it and took it with us we could sell the stuff for its weight in Spansh pesetas at the island and make ourselves a little fortune. So" (and here he shrunk from Dr. Jekyll to Mr. Hyde) "I put all the mess money in canned peaches—and we didn't go to Guam—and, oh, Lord! there is nothing left to eat but canned peaches."

Ominous mutterings and savage looks thereafter greeted each appearance of the ruined speculator who had staked his all (and ours) on peaches and had lost.

Yokohama and a real dinner were many miles away, but both were reached at last, and as we pledged each other in yellow wine at the Union Club the night of our arrival our hearts softened, and we had even a kind thought of the wretched mate and his most disastrous secret.

"I don't know whether to regard this young author as a marvel of courtesy or a phenomenal specimen of assurance," said the magazine editor's assistant.

"What has he done?"

"Enclosed a stamp to be put on the check in payment for his article."—Washington Star.

SHERIFF'S SALE—Union County Common Pleas. William K. McClure vs. Annie Hoffman. Fi. fa. de. bo. et. ter. On Docketed Judgement.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias, to me direct, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House, in the city of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1898,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day all that tract or parcel of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and state of New Jersey;

Beginning at a point southwesterly from Terrill road, at a stake or stone on the corner of Cutter Dolbear's land; thence running south fifty degrees two minutes east one hundred and ninety-one feet three inches; thence north forty-five degrees fifty-five minutes east three hundred and forty feet; thence south forty-four degrees five minutes east thirty-seven feet nine inches; thence north forty-five degrees fifty five minutes east one thousand one hundred and seventy-four feet to the road leading from South Plains to Two Bridges, and being Terrill road aforesaid; thence north fifty degrees twenty-one minutes west one hundred and thirty-six feet to land of Cutter Dolbear; thence south forty-five degrees forty-five minutes west one thousand one hundred and fifty-nine feet three inches; thence north sixty-nine degrees twenty minutes west one hundred and four feet nine inches; thence south forty-four degrees forty seven minutes west three hundred and twenty-seven feet four inches to the place of beginning.

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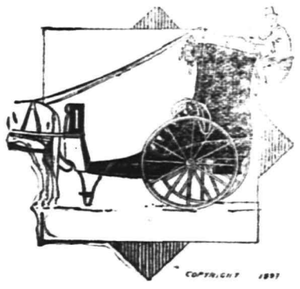

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

The return game between the Norwood Athletic Club eleven and the Westfield Juniors was played in this city Saturday morning and resulted in a victory for the Plainfield boys by a score of 18 to 0 The touchdowns were made by Peterson, 2, and Mason, 1. Gardner kicked the goals.

The Scotch Plains football eleven met the Alis second team Saturday afternoon on the new gridiron on John R. Marsh's property on Park avenue. Both teams made a number of costly errors, but the game proved to be an interesting one from start to finish. Both teams scored a touchdown in the first half, but in the second neither side were able to score, although the Scotch Plains team had a shade the best of it when time was called, the ball having been forced very near to their opponents' goal, and the chances were a touchdown would shortly have been made. The score was a tie, 5 to 5.

ROD AND GUN.

Edward Martin, the energetic potrer at the North Avenue station, is spending the day hunting "cottontails."

Henry Voehl, of the borough, was loaded down with rabbits on his return Saturday evening from a day's hunting, and several of his friends and neighbors were "remembered."

J. A. Smith, the grocer, returned Saturday from the south where he has been on a hunting trip. He presented his brother, F. E Smith, with two fine wild turkeys, captured while he was away

Conrad Bais, H. W. Dryer and Edward Chase, of Brooklyn, in company with M. W. Casterline, of this city, went out shooting last week and succeeded in bagging fifteen rabbits and five woodcocks.

GOLF.

Outside of the final play for the Chapman championship cup there were no special events on the course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club last Saturday. The attendance throughout the day was fair and altogether some excellent scores were made. In the contest for the Chapman cup C. W. Fisk beat R. M. Shepard 2 up and 1 to play. The next event in the schedule will be the mixed foursomes for the Gilbert cup and they will be played Thanksgiving morning at 10 o'clock. The last event on the schedule will be the play for the Fisk cup November 26th at 10 a. m., and mixed foursomes at 2:30 p. m.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The members of the Plainfield Catholic Club are arranging to open the bowling season at an early date.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOFFETT.

Case adjourned — That of Weigel against Marsh for two weeks.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of the First National Bank against Dodge, landlord and tenant, returnable, November 21st.

NEW QUARTERS FOR HOPE CHAPEL.

Announcement Made Yesterday That a New Church Will Be Started Soon.

Plainfield is to have a new church. Not a new one exactly, only the outgrowth of a chapel. Hope chapel is soon to begin the erection of a permanent structure on West Fourth street in the lot next to its present site.

At the session of the Sunday-school of the chapel, yesterday afternoon, Superintendent H. C. Squires made the announcement that the erection of the new church would soon begin. The chapel has been steadily growing and has long ago filled its present quarters. The need of something larger and better was felt. The bequest recently received has placed the chapel in a better position to begin the work.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A "good cheer" meeting will be held in the Congregational church Wednesday evening.

—An entertainment and smoker will be held this evening by Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum.

—Ribbed corset covers with long sleeves, the nicest undergarments for cool days. VanEmburgh's.

—Classes in Spanish, mechanical drawing and shorthand will meet at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight.

—An illustrated lecture on Constantinople will be given tonight in the Y. M. C. A. Hall by H. K. Samuelian.

—The Browning Circle will hold a regular meeting in the parlors of the Congregational church Friday evening.

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—There will be a sociable in the parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist church Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the church.

—The grand lodge of the colored Knights of Pythias, of New Jersey, will meet in Trenton tomorrow. L L. Croom, representative from Goodwill Lodge, will represent the colored Knights of Plainfield.

—Boehm is offering special inducements in his cloak and suit department. Everyone interested in securing a serviceable garment at a guaranteed price should not miss this opportunity, as at the prices cloaks, capes and suits are offered, the quantity on hand cannot last long.

—The Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, still have another special on and announce that all this week they will give free to each purchaser of one pound of baking powder a large roasting pan, just the thing for roasting poultry. As the holidays will soon be here all housekeepers should have one.

University Extension Lectures.

Lecture I. Literature of the colonial period. Books in the Public Library:

Allen, A. V. G., Life of Jonathan Edwards, 1703-1758.
Ashton, J., Adventures and discourses of Captain John Smith.
Bates, K. L., American literature.
Beers, H. A., ed., American literature. (Extracts, introduction on colonial literature.)
Brainerd, David, Memoirs.
Brown, Alice, Mercy Warren. (Chapter 6 on early American literature.)
Cooke, John Esten, Virginia, a history of the people. (See also other histories of Virginia.)
Duyckinck, E. A., Cyclopedia of American Literature v. 1.
Dwight, S. E., President Edwards.
Earle, A. M., Morgaret Winthrop. Sabbath in Puritan New England.
Ellis, G. E., Puritan age in Massachusetts Bay. (See also other works on history of Massachusetts bay colony.)
Franklin, B., Journal and letters. (See also other lives of Franklin by McMaster, Morse, Hale and Abbott.)
Griswold, W. M., Poets and poetry of America. (Chapter on colonial poets.)
Griswold, Female poets of America.
Matthews, Ja. B., Introduction to American literature.
Mitchell, D. G., American lands and letters.
Nichol, J. American literature.
Richardson, C. F., American literature, 2 v.
Richardson, Primer of American literature.
Stedman, E. C. and Hutchinson, E. M. Library of American literature, vols 1-2.
Tyler, M. C., American literature. (colonial period.)
Wendell, B., Cotton Mather.
Warner, C. D., Captain John Smith.
Whipple, E. P., American literature.
Winslow, A.G., Diary of a Boston schoolgirl.
Winsor, Justin, ed., Memorial history of Boston, v. 1. [Contains a chapter by Justin Winsor on the literature of the colonial period; on the press and literature of the provincial period, by D. A. Goddard, and a chapter on the Indian tongue and its literature, as fashioned by Eliot, with an account of the translation and printing of the Indian Bible, by J. H. Trumbull.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doull Miller are rejoicing over the arrival of a son.

The condition of J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, remains unchanged.

Clinton Bell, a prominent young lawyer of New York, was a guest over Sunday of Mrs. George Goddard, of Ninth street.

Miss Mabel Woodruff, of East Second street, is confined to her room by illness, and her many friends in Plainfield trust she will soon be restored to her usual health.

H. C. Randolph, of Washington avenue, who has been at Ocean Grove for a month or more, has been quite ill with asthma and his daughter, Mrs. C. Frank French has gone to care for him

Terry Is Married Now

Benjamin Terry, of Bridgeport, Conn., a frequent visitor in Plainfield where he has a number of friends, is now being congratulated on his marriage to one of the belles of that city.

Boys' Club First Entertainment.

The first entertainment of the season at the Boys' Club will be held Friday night. There will be vocal and instrumental music and other features.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Mrs. Seaman Williams and daughter, of Sandford avenue, have returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Mrs. W. W. St. John, of West Front street, left today for New Haven, Conn., where she will attend the marriage of a sister on Wednesday.

Mayor Charles Fisk has taken a suite of rooms at the Waldorf-Astoria for the winter and will leave Plainfield with his family early in December.

Ex-Councilman George H. Frost spent Sunday with his son at their home on Crescent avenue. Mr. Frost sails this week on the Majestic to join his wife in London.

THE LORD'S PRAYER BY BOOTH.

How the Actor Entranced a Coterie of Diplomats in New York City.

"I think," said an old actor, in talking about the Booths, "the most thrilling experience I ever passed through was in New York city one time when quite by accident a number of foreign diplomats from Washington, a few American statesmen, some prominent New Yorkers and one or two of us professionals were gathered together in a smoking room in the Fifth Avenue Hotel, when somebody asked Booth, who by the merest chance happened to be there, if he would not repeat the Lord's Prayer for the assemblage. I was sitting not far from the tragedian when he fixed his eyes upon the man who made the request. I think it was Lord Sackville West, at that time British minister to the United States, and I shall never forget the peculiarly searching expression that Booth shot out of his dark eyes. They seemed to penetrate the very soul of the man at whom they were directed, and then, as if satisfied, resumed their wonted vacuous density.

"We were all breathless with anxiety, at least I was, for seldom would he ever recite off the stage, but at length he arose, walked to a little cleared space at one end of the room, and began a recital that even after all these years makes me thrill through and through. He said 'Our Father,' and never before had those two words been clothed with the majesty and reverence with which his look and tone enveloped them. And then he carried us into celestial regions, our spirits seeming to leave our bodies and follow his behest; he lowered us into depths too dark for Dante's genius to conceive or Dore's pen to portray; the power exerted over us was simply unnatural. His musically resonant tones sounded slowly through the room, and as he swayed his lithe body we unconsciously followed his motion. It was something horrible, beautiful, terrible fascinating—I cannot find words in the language to express it. There are none.

"I would not go through the scene again for a thousand worlds and yet if I had the opportunity I would brave any danger to hear it once more. Do you understand? Those few score words as delivered by Edwin Booth were the most powerful argument for Christianity that I ever heard, and could everyone on the face of the globe have heard them there would no longer be atheism. Booth stood out of the room when he had finished and a simultaneous sigh of relief arose, while without a word we stole away singly and on tiptoe, and I do not think any one of us think of that thrilling evening without a shudder. He was a great man, a great man."—Kansas City Times.

TOO UGLY TO DIE.

One of Bill Nye's Inimitable Stories Which Illustrates His Humor.

Two Bill Nyes or Artemus Wards or Mark Twains are never born, says the Philadelphia Times. The peculiar form of Nye's humor can be illustrated by this incident. One evening at the Union League here he objected in an apparently serious way to a certain story that had been told. He said that while it was not exactly irreligious in tone, it was irreverent. "Now," he continued, "I'll tell you a story which could be read with impunity to a mite society. There was a man who had to die. The doctor told him so, and urged him to die with neatness and dispatch. The man told the doctor to go out on the lawn and kick himself.

The doctor then advised the wife to go to him and explain the folly of keeping up his desire to live. "Tell him that it's only his nerves which are supporting him, and that if he will tell you what is preying on his mind he'll pass away like a bit of pie."

"So the agonized mother of the family went to the father of the same, and said: 'Hubby, you know I love you. Tell me what it is that worries you.'

"'Oh, go to bed!' said the invalid.

"Then the suffering mother appealed to her sorrowing children, but they, too, were unsuccessful.

"So as a last resort the priest was sent for. The situation was explained to him and he visited the invalid. 'My son,' said he, 'I am assured by the best medical advice that death is inevitable to you. There is a burden on your mind. Disclose it to me before I give you absolution.'

"The invalid sighed. 'Oh, well,' said he, 'if you put it that way, I'll tell you the facts of the business. I'm so horribly ugly I'm ashamed to be laid out.'"

HIS PICTURE DIDN'T SUIT.

A Background Which Put a Congressman In a False Position.

"I guess," said the congressman, as he entered the photograph studio, "that I'd better let you take these back and try it over again."

"Didn't your photographs please you?" asked the young woman behind the show case.

"Yes, they pleased me first rate."

"The likeness is remarkably good," she commented, as she held out one at arm's length.

"It is. If the resemblance weren't quite so strong I might have kept them for my family and myself to look at. We would tell the neighbors it was somebody else, and have made them believe it. But there would be no use in trying to deceive them with that picture."

"What is it you object to?"

"The surroundings."

"But this is one of the most popular backgrounds in our gallery. Everybody understands that such things are only painted on canvas."

"No," was the reply, "everybody doesn't understand it. I wouldn't have one of those pictures get into the hands of the opposition just before election for $10,000. You'll have to give me some pictures with another background, even if I pay for having it painted, to order. Look where you have me! Seated on a plush armchair, in halls of Byzantine architecture, with a garden of palms in the background. It won't do. What I'll have to have is a perspective showing a barn and a hay wagon, with a hired man in the middle distance, while I stand in the foreground, with an earnest expression on my face, as if I were telling him exactly what we must do if we expect to save the country."—Washington Star.

FLOWER-LOVING ROYALTY.

Queen Victoria's Favorites are Lilies of the Valley.

The members of the royal family confess to a great love for flowers of all kinds. The queen has a special weakness for lilies of the valley and violets and cares to have them about her rooms. Her intimate friends, knowing her favorite blossoms, send her these in profusion upon her birthday, at Christmas and the new year. Violets, the pet flowers of the late Emperor Frederick of Germany, have become quite sacred in the eyes of his widow, and she has often been deeply touched when, while paying her annual visits to England, mere strangers have offered violets "in remembrance of her beloved husband."

The Duchess of York is much interested in the cultivation of flowers. For her own personal adornment she prefers lilies of the valley and white roses—the roses of York. The Princess of Wales, however, is the most ardent enthusiast for flowers, and is never content unless her rooms are simply one mass of scented blossoms. In her own boudoir at Marlborough house, and at Sandringham, every available table or stand bears a burden of plants in pots, and vases frequently replenished with choice cut flowers; and in the hall at Sandringham the palms and greenery are a delight to behold. As for the Prince of Wales, he cannot endure to be without his "buttonhole."—Paris Daily Messenger.

A Lye-Eating Family.

"Strange, pliant subject is this human frame; adapts itself to most anything! Feed it on alcohol a while and it craves more; give it arsenic, strychnine, or any old poison, and a craving is at once set up." So began a popular railroad "talking man," as he drew back from his typewriter and wiped his glasses. "Upon my recent trip to West Texas I came upon a case in point. Out beyond Fort Davis there is a section of country which for unadulterated alkalinity beats anything on earth What water there is tastes somewhere between castor oil and vichy and soda, while every bit of plant and animal life has become so impregnated with caustic potash that leaves and skins, barks and furs glisten like the costume of a ballet dancer in a 'feerie,' and alkali has become as necessary to them as drink to a dipsomaniac.

"I saw one family which had imbibed and eaten such quantities of alkaline matter that the neutralizing effect of the slightest acid was torture to them, what they craved being more and more of the burning salts. In their composite kitchen and dining room I noticed a row of bright new tin cans upon a shelf. I first took them to be condensed milk, but picture my horror when the mistress of the house took down one of the cans, which I then saw was concentrated lye, opened it, and gave a heaping spoonful to each of the children all around. They licked it down with evident relish and went back to their games.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

An Early Woman Editor.

Jonas Green edited and published the Maryland Gazette at Annapolis, Md., for twenty-one years, and upon his death, in 1767, it was continued by his widow, Anne Catharine Green, during the most eventful period of Maryland history. During a hot newspaper controversy with Rev. Bennett Allen, "the fighting parson of Maryland," who subsequently killed Lord Dulany in a duel, the parson visited Mrs. Green's printing office and threatened to "knock up her press if she printed any more pieces" about him. His conduct only had the effect of making Mrs. Green a popular heroine and bringing about her election to the office of printer for the proprietary government, which she held until long after the Revolution.—Philadelphia Times.

Might Have Got Wet.

The patience of the average Arkansas farmer is abnormal. He is never in a hurry, and he thinks things are bound to come right if he only waits.

The writer, in passing through the hills of upper Arkansas, found his progress stopped by a swiftly flowing river. Toward the center of the river was a team, a wagon and a man. The team was stationary and the water eddied and foamed around it. The man was complacently smoking a pipe. Pushing his horse into the current the writer approached the team, and the man evinced a languid interest in his approach.

"Why don't you move on?" was asked.

"Can't."

"Why not?"

"Wagon's locked. Back part swung back with the current, and here we are. Can't move a locked wagon."

"What are you going to do about it?"

"I was thinking."

"How long have you been thinking?"

"Since early morning."

It was now afternoon.

The rider fastened one end of a rope to the tongue of the wagon and the other end to the pommel of his saddle. The vehicle was straightened out and the horses sprang forward under the lash. Soon the farmer and his team were safely landed.

"Didn't it occur to you to unhitch your horses and go for help?" was asked.

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Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18.00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19.00.

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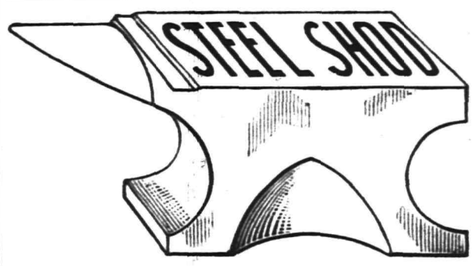

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ROCKFELLOW MAY BE REPUBLICAN'S MAYOR

He is a Prominent Candidate for Nomination.

OTHER MEN SUGGESTED.

REPUBLICANS WANT LOCAL BUSINESS MAN TO HEAD TICKET.

D. E. Titsworth and Capt. J. Frank Hubbard Have Been Mentioned For Nomination—A Strong Fight to Be Made This Year—Mr. Barrows Will Not Run—Candidates For Councilmen.

The Republican party of the city of Plainfield has met with opposition, it has had some of its caadidates defeated, but never in its history has it encountered such a situation as exists today. If the Republicans are victorious at the coming municipal election it will be because they put up a strong ticket and work hard in its favor.

The leaders of the G. O. P. in this city are perfectly aware of the state of affairs. They know that there is a large number of voters who are dissatisfied with the past administration. Whether that number is sufficient to overcome the regular Republican majority here, no one will know until after election. The most important office to be filled at the election will be that of Mayor. Much opposition has been made against the present administration on the ground that the commuters or "roosters" were running the city machinery while the local business men had little or nothing to do with it.

It is pretty well understood that it would be folly for the Republicans to nominate a commuter for Mayor this year. The feeling against such a move is too strong right in the party itself to permit such a step. There was considerable talk of Councilman E. T. Barrows as the mayorality candidate but the principal G. O. P. men said that it could not be. Mr. Barrows, they said, must give up all aspirations in that direction and be content with his present office for a time at least.

The name of David E. Titsworth was mentioned as a desirable man. Very popular as Mr. Titsworth undoubtedly is, combined with the fact that he is employed right in the city, it was thought that he would run well. Mr. Titsworth spoke very strongly, however, and declared that he would not accept the nomination under any circumstances. Capt. J. Frank Hubbard was also spoken of as a good man for the office, but Capt. Hubbard soon ended the little boom by a firm refusal.

At present, the name of George W. Rockfellow stands well for the choice of the party. He served one term as Mayor, and is one of Plainfield's leading merchants. He has not taken any active part in politics of late, but is considered a good Republican. The leaders have made no definite selection as yet, but those who are well-informed on the subject say that, at present, Mr. Rockfellow seems to stand first in the race for the nomination.

The nomination of the ward Councilman is also attracting much interest. It is conceeded that strong candidates will have to be nominated to give victory to the Republican banner. In the Second ward, C. S. Foote, who has taken an active part of late in Republican affairs in the ward, is mentioned as a candidate. So, too, is Thomas A. Cuming who has the advantage of being a local business man and particularly popular with the wheelmen.

Great pressure is being brought to bear on Councilman John T. Baker, in the Third ward, to have him run for re-election to the Council this fall from the Third ward. The name of Leslie Daniel has been mentioned as a likely candidate should Mr. Baker positively decline to run.

Y. M. C. A. Work.

The importance of the Y. M. C. A. work has been recognized in the Seventh-Daptist church by the following meetings: On Friday night two excellent addresses were given by Dr. A. H. Lewis and Stephen Cahoone, president of the association; Sabbath morning the sermon was addressed particularly to men; at the men's meeting, Sunday night, a most interesting and suggestive address was given by Dr. Lewis, and next Friday night the meeting will be led by Supt. H. M. Maxson, a director of the association.

Changed Officers.

At a meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church, Friday night, the secretary, Henry Drake, resigned, and Miss Florence Marsh was elected to fill the vacancy.

MONEY FOR CITY NURSE.

CHRYSANTHEMUM TEA GIVEN BY THE KING'S DAUGHTERS.

The Affair Held in Parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church Under Auspices of Charity Circle of King's Daughters.

A pleasant affair of yesterday afternoon and evening was the chrysanthemum tea given in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church under the auspices of the Charity Circle of King's Daughters for the purpose of raising money for the support of the city nurse.

The rooms in the chapel presented an attractive appearance arranged with a number of large American flags and chrysanthemums, while about the rooms there was a pleasing arrangement of seats for those who desired a social chat. The decorations were the efforts of Mrs. George Clay, Miss VanBoskerck, Miss Hunter, Mrs. Ira Travell and Miss Negley.

There were placed on sale fancy articles, candy and aprons, while a room was reserved for the serving of tea. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. G. A. Chapman, Mrs. Garrigues, Mrs. W. T. Kaufman, Mrs. Kinnie, Mrs. William Stillman, Miss Harriet Halloway. Those who presided at the apron table were Miss Green, Mrs. VanWyck, Miss Margaret Tracy, Miss Hayes, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Wright. Those in charge of the candy table were Miss Florence Marsh, Miss Ida Yerkes, Mrs. Ware, Miss Gertrude Rushmore, Mrs Arthur Slauson, Mrs. Machado, Mrs. Pinto.

The tea room was very prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and greens, and the arrangement of the table was much admired. Those who poured tea were Mrs. F. G. Meade, Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, Mrs. E. H. Lodd, Jr., Miss Scribner. Those in charge of the tea room were Mrs. Jules Erickson and Miss Marjorie Coe, and the waitresses were Miss Rodman, Miss Margaret Tracy, Miss VanBoskerck, Miss Eastman and Miss Carrie Vail.

The officers of the Circle who directed the affair include Mrs. L. H. Biglow, Jr., president; Miss Emily Tracy, vice president; Mrs. George Clay, treasurer; Mrs. Margaret Tracy, secretary.

During the afternoon those present were favored with several vocal solos by Mrs. Wm. L Saunders, and they were much enjoyed. In the evening Mrs. Robert Lowry gave a number of recitations, and Miss Marion Dumont rendered several piano selections, all of which added much to the pleasure of the event. The attendance both afternoon and evening was gratifying and a goodly sum of money will be realized toward the object for which the tea was given.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

H. K. Samuelian Deals in Historical Lore About Constantinople.

H. K. Samuelian gave an illustrated lecture in the Y. M. C. A. last night upon Constantinople and the surrounding country. The lecture was largely attended by interested persons who gave the lecturer their attention.

Mr. Samuelian is an Armenian, whose parents came from Constantinople He speaks English quite well, and is preparing himself at one of the eastern colleges to return to his native land and preach the Gospel to his countrymen. The lecture last night dealt with the great city of Constantinople, its famous buildings and surrounding scenery.

Mr. Samuelian went over the early history of the city from legendary times to recent periods, in a very entertaining manner, so that much dry history was woven into the story without the hearers being aware of it. Views of famous ruins, mosques, temples, palaces and natural scenery were thrown on the screen, and all were explained by Mr. Samuelian in his charming manner. The lecturer, being a native Armenian, the places he accompanied his hearers to were all old to him and he was able to speak intelligently upon them.

Funerals.

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Vanderweg, wife of Edward Vanderweg, will be held from the residence of her son, Martin Vanderweg, 408 West Third street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited.

The funeral of the late Isaac S. Colthar will be held from the late home, 94 Grandview avenue, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

The funeral services of Anna McKenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McKenna, of 198 Grove street, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of the parents. Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

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HOT SHOT ABOUT THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

Lawyer Angleman Scores the Present Administration.

A CITIZENS' MOVEMENT.

AN INFORMAL MEETING IN FOURTH WARD LAST NIGHT.

Fifty Citizens Gather to Discuss Plans Concerning the Approaching City Election—Lawyer Angleman Made a Speech in Which He Discussed in an Acrimonious Manner the Prevailing Way of G. O. P.

A number of citizens of the Fourth ward, assisted by a few from other wards, met last evening in a vacant house on West Front street, near Clinton avenue, owned by Mr. Pound. The meeting was an invitation affair and was called for the purpose of taking steps to present a ticket at the city election to be held Dec. 13th. There were about fifty men present. Jacob Kriney called the meeting to order and by a vote of all present he was chosen chairman.

The first business was the selection of two citizens from each district of the Fourth ward as vice-presidents. Those selected are as follows: First district—Elmore D. Moffett, W. S. Angleman; Second district—Herman Weber, Arthur T. Gallup; Third district—Charles Randolph, Harry Pound

The meeting was then opened with remarks relative to the condition of affair as they now exist in the city and to the coming city election Councilman Moffett spoke and told the citizens present that his term expired this year. He was in favor of a citizens' ticket this year, the same as last year, and he believed it would win if properly managed.

The next speaker was Lawyer Winfield S. Angleman. This gentleman's remarks were straight from the shoulder. He dwelt at length on the matter of assessments for this year, as to their inequality and unfairness. He stated that the assessor appointed for the Fourth ward had only lived in the ward a few months, and knows very little about the property in that ward. He cited one instance where a property owned by a woman had been assessed double its value plus the value of the house on the lot, but he had not heard of any addition on the Crescent Rink building. He also spoke concerning the manner in which the Council had forced the people to connect with the sewer, even when they hadn't city water in their homes, thus compelling them to put in the water. He dwelt at some length on the city sewage beds, and told how it was possible for Mr. Frost to leave town and thus escape the odium of the beds. He had saddled a large expense on the people and then left town. "What does he care for Plainfield?" remarked Mr. Angleman. Mr. Angleman stated that the city is now being run by club-car men, a "ring," who have enough wealth to raise a corruption fund about election time and thus secure votes to place them into power. It is not possible for all of us to spend our winters at the Waldorf Astoria, or to live in elegant homes, remarked the speaker, but what is wanted is a Mayor and Council who will rule for the majority of the people in this city.

Mr. Angleman cited an instance regarding the city primaries one year. He said that a large number of citizens voted in one ward and were then taken to another ward where they voted again. He also cited an instance where a number of Plainfielders were coming home on the "owl" train. Their actions compelled the conductor to telegraph ahead to have a policeman at the Plainfield station to make some arrests. When the train reached this city the officer was there to make arrests, but when he saw the Plainfielders, he decided not to arrest. He was told to go about his business, which he apparently did The Plainfielders belonged to the gang that helped to form the "ring."

Regarding improvements in the Fourth ward, Mr. Angleman stated that on Third street within a block or two there are three saloons that furnish to the city a yearly revenue of $2,100, yet Third street has never been macadamized, all of which shows, he said, how much attention the Council pays to the ward.

E. A Laing, of the Third ward, was present, and made a few remarks. He was of the opinion that the assessments this year had been unjustly distributed. He said that there would be an increase this year of about $76 000 in assessments, but yet there is more money spent in the Third ward on the streets than in the Fourth ward. He said that the Mayor is

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ROBBERY IN BOROUGH

HOESTER'S LIQUOR STORE ENTERED DURING THE NIGHT.

Safe Door Was Left Open and a Number of Valuable Papers Were Stolen—No Money Was Found—Left the Front Door Open.

The wholesale liquor store of Mrs. Eugene Hoester on Somerset street was burglarized last evening. The intruders gained an entrance easily and ransacked the place without interruption.

Last evening when Mrs. Hoester closed up the store she took all the money out of the safe and carried it upstairs, leaving the door of the safe wide open. The burglars gained entrance through a cellar window. They went up the cellar stairs and found their way into the room where the safe was. Finding the money gone, they broke open the door to a little compartment in the safe and took from it some receipts and valuable papers belonging to Mrs. Hoester. They then departed by the front door leaving it open.

This morning, the open door and the broken cellar window told of the robbery. Mrs. Hoester carefully examined the room and found the papers missing. She is unable to tell whether the burglars helped themselves to the liquor and cigars until a complete accounting is made of the stock. If they did make themselves at home, they were careful not to disturbe anything that remained.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

MR. AND MRS. J. PARKER MASON MARRIED TWENTY-ONE YEARS.

In Celebration of the Event They Entertained the Monday Evening Euchre Club—Prizes Given for the Best Playing.

The twenty-first anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker Mason, of Stelle and Field avenues, was marked yesterday evening in a delightful manner. The celebrants entertained the members of the Monday Evening Euchre Club, and all joined heartily in celebrating the happy event. A feature of the affair was the unique style of dress of the guests. The women wore gowns of a red color, while the men donned red golf coats.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason received the hearty congratulations of their friends, and the principal portion of the evening was devoted to playing euchre. There were seven tables, twenty-one players, and the contestants were very enthusiastic in their efforts to secure the prizes. At the conclusion of the play it was announced that the first and second prizes for the women were won by Mrs. George A. Chapman and Mrs. F. O. Herring, while for the men Charles F. Abbott and Mr. Warren, of Fanwood, were the winners of the first and second prizes.

A very delightful repast was served after play and a social time was enjoyed. All agreed that the hospitality of the host and hostess was the feature of the event.

An unlooked for pleasure was the very able and happy address made by Former Mayor Alex. Gilbert, who, in his customary easy manner, spoke words of congratulation to Mr. and Mrs. Mason, and wished for them on behalf of all many happy returns of the day.

Interesting Prayer Meeting.

A very interesting prayer service was held last evening at Warren chapel in connection with the week of prayer meetings. The meeting was in charge of Rev. H. W. Hathway, of Elizabeth, and he made a few remarks of great interest and help to all present. A great many of those present took part in the meeting, and altogether it was one of the best services held in sometime. This evening the meeting will be in charge of Rev. G. W. Gardner, pastor of Grace M. E. church.

Grand Lodge Meets

The grand lodge colored Knights of Pythias meets today in Trenton. The delegates from Goodwill Lodge, this city, are James Scott, grand marshall of the State; Lewis Coon, grand recorder; R Cruse, grand councellor and William Kline, grand lecturer.

A Church Fair.

Commencing this evening and continuing tomorrow afternoon and evening and Thursday afternoon and evening a fair will be held in the German Reformed church on Craig place. Many attractions will be presented.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement is announced of Miss Lillian M. Dundon, daughter of John M. Dundon, of Brooklyn, to Robert M. Clark, the well-known young lawyer, residing on Jackson avenue.

—There will be a meeting of the finance committee of the Borough Council next Thursday evening.

THE DEMOCRATS WILL NOMINATE A TICKET.

Members of the Party Tired of Being Made Catspaws.

TO BE A STRAIGHT TICKET.

WHAT ONE DEMOCRAT THINKS OF THE SITUATION.

Time for the Democrats to Become Something More Than a Nonentity—Only Hope for Success of the Reorganization Plans is to Put Up a Ticket That Democats Can Go In and Work For.

Notwithstanding the movement of disgruntled Republicans, aided by a few Democrats, to put a Citizens' ticket in the field for the city election an earnest effort will be made to put up a strong Democratic ticket by members of that party who have come to the conclusion that the Democrats have been a nonentity long enough in local affairs.

In discussing the condition that confronts the Democrats, as a party, a prominent Democrat said to a Press reporter today:

"It seems to me that the only thing that the Democrats can do, to be honest with themselves and consistent in their actions, is to put forward a straight Democratic ticket. For several years now we have been playing into the hands of our political adversaries simply by not maintaining any sort of an organization and taking only spasmodic action in public affairs. It has been a cause of regret long enough, and if we ever hope to get out of this slough of despond it will have to be done by a party movement, in which disgruntled Republicans do not figure as managers.

"Here and there I meet Democrats who say we can't win with a straight ticket. Democrats that talk that way are looking backward. Of course we can't win if we are going to put up a lot of men for the sake of seeing them knocked down on election day. Why don't these pessimistic Democrats look forward a little bit. Don't they know that there is an effort being made to reorganize the party machinery and that it is in a fair way to succeed, unless the Democrats abandon their chance of giving the party something tangible to work for in the shape of a party ticket.

"For one, I am tired of seeing the Democrats made catspaws of by Republicans who are urging the Citizens' ticket principally for the sake that they may land in some public office and 'let the devil take the hindmost.'

"There doesn't seem to be any reason why the Democrats can't go forth into the municipal campaign and make as good a fight, or better, than the Citizens' or Republicans. Some people keep telling you not to put up a ticket this year. Well, when when are we going to do it? If we follow their advice it will never be done and the Democrats may as well get out of the community as a political factor. If the time was ever opportune it is now The Republican city administration was never so unsatisfactory and if we can't win under these circumstances, and with their own party ranks divided, we never can hope for victoty.

"I believe that a Democratic ticket, strong and clean, and backed up by an organization that is effective in working details and will be able to bring out the vulnerable points of the Republican record, will win.

"Just now there are enough Democrats interested in the reorganization of the party to work like beavers to carry a party ticket to success and build up an effective party organization, but if no party ticket is put up the Democrats will revert back to the same worthless position they have been for some time as a party. The Democrats have everything to gain in such a contest, and it is the manifest duty of the party to put up a straight ticket."

A Bachelor Dinner.

Howard W. Beebe, who is to be wedded this evening to Miss Gertrude Baker, daughter of Councilman and Mrs. John T. Baker, of Stelle avenue, at the Crescent Avenue church, gave a farewell dinner to ten of his bachelor friends at New York Saturday night. The party was composed of the best man, ushers and several intimate friends.

Dinner to Bridal Party.

Miss Gertrude Baker gave a dinner last evening at her home on Stelle avenue to the bridal party which is to take part in her wedding at the Crescent Avenue church this evening. Covers were laid for eighteen. The table was handsomely decorated with mammoth white chrysanthemums and smylax, and pink and white ribbons.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

BOWLING SEASON HERE.

SCHEDULE OF CENTRAL JOURNAL BOWLING LEAGUE ANNOUNCED.

The Parks Were to Roll a Game Last Night But Did Not Know of It Until too Late—Seven Teams in the League

The season for bowling has again come 'round and the enthusiasts of this section are preparing to start once more in their annual contest. The Central Journal Bowling League has been re-organized this fall with seven clubs in the contest for the championship.

The clubs are the Park Club, of this city, the New Jersey Athletic Club, the Cranford Country Club, the Westfield Athletic Club, the Elizabeth Club, the Roselle Casinos and the Newark Bay Boat Club. Each club will be represented by a team of five men.

Besides the club prizes for the first and second place, valued respectively at $30 and $20. There will be individual prizes for the highest average and the highest average of spares.

The first game in the league was to have been rolled last night but the Parks did not know of it until too late and so telegraphed their opponents, the N. J. A. C., not to come.

The schedule is announced as follows:

1898.		Away.	At Home.
Mon.,	Nov. 14	N. J. A. C.	Park
Tues.,	" 15	Cranford	Westfield
Thurs.,	" 17	Elizabeth	Roselle
Mon.,	" 21	Roselle	Newark Bay
Mon.,	" 21	Park	Elizabeth
Tues.,	" 22	Westfield	N. J. A. C.
Tues.,	" 29	Newark Bay	Westfield
Tues.,	" 29	Elizabeth	Cranford
Tues.,	" 29	Roselle	N. J. A. C.
Thurs.,	Dec. 8	Park	Roselle
Thurs.,	" 8	Westfield	Elizabeth
Fri.,	" 9	Newark Bay	Cranford
Tues.,	" 13	N. J. A. C.	Newark Bay
Tues.,	" 13	Cranford	Roselle
Wed.,	" 14	Westfield	Park
Tues.,	" 20	Roselle	Westfield
Thurs.,	" 22	N. J. A. C.	Elizabeth
Fri.,	" 23	Park	Cranford
Wed.,	" 28	Elizabeth	Newark Bay
1899.			
Tues.,	Jan. 3	Cranford	N. J. A. C.
Wed.,	" 4	Newark Bay	Park
Mon.,	" 9	Park	N. J. A. C.
Tues.,	" 10	Westfield	Cranford
Thurs.,	" 12	Roselle	Elizabeth
Tues.,	" 17	N. J. A. C.	Westfield
Thurs.,	" 19	Newark Bay	Roselle
Thurs.,	" 19	Elizabeth	Park
Tues.,	" 24	Westfield	Newark Bay
Thurs.,	" 26	N. J. A. C.	Roselle
Thurs.,	" 26	Cranford	Elizabeth
Mon.,	" 30	Roselle	Park
Fri.,	Feb. 3	Elizabeth	Westfield
Fri.,	" 3	Cranford	Newark Bay
Mon.,	" 6	Newark Bay	N. J. A. C.
Wed.,	" 8	Park	Westfield
Thurs.,	" 9	Roselle	Cranford
Mon.,	" 13	Elizabeth	N. J. A. C.
Thurs.,	" 16	Westfield	Roselle
Fri.,	" 17	Cranford	Park
Tues.,	" 21	N. J. A. C.	Cranford
Thurs.,	" 23	Park	Newark Bay
Fri.,	Mar. 3	Newark Bay	Elizabeth

INSPECTING G. A. R. POSTS.

Commander Smith Visited Lincoln Post in Newark.

William C. Smith, Department Commander of the G. A. R., made an inspection of Lincoln Post, Newark, last night. He was accompanied by I. H. McVoy, William Day, Edward C. Morse, V. W. Nash and William R. Mattox.

The post made a fine appearance, and were highly complimented by the commander.

An entertainment by professional minstrels was provided, and there were recitations and music. A banquet was served at 10 o'clock to which all did justice, and at 12 o'clock the Plainfield delegation reached home. Tonight Commander Smith and delegation, accompanied by their wives, will visit the post at Bayonne.

ENTERTAINED MINISTERS

Dr. Lewis Read a Paper of Interest to the Clergymen.

The Plainfield Ministers' Association were entertained last evening for the first time by Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey, pastor of Warren chapel. There were about twelve members present, and Rev. Dr. Lewis prepared and presented a paper on the subject "The Logical and Historical Connection between Christianity and the Bible." The paper was an able one and induced an enthusiastic informal discussion on the part of all present This is the first time in two years that Dr. Lewis has presented a paper before the association on account of the many duties that has kept him busy, and his presence at the meeting was greatly enjoyed.

Half Yearly Meeting of Friends.

The half yearly meeting of the Friends will be held in the Friends' meeting house on Watchung avenue this week. On the fourth day, at 8 o'clock, there will be a youths' meeting led by Joel Barton, of Chester, Pa. Thursday (fifth day) a business meeting will be held at 11 o'clock, and at 2:30 o'clock a philanthropic meeting. At 8 o'clock an illustrated lecture upon the colored schools of the south will be given by Mr. Jackson, of New York. The meeting will close Friday with a prayer service at 11 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend these services.

Approaching Marriage.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Mabel Coard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coard, of East Ninth street, to Ernest Franke, of Germany, which will take place Monday, November 28th.

NEWARK INSTITUTE LOST TO PLAINFIELD.

A Rough Basket Ball Game Played Last Night.

A DISGUSTING EXHIBITION.

VISITORS WERE FINALLY OUTPLAYED AT THEIR OWN GAME.

It Did Not Look Like Basket Ball at All—Men Were Upset and Thrown About the Floor—George Proctor Smith Did All the Scoring for Home Team—Not at All Like Usual Games Played Here.

Such exhibitions of basket ball, like the one witnessed in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last evening, are not all conducive to the elevation of the sport. The team from the Newark Institute came over to play a return game. It wasn't basket ball—such a game as the visitors put up could not be dignified by such a name. To the audience it looked far more like football, and not very gentle football at that. But the visitors were beaten at their own game, and victory went to the home team by a score of 10 to 5.

Those Plainfielders who witnessed the game in the gymnasium of the Newark Institute say that it was rougher than the game last night. The game last night was enough, however, to disgust the lovers of real basket ball who witnessed it.

From the very start the Newark boys played a rough game. They threw their opponents, held them and batted them if they happened to be in the way.

It was, after all, a decidedly exciting game. In the first half neither side did much scoring. A goal from the field was thrown by each side and the Plainfield team secured a goal on a foul, making the score 3 to 2 in favor of Plainfield at the end of the first half. The half took considerable time as several men were injured and time had to be called to give them a chance to recover.

In the first part of the second half the score remained very close, then the local players braced up and ran the score up to 10 points while their opponents could only make half the number.

George Proctor Smith played the game of his life. He was everywhere at once, blocked his man well and did all the scoring for the Plainfield team. A large number of fouls were called on the visitors and had their official done his duty, the number would have been much greater. The local management says that the game will end any future matches with the Newark Institute.

The teams lined up as follows:

PLAINFIELD Y.M.C.A.		NEWARK INSTITUTE.
E. Moralier	right forward	Swertfaehrer
Carroll	left forward	McMannis
Egan	centre	Hill
M. Moralier	right guard	Pardue
Smith	left guard	Sullivan

Goals from the field—Smith (2), Sullivan, Pardue. Goals on fouls—Smith (6), Sullivan. Foul—Plainfield (3), Newark (9). Referee—Fred G. Smith, of Plainfield. Umpire—A. B. Lups, of Newark.

PLEASURE AFTER BUSINESS.

An Interesting Meeting Held by the Royal Arcanum.

One of the most interesting meetings ever held by Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, took place last night. Two applications for membership were received, and an evening of pleasure was spent and the entertainment closed with refreshments and a smoker.

Members of Sattel's orchestra were there, and played several selections through the evening.

Councilman W. N. Runyon and F. J. Pope favored the members with vocal solos, and Stewart Pope played several piano solos.

At the meeting to be held December 12th the grand officers will be present, and the prizes will be awarded to the two brothers who have secured the largest number of new members this year. The prizes are a graphaphone and a Waterman fountain pen.

Resolutions Forwarded.

The framed set of resolutions passed by Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W, several weeks ago thanking the members of the lodge at Niagara Falls for the aid they rendered E. E. Marshall, a member of Columbia Lodge, when he was taken ill there last summer, were sent yesterday. The resolutions were handsomely framed, packed tightly in a box and sent away by express

Former Plainfielder to be Married.

An item, recently published in the Elizabeth Journal, announced the coming marriage of George Taylor, of Cranford, to Miss Mabel Voorhees, daughter of John Voorhees, of Morris avenue, Elizabeth, to take place November 29th. Mr. Taylor formerly resided on East Second street, this city, and has a large circle of friends here.

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IS THE TROUBLE OVER?

The President Is Disturbed Over the Race Riots.

REFUGEES IN WASHINGTON

Colored Organizations from All Parts of the Country Are Greatly Stirred Up Over the Recent Outrages. Story of Their Expulsion from Wilmington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The president is much disturbed by the recent race conflicts in the Carolinas.

Delegations and committees from all parts of the country representing colored organizations, are asking for an opportunity to be heard, but the president's advisers are discouraging their coming.

The administration is hoping that the trouble is over, and all effort is made to give out that impression.

The attorney general said yesterday morning that he had received from Ernest F. Cockran, assistant United States attorney for South Carolina, a letter saying:

"I have just had a confidential interview with a responsible man, on whose statements I rely. He has been at and near Greenwood during the whole time of the disturbances. He reports that there was no violence on Friday and Saturday, and that no further trouble is anticipated. All bands have dispersed. I have concluded not to send a man to the scene."

Tolbert, the late Republican congressional candidate in the Third South Carolina district, is still in Washington, and is said to be desirous of appearing before a congressional committee of investigation.

The Democratic newspapers in this vicinity are doing their best to get the Republican party to take some action looking toward a federal election law, for they know that the serious threat of any such thing would send Maryland and West Virginia back to the Democrats.

Republican leaders will not be likely to fall into the trap.

Three of the Wilmington, N. C. refugees have arrived in Washington, and yesterday they called at the department of justice, and an appointment for a conference with the officials was made for the afternoon.

They are B. H. Dunning, United States commissioner and justice of the peace; John R. Melton, chief of police, and C. H. Gilbert, superintendent of city carts.

According to their statements all were seized without warrant and escorted to the railroad station by an armed and jeering mob, who shouted all sorts of insults after them as they marched along.

"White niggers" appeared to be the least of the insulting names with which the crowds greeted them at every step.

Once on the train they were told in forcible langunage that if ever again they set foot in Wilmington they would be shot on sight.

When their train arrived at Newberne it was boarded, they say, by ex-Mayor Ellis and a lawyer named Green, and they were informed that they would not be safe for them to remain there any length of time, and so they took the first boat for Norfolk.

Brown, a negro from Wilmington who did not leave at the same time with them, they had since heard, was set upon by a crowd and terribly beaten in the city postoffice. At other points they were warned not to stop.

The three men are at present stopping at a small hotel on Pennsylvania avenue, but what they will do or where they will go from here is a serious question with them.

They say that they dare not return to their homes in Wilmington, as they feel certain that the threats of the mob will be carried out, and they would be shot.

They plead not guilty to every charge made against them, and insist that they were run out of the state for the single reason that they were Republicans and refused, at the bidding of an irresponsible mob, to surrender their right of franchise.

Late Army Orders.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The retirement from active service of Brigadier General William S. Worth by the president, and upon his own application, after thirty years' service, is announced.

Major Herbert Lord, additional paymaster of volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Manila, and will return to the United States and report to the paymaster general of the army. Major Lord is the late clerk of the committee on ways and means in the present House, and will probably resume service under Mr. Dingley on returning to America.

Other army orders include these:

Captain Edward Jolden, Forty-seventh New York volunteer infantry, is discharged on resignation.

Corporal Jay Clark Bissell, Company F, Sixty-fifth New York volunteer infantry, now at Buffalo, is transferred as a private to the Two Hundred and Second New York volunteer infantry, and will be sent to Camp Meade.

Gen Roe to Command.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 15.—Major General Charles F. Roe is to command the National Guard of the state after January first next. His appointment has already been made under the law passed by the legislature last winter, and which takes the appointment of commander of the National Guard out of the governor's hands.

The adjutant general is the present commander, simply because Governor Black desired his friend, General Tillinghast, to remain in power until the close of his term.

Death Better Than Manila.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15.—Lieutenant Herman G. Dressel of the United States navy committed suicide in the Carrollton Hotel, this city, yesterday morning, by shooting himself in the head.

From papers found on his body it is surmised that he killed himself because he had been ordered to Manila to join the United States ship Zafiro.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS

Present Spanish Commission Will Not Agree to a Treaty.

TERMS MUST BE ALTERED

Will Probably Suggest That Negotiations Be Continued Between Madrid and Washington. No Joint Meeting Until Wednesday.

Paris, Nov. 15.—There was no joint session of the peace commissions yesterday. Secretary Moore of the United States commission, received from Secretary Ojeda of the Spanish commission, in the morning, a note saying that the Spanish commissioners had found it impossible to prepare their memorandum for presentation yesterday, and asking if the United States commissioners would be inconvenienced if, owing to the late arrival from Madrid of expected data, the Spaniards should request that the next meeting be deferred until Wednesday.

Secretary Moore replied that the American commissioners were quite ready to accommodate the Spanish commissioners in this matter, and the joint session was practically deferred until Wednesday next.

Importance is attached to this delay, it being regarded as indicating that the Spanish commissioners are preparing for a final stand in these negotiations. It may now be definitely stated that the Spaniards here will not sign a treaty of peace which yields to Spain no more from the Philippine islands than has thus far been offered or indicated by the Americans.

Should the latter announce that the United States is only willing to reimburse Spain for her pacific expenditures in the islands, the Spanish commissioners will reply that their mission is finished.

Should this occur it is possible that the Spaniards will also suggest a suspension of the negotiations through the commissions and the resumption of negotiations between Madrid and Washington.

Personal Reasons.

This attitude of the Spaniards is explained by the fact that the members of the Spanish commission have political alliances and personal responsibilities to constituencies and the national creditors of Spain which restrict them to certain lines, which are as far as the ministry of Madrid cares to go. It is pointed out that if the five Spanish commissioners here signed a treaty yielding the Philippines to the United States without lessening Spain's debt in an appreciable degree, they could not return home with the prospect of any political future before them, and possibly would be in danger of violence at the hands of mobs.

At the next meeting of the commissions the Americans will learn the definite attitude of Spain on any proposition thus far made.

The Spaniards, however, in this presentation, will not declare all negotiations closed. They will insist that the sovereignty of Spain over the Philippines is beyond question, but will announce Spain's readiness to yield that sovereignty for an adequate equivalent, and will then invite negotiations under the Spanish construction of the protocol.

The American commissioners may then communicate their final attitude to the Spaniards, but the Americans are expected, at a future meeting, to present a carefully prepared conclusion of their contention and conditions.

Should it be no different from those already presented, the time will then have arrived when Spain will declare herself helpless though steadfast, and will await the next step of the United States, whatever it may be.

Thus Spain will be able to say to her creditors that she has done her utmost and that the issue must rest between them and the United States.

Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

New York, Nov. 15.—The 130th annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce will be held at Delmonico's this evening.

At the conclusion of the dinner the toasts, six in number, and all on national questions, will be given, to which speakers of national reputation will respond.

The hall is profusely and tastefully decorated with the American and English colors, typifying Anglo-Saxon unity.

The tables will be artistically decorated with American Beauty roses, chrysanthemums and smilax.

Mr. Alexander E. Orr will be the presiding officer.

Mr. Peck Sees the President.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Commissioner Peck of the Paris Exposition arrived here from New York and called upon President McKinley yesterday morning to report progress.

The interview was a very pleasant one, and after receiving some instructions, Mr. Peck visited the state department for further advices. He returns to New York to-day and then goes to Chicago.

A Yukon Express Project.

Montreal, Nov. 15.—The incorporation of a company to be called the Yukin Overland Express and Transportation Company, is sought at Ottawa.

The company proposes to construct and operate a wagon and sleigh road from Lake Bennett to Dawson, and branch roads to other points.

It will do a general freighting and express business.

Big Shoe Strike.

Marlboro, Mass., Nov. 15.—The joint executive council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Unions at noon ordered out the 2,600 employes in seven factories.

The S. H. Howe Company, Rice & Hutchins and J. A. Frye and Co. are the firms affected.

Archbishop Gross Dead.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15.—William Hickley Gross, archbishop if Oregon, Roman Catholic church, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, this city, yesterday morning of heart disease.

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It is the best cod-liver oil partly digested, and combined with the hypophosphites and glycerine. What will it do? It will make the poor blood of the anæmic rich and red.

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NAVAL ACTIVITY AT NORFOLK.

Large Shipment of Ammunition to Dewey's Fleet.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 15.—The largest shipment of ammunition made from the government magazine since the peace protocol was signed was made yesterday, when a train of the Southern Railroad left with 25,000 shells of the six-pound size for Mare Island navy yard, San Francisco.

From an official source it is learned that the shells are intended for Rear Admiral Dewey's fleet at Manila.

Night and day work is now going on on the gunboat Princeton, in pursuance of an order of the navy department to have her ready for sea as quickly as possible.

The Princeton is to join Rear Admiral Schley's eastern squadron, now forming in Hampton Roads.

Work is also being pushed on the monitors Puritan and Terror so that they may be available for service at short notice.

The repairs to the San Francisco may keep her here a year if no emergency arises.

Dingley Says "No Revision."

Washington, Nov. 15.—The Washington Post says that the war tax will not be abolished at the coming short session of Congress and that there will be no revision of the tariff whatever. It bases this announcement upon the positive statement made by Chairman Dingley of the ways and means committee, who, in an interview, said:

"The government will need for some time all the revenue produced by the war taxes. During the month of October the war expenditures exceeded the war revenue by some $14,000,000, and this month they will be $10,000,000 in excess. This being the case, there will be no change this fiscal year. The war revenue act will continue in force and unchanged, except, perhaps, in a few minor administrative features, for at least a year longer.

"It is hardly necessary to add," continued Mr. Dingley, "that there will be no revision of the tariff, although I have seen some statement to the effect that such a revision is contemplated."

Croker's Western Visit.

Chicago, Nov. 15.—Richard Croker, the great Tammany leader, is here. In an interview last evening he said:

"My visit to Chicago has nothing to do with politics. I am going to the springs at West Baden, Indiana, for rest and to try another cure for dyspepsia. While I am in Chicago I shall call on some of the boys who came to New York to help elect Van Wyck mayor. There is a friendly feeling between Mayor Harrison and myself, you know, and I shall see him to-morrow. But there will be no politics in it. I want to say that any stories about my coming out here to form a political deal with your mayor are wrong, all wrong. I am seeking rest and health, nothing more."

Glass Factories Start Up.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 15.—Window glass factories, with a capacity of about 1,100 pots, have started work and nearly ten thousand men and boys are earning their first money in more than half a year.

Of the 1,900 pots controlled by the American Glass Company, only about 500 were operated before the agreement was reached Monday. The remaining idle pots will be in complete working order early this week.

Alexandria, Ind., Nov. 15.—After five months' idleness work was resumed at the United De Pauw and Alexandria Window Glass factories yesterday. One thousand men will get employment.

Fire at Dawson.

Skaguay, Alaska, Nov. 15.—Gold hunters returning from the Klondike have arrived here, bringing news that the city of Dawson has been visited by a $500,000 fire, in which forty buildings were burned, including the new postoffice and some of the best structures in the city.

The fire began on the morning of October 16. It started in the Green Tree saloon as the result of a row between two women of the town.

Belle Mitchell threw a lighted lamp at another woman. The lamp broke, the oil spread, and in a few seconds the building was on fire.

Miles Omitted an Important Order.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The Washington Post says that either by accident or design General Miles in his report omitted a dispatch which he had himself caused to be issued on May 9, contemplating the sending of all the available army to cuba.

This order, it is asserted, was vetoed by the president.

Put $5,000 in the Stove.

Kirkwood, Ill., Nov. 15.—J. H. Laird, a local merchant, yesterday had $5,000 in currency, wrapped up in a piece of newspaper, to take to St. Louis.

He laid the package down in his bedroom while he took a bath, and in his absence a young daughter picked it up with some other papers and burned it in the stove.

NOTICE TO
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Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the *CITY OF PLAINFIELD,* that the taxes assessed in said City for the year
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next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.
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in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
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THE SUPPLIES AT SANTIAGO.

Report of Lieut.-Col. Charles P. Eagan.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The report of Lieutenant Colonel Charles P. Eagan, commissary of subsistence of the army, has been submitted to the secretary of war.

It shows an expenditure of $6,008,715, with a balance of $20,222,689 to the credit of the bureau.

After detailing the conditions of the commissary department and its organization for the war with Spain, General Eagan comes to the Santiago campaign, of which he says:

"A very serious freight blockade at and in the neighborhood of Tampa in May and June, 1898, was caused by the celerity with which the troops and their supplies were concentrated at that place in preparation for the invasion of the island of Cuba. This blockade was a matter of grave concern to the subsistence department and it was only after the most peremptory orders of the commissary general of subsistence to unload cars and to hire warehouses, if necessary, that the officers of the department on the spot were enabled with unflagging zeal and untiring energy so far to extricate the department as to permit the Fifth army corps, when it sailed on June 14, to take a supply of rations sufficient to last the command of sixteen thousand enlisted men for four months, and the sending on June 26, 27 and 28 of further supplies."

TROUBLE WITH MEXICO.

American Conductor Kidnapped and Confined in a Jail.

Denver, Nov. 15.—A special to the News, from Nogales, Ariz., says:

"Excitement exists here over an episode which threatens to result in international complications. On Sunday last James Temple, a conductor on the New Mexico and Arizona Railway, was attacked by Mexicans. In defending himself he shot John Arvalla fatally. It occurred about two thousand feet north of the international boundary line. Later he returned to his hotel, south of the line, and was arrested by Mexican officers on a charge of murder, the law of Sonora providing for the trial of a person charged with crime against a Mexican citizen, though the crime may have been committed in a foreign country. Friends of Temple engaged an attorney, but the Mexican authorities refused to allow the prisoner to be seen.

"United States Consul J. F. Darnell appealed to the state department at Washington and received the following telegram:

"Darnell, Consul, Nogales, Ariz.:

"Have wired Legation at Mexico to demand immediate release of Temple.

"HAY,
"Secretary of State."

Temple is in prison at Magdalena.

No Conspiracy on the Buffalo.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The first intimation that there has been anything like an organized conspiracy to prevent the sailing of the cruiser Buffalo reached the navy department by way of the newspaper reports.

The officials give little credence to this story. They say it is frequently the case when a vessel is hurried away from the navy yard, after hasty repairs, as was the Buffalo, things go wrong to such an extent as to excite suspicion in some minds that evil-minded persons are responsible.

The finding of small articles belonging to sailors inside of the condensers is not of itself a fact unexplainable, except upon the theory of conspiracy to damage the ship.

Such things have often been inclosed in boilers and cylinders by careless workmen. The bad condition of the valves referred to as an evidence of tampering, is explained by the fact that the machinery of the Buffalo suffered much, not only from neglect, but from bad handling, during the several years she lay at anchor in Brazilian waters.

Arrival of the Obdam.

New York, Nov. 15.—The United States transport Obdam arrived yesterday from San Juan and Ponce, Porto Rico, and Santiago, with seventy-two convalescents, discharged soldiers, and civilians.

There was but one death on board, that of Elmer Hathaway of the Hospital corps of the Santiago General Hospital, who died of consumption on November 1 and was buried at sea.

Hathaway's home was at Riley, Kan.

The Obdam brought the body of C. D. Jacob, private of Company G, First United States volunteer cavalry, who was killed at San Juan Hill, on July 1.

United States Supreme Court.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The United States supreme court has affirmed the judgment of the lower court and denied a writ of habeas corpus in the case of John Anderson, convicted and sentenced to be hanged after a trial at Norfolk, Va., for the murder of the mate of the Olive Pecker.

Chief Justice Fuller, in announcing the decision, held that Anderson had not been denied a constitutional right in not having counsel of his own choice at the trial.

The court adjourned for two weeks, and when it reassembles will announce the bankruptcy rule.

The Government of Spain.

Madrid, Nov. 15.—Aragon has now joined with the other provinces of Spain in demanding the decentralization of the government, on which subject a Catalonian deputation was received in audience by the queen regent yesterday.

The Aragonians, in presenting their demands, point out that the "Anglo-Saxons of America, aided by the Anglo-Saxons of Europe, have obliterated half of Spain from the maps."

The Illness at Santiago.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The war department has received a dispatch from General Wood at Santiago giving the following sanitary report for November 12:

Total sick, 1,115; fever, all kinds, 571; one death from typhoid fever.

Van Wyck's Expenses.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 15.—Augustus Van Wyck, the Democratic candidate for governor in the recent election, has certified to the secretary of state that his election expenses were $449.50.

THE HOSPITAL SYSTEM

Testimony of Dr. Huidekoper Is Taken by War Board.

CERTAIN CAMPS CRITICISED

Defence of the Medical Officers at Camp Thomas. Regimental Officers Blamed. The Medical Stores Given Out in a Parsimonious Manner.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The war inquiry commission resumed the examination of witnesses yesterday, with Dr. R. S. Huidekoper, lieutenant colonel of volunteers on the stand.

He said that he had occupied the position of chief medical officer of the First army corps at Camp Thomas, at Chickamauga Park, until the 23d of July, when he went to Porto Rico with General Brooke.

Speaking of the supply depot, he said that there was a good supply of some articles and a superabundance of others at the beginning of the history of Camp Thomas; but that this condition of affairs did not long continue. He had immediately undertaken to regulate requisitions so as to equalize them in the various divisions of the command.

At one time he had to appeal to General Brooke to get the supplies necessary, the deputy surgeon general insisting upon being guided by the supplies on the table, which was not a fair test.

"Do you not know," asked Dr. Conner, "that there was a full supply of medical stores at the depot at Lytle?"

"I know many articles were lacking," the doctor replied, and added that it was not true, as had been stated, that there was a full supply.

He had made constant representations to the surgeon general of the shortage of supplies. He had never turned down any requisitions from the division hospitals, except on one occasion, except when he knew that the articles were not on hand.

He had refused his sanction to a requisition for flooring for hospital tents when General Brooke had expected to move.

He contended that there had been a sufficiency of tentage, saying that no patients had been compelled to lie out without covering for any length of time.

It was true, however, that there were occasions on which the sick men had been kept for several days at a time under the tent flies.

"The Second and Third division hospitals," he said, in reply to a question, "were always clean and well ordered." Both institutions were well built, but they had suffered throughout for lack of proper attendance. There was never a sufficient number of hospital corps men.

On the other hand, the First division hospital was not so well conducted, for lack of discipline, due to the prospect of removal. He had repeatedly called attention to the lack of nurses, and about the first of July there was an increase of hospital corps men in response to his representations. The supply was never equal to the demand.

Reverting to the question of tentage, Dr. Huidekoper said he knew, of his own knowledge, that the surplus tentage at the reserve hospital was turned over to the division hospitals, and that tents had been held there to the detriment of other hospitals.

Colonel Huidekoper said that he had succeeded in getting supplies only by being the first on hand, as the medical depot was run in a very parsimonious manner. There was not only a great scarcity of important drugs, such as quinine and opium, but a disposition on the part of the purveyor not to give out what there was.

Dr. Huidekoper said that, with a few unimportant exceptions, the medical supplies for the Porto Rican expedition had been ample.

At Newport News he had given orders that the sick men be eliminated from the command, but he found that the order had been evaded and sick men taken aboard. This was especially true of the Third Illinois regiment, whose surgeon, Dr. Huidekoper said, had persisted from the start in breaking the spirit, if not the letter, of the law. The regiment had left sick at every town that it had visited.

Responding to a request from ex-Governor Beaver, Dr. Huidekoper detailed the particulars of his education as a physician, giving also his experience in military service.

He said that he had graduated as a physician from the University of Pennsylvania in 1874 and afterwards had studied much in Paris, Berlin and other European capitals, and had had considerable experience in hospitals and in general practice. He went to Europe a second time on the recommendation of Dr. Hayes Agnew, who desired to establish a veterinary hospital. After returning to this country he went to New York and was engaged largely in the manufacture of toxines, only practising medicine in charity cases.

He had been a surgeon in the Pennsylvania National Guard from 1874 to 1893, being brigade surgeon most of the time, covering the Homestead strikes and the Johnstown flood.

The witness asserted that the sick in Porto Rico had had good attention contradicting the assertion of Colonel Hartsuff that there had been negligence. He said it was not true that Dr. Hartsuff had taken charge of a hospital, as the latter had stated, because of mismanagement.

Dr. Hartsuff had volunteered to take a hospital on one occasion, but the offer had been declined, so that it was all on paper.

"In fact," the witness added, "General Brooke would have stopped him if he had attempted to do so."

The Kaiser's Progress.

Canea, Crete, Nov. 15.—The German imperial yacht, Hohenzollern passed Cretan waters at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

The dispatch boat Herta entered Suda bay in order to fetch dispatches for Emperor William.

Austrian Diplomat Going Away.

New York, Nov. 15.—Baron von Hengelmuller, the Austrian ambassador at Washington, will start for Europe today on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

HARRIS VIOLATED RULES.

Captain Had No Right to Take Command of Maria Teresa.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—Nothing but the influence of his personal friend, Commodore Crowninshield, chief of the bureau of navigation, can prevent Captain Ira Harris, who commanded the Vulcan when the Maria Teresa was abandoned, from being court martialed.

It has leaked out at the department that Captain Harris deliberately violated an important naval regulation when he assumed command of the Spanish cruiser, and while holding this assumed command, abandoned her to her fate.

Captain Harris was placed in command of the Vulcan. The Maria Teresa was in command of Captain Chittenden of the Merritt Wrecking Company, and the secretary of the navy alone had it in his power to change this condition of things and place Harris in command of the former Spanish vessel.

Harris, therefore, directly violated a naval regulation.

Such an action would have been impossible for an officer of the regular service, but Harris, who entered the volunteer service at the outbreak of the war, is is believed, was rusty in his knowledge of naval regulations. When his dispatch announcing that he had abandoned the Maria Teresa was received, all the officers of the department took it for granted that by the word abandoned he meant that the vessel had foundered at sea.

They never for a moment believed it possible that he deserted the Spanish vessel while she had a chance to float, which turned out to be the case.

All these facts are now being considered by the secretary of the navy and the result will probably be the court martial of Captain Harris.

Major Garcia's Views.

New York, Nov. 15.—Major Justo Garcia, son of General Calixto Garcia, who is now in New York visiting his mother and invalid sister, was at the junta at 56 New street yesterday.

Major Garcia has suffered from tropical fevers, and came here to recuperate his health.

Major Garcia has been staying with his mother at 165 Lenox avenue. He said yesterday that he expected his father here before long and this expectation was confirmed by a dispatch from Havana which announced that General Garcia had arrived there en route to Washington. This dispatch Major Garcia read in the morning papers. He said:

"The sanitary condition of Santiago was never better. General Wood cannot be too highly praised for what he has done to preserve the health of the inhabitants of that city. The climate of Cuba is naturally hard upon any person visiting it from a northern clime and the death rate there still continues high, but conditions are immeasurably improved.

"Politically every Cuban who has even a little head of his own trusts in the faith of the United States. No thinking Cuban believes this noble country intends permanent occupation of Cuba. To provide Cuba with a stable government is the aim of the United States and there is nothing Cuba needs more now."

A Costly Seat.

New York, Nov. 15.—A seat on the stock exchange was sold yesterday for $28,000—the highest price in fifteen years. The advance in price has been due to the increase in Wall street business and the generally prosperous condition of affairs in the financial district.

The record price for seats is $34,500, made in 1881, and as there is a decided demand for the seats and there have been few deaths, it was predicted in Wall street yesterday that this price may again be reached.

The seats that have been sold in late years have been largely bought by young men, many of them rich men's sons starting in business.

Ohio's Gold Field.

Columbus, O., Nov. 15.—A special from Canal Dover, says: "Another discovery of gold is announced in the Malvern district near here. The latest find is at Augusta, a few miles north of Malvern, where M. O. Leyda has discovered on his farm an ore which he claims to be richer than the Malvern product. Specimens will be assayed at once. The discovery has increased the gold fever and has also caused the price of land to take a fabulous jump, so that it can be neither bought nor leased. In case the assay shows sufficient gold Mr. Leyda will at once purchase machinery to work the mine."

Horse Show Opens.

New York, Nov. 15.—The fourteenth annual exhibition of horses of the National Horse Show Association of America began yesterday. The show will last all the week and during this time the center of American fashion will be Madison Square Garden, where blooded horses will prance around a tan bark ring and people with pedigrees will congregate to look on or take a more active part.

The show promises to be more than usually interesting, and many noted specimens of the equine race will be on exhibition.

Troy Man a Suicide.

Troy, Nov. 15.—Adam R. Smith, president of the Oakwood Cemetery Association, committed suicide yesterday morning at his home by shooting himself through the heart. He was 72 years of age.

He was an eccentric bachelor and lived alone in a cottage within the cemetery grounds. He became connected with the cemetery association in 1868 as director and treasurer. He was elected president in 1870 and had held the office ever since.

Soldiers for Cuba.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—Major General Lee will command the vanguard of the army of occupation which is expected to sail for Cuba within a fortnight.

The port of Cienfuegos has been selected as the point of disembarkation of the troops.

The president has decided that he wants a regular army man for military governor, but as yet has made no appointment.

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Upon receipt of the bids or proposals the Common Council will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents thereof in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or agents choose to be then and there present, and also make proper record of said prices and terms.

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Bismarck's Memoirs.

Up to a very recent date the notion that Prince Bismarck had left any authentic memoirs aside from fragmentary ones was only half believed. In spite of the stories, revived at the time of his death, of certain marvelous revelations in manuscript, there were but few in the real secret. As the fact is now authoritatively announced, the memoirs covering his career up to 1893, with reflections and memorabilia, set up in corrected proof, have been in the possession of the great Cotta Publishing House of Stuttgart for more than three years. The intimations of Herr Busch, Bismarck's obsequious and idolizing Boswell, then, that the world would have nothing more to look to for an inside view of the great man's life beyond his own exposition, were either a deception or a blunder. Yet from such clews as have been given, with the consent of the Cotta firm, of the quality of the Bismarck book, the world will still find in the indiscreet reports of the German Boswell side lights of great interest. However Herr Busch may have colored his stories of the recluse of Friedrichsruh, they are too intensely Bismarckian not to be essentially true. In the frankness of conversation, too, it seems quite natural that the prince should have expressed himself with an audacious frankness about men and things which he shrank from in his authorized memoirs, published over his own name and by direct dictation. It was the Bismarckian way, one may fancy, of getting even with his enemies without subjecting himself to the direct imputation of revengeful indiscretion. There is something of the mingling of fox and lion in such an attribution of policy quite consonant with the great chancellor's character.

The memoirs filling three and possibly four volumes are to be issued in the latter part of November in German, English and French, a special English edition in this country now being in process of preparation. Two volumes only will be issued, however, immediately, covering the prince's recollections down to the death of the Emperor Frederick in 1888. The rest of the material, it is intimated, being of such a character as would call down a deluge of imperial wrath, will be retained from public acquaintance for the present. As respects the first two volumes, it is asserted on good authority, they contain nothing particularly explosive. They consist of a mass of recollections, opinions, reflections and sentiments which, however flavored with Bismarckian salt, do not smack of too much irreverence. The title chosen is "Thoughts and Recollections." It was the original purpose to have had this work issued before Bismarck's death, but wiser reflection determined him on posthumous publication. It is said that the highest English bid for the memoirs was about £15,000.

The Vote of New Jersey.

Returns of the vote of New Jersey are now practically complete. They show that Voorhees' (Rep) plurality for Governor is 5,510. McKinley had 87,692 in 1896, and Griggs 26,990 in 1895. Voorhees received 57,537 less votes than McKinley, and Crane 14,645 more than Bryan.

In the congressional districts the Republican plurality was 10,424, and in the Assembly districts 9,317.

The Newark Call has the audacity to suggest that perhaps Mr. Kean might be induced to retire from the canvass for the Senatorship to make way for "a man who would meet the public desires." Mr. Kean, by common consent, was almost as much of an issue in the recent election as was Mr. Voorhees, and we hardly think that the Sage of Ursino will act favorably upon the Call's suggestion.

It would be very gratifying to see Senator Reed elected President of the Senate. But even though the "Tall Sycamore" of Somerset is not elevated to that position we imagine that he will be heard from in the next legislative session. The Senator has been in Trenton long enough to know how the legislative mill grinds.

In Rochester, N. Y., a city of 133,000 inhabitants, the votes were counted and tabulated thirty-seven minutes after the polls closed by the use of a voting machine. That knocks the Murray tally sheets galley west.

If the vote of the recent election was a fair criterion, New Jersey will soon be classed as an independent State. A few hundred votes either one way or the other will turn a victory.

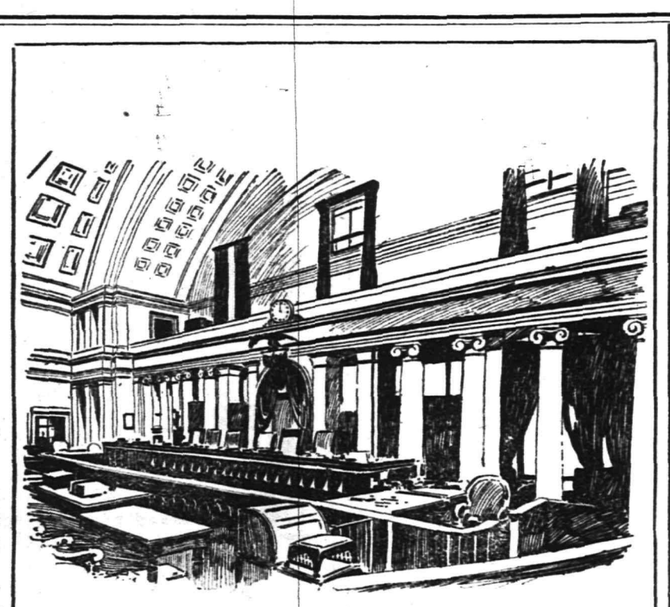
Fred Bird is said to be an aspirant for the City Collectorship nomination on the Citizens' ticket. Mr. Bird has been very active in trying to get a Citizens' ticket in the field.

Dewey and Schley have both sent hearty greetings to Roosevelt over his election to the Governorship of New York. Politics is nothing between heroes.

The local political situation is slightly mixed just now owing to the movements both for straight Democratic ticket and a Citizens' ticket.

Besides a horse show this week, New York has a snake show. Who said that there wasn't anything new under the sun?

There is plenty of "horse sense" in New York society this week, but it takes dollars to learn it.



UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT ROOM.

Though not large in floor area the room of the Supreme Court, in the Capitol at Washington, has a high vaulted ceiling and was rich in decorations. The fire which occurred on Sunday, Nov. 6, destroyed the elaborate furnishings of the room, including the priceless busts of the chief justices and the valuable library of the Supreme Court.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

The next Senate of New Jersey will be an exceptionally strong body. On the Republican side will be Pitney, of Morris; Stokes, of Cumberland; Johnson, of Bergen; Cross, of Union; Reed, of Somerset; Ketcham, of Essex; Smith, of Ocean, and Francis, of Monmouth, all men of long legislative experience, and several of acknowledged ability and skill in debate. Among the Democrats will be found McDermott, of Hudson; Van Cleef, of Middlesex, and Martin, of Sussex, all well qualified to look after the interests of the minority and able to hold their own in argument or parliamentary finesse. In the House neither party can make such a showing of proved and recognized ability. —Newark News.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. J. B. Tigar, of Duer street, is visiting in New York.

James Vroom, of Somerville, spent yesterday with Plainfield friends.

John R. Teany, of 115 South Thirty fourth street, Philadelphia, spent Sunday visiting friends in town.

Miss Edith Clapp, of Mercer avenue, has returned from Princeton, where she has been stopping for a few days.

Mrs. VanVliet and her daughter, of New York, are visiting at the home of D. M. VanVliet, of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Wm. Eberts Lowe and her daughter, Miss Lowe, have sent out invitations for teas to be given Tuesdays, Nov. 22d and 29th, at their home, 1024 Park avenue.

Among the prominent members of the New York Chamber of Commerce who will attend the 130th annual banquet to be held tonight at Delmonico's, is A. D. Shepard, of "The Gables," Fanwood.

A Tea-Cup Sociable.

This evening at the rooms of the Young Women's Club a regular business meeting will be held, at which time there will also be a tea cup sociable. The idea of this is to have each member bring a tea-cup and saucer, so that from time to time tea can be served. Every member is urged to attend the meeting and social.

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"Kit, the Arkansas Traveler," will be presented in Music Hall tonight. The drama portrays the life of the backwoodsman, and big-hearted and kind old Kit showed just how happy a person can be when away from the snares and temptations of city life. Mary Beding is the one on whom the weight of the whole play rests. Manuel Bond, a bad man, seems to be bent on hunting her down and destroying her future happiness. He appears at the ranch and abducts her and her child, and when Kit returns from a hunting trip he finds that his wife and child are gone and he sets fire to the place and gives up the rest of his life to hunting down the villain and cause of all his misery. The entire play is a very interesting tale and there is just comedy enough in it to counteract the sadness of the tale. The judge and the major are the gayest old topers that a person would want to see, and, in fact, the whole company is strong in all the parts.

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"The Girl from Frisco" will hold a reception at Music Hall Friday night. She is a fascinating young lady, breezy and beautiful, as all those Pacific Slope girls are. She has a lot of friends with her, including the Golden Gate Quartette, Myron Leffingwell, the well-known actor, and many others. There will be plenty of fun, as well as sweet singing and graceful dancing, but the play itself will be a rare treat.

A CITIZENS' MOVEMENT.

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seldom in the city, and the home of the Council is in the club-car or at the Country Club.

Councilman Liefke, who was present, was called on and spoke briefly. He said that if he wanted to know what is going on the Council he has to go outside and learn. He spoke of the committees he is now on, but that he is never consulted as to any work of the Council.

Other remarks were made by Wm. Dodd, Herman Weber, Fred Bird, Jacob Kriney, Michael Higgins, V. L. Frazee, George O. Stevens and others.

Before the meeting adjourned Mr. Moffett moved that a committee of five Democrats and five Republicans be appointed to confer with similar committees from the other wards for the purpose of nominating a citizens' ticket. This motion prevailed and the following were appointed: Republicans—Jacob Kriney, Herman Weber, Henry Leifke, W. S. Angleman, Jos. Chapot; Democrats—E. D. Moffett, V. L. Frazee, Michael Higgins, George O. Stevens, Ira Hurlbut.

It was then stated that the next meeting would be held subject to the call of the chair, after which the meeting adjourned.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Unity Lodge, Knights of Phthias, will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—The 9:15 o'clock prayer meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tonight will be led by Robert Love.

—The bedding manufacturers on Somerset street not only make over bedding and steam feathers, but they clean carpets and rugs to look equal to new; also cut, fit, sew and lay carpets.

—In the house furnishing department at White's they have placed on sale a beautiful line of fancy parlor lamps that are sold at interesting prices. The bric-a-brac department is well worth a visit.

WEDNESDAY BARGAINS

All our 12 1-2 figured denims (36-inch) 10c yd
" " 5c Cheesecloth " 3c yd
" " 50c. and 59c. Drapery Silks 39c yd
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" " $1.50 White Blankets, 11-4 $1 00 pr.
" " Amoskeag Apron Ginghams 4½c yd
" " $3 98 Down Quilts (full size) $3 00 ea
" " 15c. Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and embroidered 10c ea
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All-wool Camels' Hair 98c " "
" " double breasted $1.25 per garment.
Men's outing-flannel Nightshirts 48c and 75c
Men's White Shirts (Utica Muslin) 49c

Down Stairs.

3 1-2 lb. Feather Pillows (85c. regular price) 57c ea
4 lb. best Live Geese Feather Pillows, fancy tick, value $1.75, for the day $1 25

To Close Out.

2 GoCarts, were $2.49-2 98, your choice $1.98
3 Baby Carriages, were $9 98-12 47-16 98, to close $7 50, $9 50, $14

Sundries.

Good Egg Beaters 5c ea
Round Griddles 10c ea
Cold handle Fry Pans 10c ea
Closet Paper (all colors) 2c bunch
Full size square Dinner Pails, tin tray and coffee reservoir 15c
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Tin Colanders 6c
19c Brooms 15c

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CHILDREN'S REEFERS, in all available styles and colors, fancy trimmed, sizes 2 to 12, from $1 98 upwards.

SEAL COLLARETTES at $3.75, very cheap at $5.

LADIES' SKIRTS, full sweep, velvet bound, in mixed cloth and black figured brilliantine, at $1.00

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, November 15.—Beginning with Thursday night of this week, the members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church will open one of the most elaborate fairs and entertainments ever held here. The fair will last until Saturday night when it will close with a grand clearing sale of everything that is left in the line of aprons, fancy goods and things to eat. The young people of the church are taking great interest in the bazar and are determined to make it a success in every way.

Lud Frazee has lost his luxuriant moustache of twenty years' growth. In a joke Saturday Lud suggested to some one that he shave it off for him. Lud's friend took him at his word and before he was aware of it the thick moustache was gone. Lud vows revenge.

Arrangements are being made to heat the cells in the station house so that any individual unfortunate enough to get locked up will not freeze to death.

Crandall, the watchmaker, announces a cut in his prices for cleaning and repairing watches for the next sixty days.

Henry Haurand, of Plainfield, spent yesterday shooting on the game preserves and went away with quite a bag of game.

Harry Swackhamer and Will Fenner, of New York, went on their wheels to Pluckamin Sunday to visit relatives.

Miss Maggie C. Boice, who has been visiting friends in the borough, has returned to her home in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Smith and son, of Somerville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

Adam Dealaman and A. N. Randolph have returned from a hunting trip to German Valley.

Percy Abbott has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George W. Abbott, of Somerville.

Miss Lizzie and Miss Mary Martine have been visiting relatives at Flemington.

Miss Mary Whitney, of Plainfield, has been visiting friends in the borough.

Harry Dodwell attended the railroad men's ball at Bergen Point last week.

Miss Virgie Tunison spent Sunday with her parents at Glen Gardner.

George Huff has purchased a new hound dog for hunting purposes.

William E. Terry and wife are visiting relatives at Califon.

William H. Terry spent yesterday in Metuchen.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 15—Sunday the debt of $2,000, which has been hanging over the Baptist church, was raised, and when all the subscriptions are paid in the church will be free from debt. The $2 000 was raised entirely by subscription among the church members, and they feel quite proud of their efforts.

The members of Friendship and Lakeside Councils are making great preparations for their Thanksgiving supper to be held in Friendship Hall on the evening of November 22d.

Mr. Waldron, the barber, has put a phonograph in his shop to amuse his customers while they await the call "Next."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward, of Somerville, have moved to New Market, where they will reside hereafter.

Miss Nellie VanWinkle, of Long Islakd, is visiting Miss May Garretson.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed.—Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

Ely's Cream Balm works like a charm; it has cured me of the most obstinate case of cold in the head; I would not be without it.—Fred'k Fries, 283 Hart St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

A 10c trial size or the 50c. size of Ely's Cream Balm will be mailed Kept by druggists. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—The new engine house in the West End is rapidly nearing completion.

—Two members united with Hope chapel on confession of faith Sunday evening.

—The Browning Circle of the Congregational church meets this week Friday evening.

—A special Thanksgiving service is being arranged at the Mt. Pleasant chapel for Sunday evening, November 26th.

—A number of persons will be received into membership in the First Baptist church the first Sunday in December.

—A "good cheer" meeting will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow evening as the regular midweek service.

—Walter F. Hayhurst, Past Grand Chancellor, Knights of Pythias of N. J., will visit Unity Kodge, No. 102, K. of P., tomorrow evening.

—A literary entertainment will be given in Vincent chapel Friday evening at the meeting of the Epworth League of the First M. E. church.

—Miss Etta Raybert, of North avenue, has been secured to take part in the sacred concert to be given in the First Baptist church by the choir at an early date.

—A sociable will be held in the parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society of the church.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 15.—Mr. Stagg, of Brooklyn and a party of friends, were in town Sunday admiring Mr. Stagg's new residence being built on Grand street.

The recent work done on the roads through the township and borough, bring the roads up to the standard they were a few years ago, when there were no better in the State.

F. K. Clark now has the contract with the Baptist church to transport the Fanwood members to Sunday morning service and to Sunday-school service in the afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Woodruff, of the Methodist church, preached a strong sermon Sunday evening upon "The Ideal Man."

Miss Tina Kiemser has returned has returned from a three days' visit with friends in Westfield.

Mrs. Joseph Clark and son, Clinton, have returned from a short visit with relatives in Hazlet, N. J.

Fred Corey, of New York State, is making an extended visit with his father, Wm. S. Corey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son Monday morning.

George Snyder, of New York, spent Sunday with his father, Robert Snyder.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 15.—A young boy who gave his name as Charlie Ernest and said he was eight years old and lived at Union was found half clothed running around Westfield yesterday. To Overseer of the Poor Decker he told a woeful story of having been driven away from home by his parents who were both drunk. Mr. Decker provided suitable clothing for the boy and gave him something to eat and then sent him home. W. A. Chamberlain and R. M. Stickle undertook the job of driving the boy to his home, and at Springfield succeeded in finding where the uncle of the boy lived. They drove there but found that the boy lived in Newark. The uncle, Peter Ernest, who is an honest hard working milk farmer, said that the boy was roughly treated by his father and stepmother and that for the past week the boy had been with him. He promised to look after the little fellow.

At a meeting of the Township Committee of Cranford held last evening a bill for $257 was received from Miss M. E. Kimball, of the Plainfield Children's Home, for the board of three children by the name of Craner who had been sent to the home from Cranford. The bill was laid over until the next meeting, as there was not enough money in the treasury to pay it.

The members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. lodges of this vicinity will attend the services in the Methodist church next Sunday evening when Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will deliver a special sermon.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Mrs. Ransom, of this city, is visiting relatives at Astoria, L. I.

Mr. Deats, of Flemington, has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of Fifth street, is visiting realatives at Elizabeth.

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, has returned from a visit to Easton, Pa.

Miss Annie Flaag, of Hasbrouck Heights, is visiting Plainfield friends.

Mrs. Ephraim Compton, of Second street, is visiting friends in New York.

Fred J. Stack, of New York, was the guest of Plainfield friends yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. VanHorn, of the borough, is visiting relatives at Somerville.

Edward Richards, of this city, has returned from visiting Somerville relatives.

Mrs. George Strayer, of the borough, is visiting her mother at Tottenville, S. I.

Miss Louella Mills, of East Fifth street, spent Sunday with friends in Woodbridge.

Frank Dencklau, of East Second street, has resigned his position at Hall's pharmacy.

Mrs Elmore D. Moffett, of Orchard place, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tams, of Trenton.

Miss Annie Miller, of LaGrande avenue, is home from Wellesley College for a few days.

A little girl has arrived to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reynolds, of West Second street.

Miss Mary VanEps, of East Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Somerville.

Miss Clara Woltman, of Seventh street, has returned from a visit with friends in Massachusetts.

Marshall Winn, of the borough, has entirely recovered from his recent illness, and is again on duty.

Col. Julian Scott, of West Front street, who is ill with pneumonia, is reported as being improved.

Mr. and Mrs William Way, of Millington, were the guests of J. J. Crouse, of East Fourth street, Sunday.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Clawson, of Seventh street, is brightened by the arrival of a baby boy.

Mrs. Peter B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue, has recovered from her recent illness, and is able to be out again.

Mrs. DeWitt C. Smith and son, of Somerville, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. H Rugg, of Fairview avenue.

The Thursday Night Whist Club will be entertained this week by Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue.

A. A. Cornish, of Newark, formerly of this city, dropped in to see his Plainfield friends yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Dr. George D. Baker, of Philadelphia, is the guest of his brother, Councliman John D. Baker, of Stelle avenue.

Edward Mundy, of Metuchen, who was severely injured at Washingtonville a short time ago, is improving and is now able to sit up.

Fred Moore, of West Front street, who has been ill with the bronchial-asthma, has suffered from a relapse and is confined to his home once more.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson, of Grove street, who has been ill and confined to the house for several days, is improving favorably under the care of Dr. Buchanan.

Harry Tallman, of Washington, manager of the Grand Union Tea Company, was the guest of J. J. Crouse, local representative of that company, Saturday afternoon.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, now a senior at Lehigh University, is suffering from a broken finger on his right hand. He is still continuing his studies although he wears his hand in a sling.

Miss Clara Williams, of Madison avenue, returned last evening after a visit with friends at Bridgeport, Conn. Miss Bertha Wheeler, of Mountain avenue, who accompanied Miss Williams, will remain for some time longer.

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Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:20 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p. m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Patsy Christmas and his men are repairing the trolley tracks on Somerset street.

—A dance and entertainment will be given in Saengerbund Hall Thanksgiving Eve.

—This evening an important meeting of John Hand Camp, Sons of Veterans, will be held.

—The Rasores Club will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilson Smith, of Seventh street.

—The trucks of the U. S. Express Co. have all been repainted and present and attractive appearance.

—At the meeting of Unity Lodge, K. of P., tomorrow evening, several of the grand lodge officers will be present.

—This evening a sociable will be held at the First Presbyterian church under the auspices of the women of the church.

—The pupils at the Plainfield High School are beginning to practice special music for the Thanksgiving Day exercises.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church will give a literary entertainment in the church Thanksgiving evening.

—This evening an illustrated lecture will be given in Hope chapel on the recent Spanish war by E. O. MacFarland, of Newark.

—Mr. Cornwell has erected the storm doors at the First M. E. church, and the wooden railings and steps have been placed in position.

—The new dynamo has been installed in the electric light station to increase the power for the trolley cars, and the increased power is now in use. Everything thus far works satisfactorily.

Many Houses Burned.

Canonsburg, Pa., Nov. 15.—This town was visited yesterday by a furious fire, which, before it could be gotten under control, wiped out fully a third of the business portion, two of the principal hotels, many dwellings and did damage estimated at $150,000.

No lives were lost as far as can be ascertained.

Four Inches of Snow in Nebraska.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 15.—Wet snow to a depth of four inches covers Nebraska fields, though the weather is warm. Snow fell all day Sunday throughout wester nand central Nebraska.

The grain men generally agree that the present fall of snow is an excellent thing.

To Favor Submarine Boat.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The members of the naval inspection board have returned to Washington from New York, where they made a test last Saturday of the Holland submarine boat. The report of the board is now in preparation and it is understood that it will be favorable.

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That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

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10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

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DIED.

VANDERWEG—Suddenly in this city, Nov. 14th, 1898, Mary, wife of Edward Vandeweg. Funeral services at the residence of her son, Martin Vandeweg, 408 West Third street, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 16th, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

COOMBS—At Old Bridge, N. J., on Monday, Nov. 14th, Kate C. Coombs, late of this city.

COLTHAR—In North Plainfield, Sunday, Nov. 13th, 1898, Isaac S. Colthar, aged 78 years. Funeral service Wednesday, Nov. 16th, from his late residence, 94 Grandview avenue, at 11 a. m. Interment in Evergreen cemetery, Plainfield avenue.

M'KENNA—In North Plainfield, Monday, Nov. 14, 1898, Annie, daughter of John and Ellen McKenna, aged 6 years and 19 days. Funeral services Wednesday, November 16th, from her parents' residence, 198 Grove street, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, cheap. 91 Mercer avenue. 11 11 6

TO LET—Nice large, furnished rooms. Call Somerset Hotel, Somerset street and Lincoln place 11 14 3

WESTFIELD improved property, centrally located, paying 10 per cent, to exchange for Plainfield property. Address P O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 11 14 4

WANTED—Situation as coachman by an experienced American man with references. Call 745 West Third street. 11 14 2

FOR SALE—Large bay horse. Apply 810 Central avenue. 11 14 tf

HORSE for sale, 78 Linden avenue. 11 14 4

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED — A girl for general housework; bring references. 227 East Sixth street. 11 15 2

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LOT NO. 1.
Assorted lot of Waist, Skirt and Trimming Silks, the width is twenty inches, the colors are changeable, figures and stripes; the actual, lowest value is $1 25 yard, the price is..... 75c. yd.

LOT NO. 2.
Fifty styles of fancy figured Dress Goods, all good 1898 styles, the regular price is 10c. yd., the price is now..... 29c. yd.

LOT NO. 3.
Is fifty pieces of heavy, soft Outing Flannel, newest styles, the value is 10c. yd., our price..... 4c. yd.

LOT NO. 4.
Fifty dozen of Women's Fleece Lined Jersey Ribbed Vests and Pants, full sizes, winter weight, the price will be..... 19c ea.

LOT NO. 5.
100 dozen Women's Fast Black hose, no seams, double sole, close gauge, one of the best wearing stockings in our stock, 15c and worth it, our price will be..... 10c pair.

LOT NO 6.
A Fine Lot of all Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at a fair profit you would pay 15c each, buy now and they cost you..... 8c each.

LOT NO. 7.
A case of Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, warm, comfortable garments, honest as the day is long, sold everywhere at 50c each, they will go at..... 33c each.

LOT NO. 8.
A thousand boxes of the finest Writing Paper, smooth finish, each box contains 60 sheets and 60 envelopes, actual value, 25c, they go for 17c box.

LOT NO. 9.
Men's best quality night shirts, full generous sizes, Dwight Anchor Muslin, made as you would make them yourself, will go for..... 37 each.

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Europeans regard politeness as an expression of those qualities of the heart which render the person who desires to be polite agreeable to those with whom he is thrown. The Chinese look upon the matter from an entirely different standpoint. The same sentiment which accords importance to the preservation of dignity regulates his actions as regards politeness. Here is an example of their politeness:

A Chinese, arrayed in his most beautiful costume, who presented himself at a house, disturbed a rat which was enjoying himself in a jar of oil. The rat in his flight overturned the jar upon the visitor, whose dress was ruined. While the unfortunate visitor was still pale with rage, his host entered the apartment, and after the usual salutation the visitor explained his misadventure. "As I entered your honorable apartment I had the misfortune to alarm your honorable rat, which, in taking flight, overturned your honorable jar of oil upon my miserable and insignificant clothing, which explains the contemptible condition in which you find me in your honorable presence."

To determine your conduct when a Chinese offers you a present, is the most difficult thing in the world. Certain things are not offered to be accepted, and others may not be refused peremptorily. In a general manner, nevertheless, one may accept, understanding perfectly that the gift must be returned a hundred fold.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

RARE AND EXPENSIVE DRUGS.

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Saffron would strike an ordinary observer as decidedly expensive at 56 shillings a pound until told that it is composed of the central small portions only of the flowers of a crocus, 70,000 of which it takes to yield the material for one pound. Otto of roses sells at 28 pounds odd per pound and it takes ten thousand pounds—or nearly five tons—of roses to obtain one pound of the oil. Aconitine, extracted from the root of monkshood, is said to be the very strongest poison extant, the dose being one six-hundredth of a grain. It is sold at the rate of 27 pounds per ounce.

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The Boy and His Cap.

"I can't find my cap anywhere," is a sentence more or less familiar in the household, that being what the boy says, looking for his cap, when he wants to go out to play. Early in the search he enlists his mother, and that may make a serious business of it. She has to drop her dusting or whatever household work she may be engaged in, and the search may take a long time.

"Where did you put it when you came in?" is a question sure to be asked, sooner or later, but all the boy can answer is:

"I don't know."

And then the search goes on. Everywhere, over and under, in all sorts of places, all at a great loss of time, if not of temper. It is found at last, as most things are, in time, and in some simple easy place, which makes the finding of it all the more exasperating.

The boy takes it and goes out to play, and straightway forgets all about it, but it may take quite a little time to restore the normal calm in the house.

It is a mystery how the boy manages to lose his cap as often as he does, but it appears to be a boy's way, and common to almost all.

WIT AND HUMOR.

"Always do right and your friends will stand by you."

"Yes, but the time a man needs friends to stand by him is when he does wrong."—Chicago Record.

"I guess I'm willin' to go," said the farmer, when they told him that his hours would be but few. "It is just a change from havin' my nose to the grindstone to havin' it to the tombstone."—Indianapolis Journal.

He—You will some day regret refusing me.

She—Really?

He—Really. If you live to be an old maid you will regret this chance, and if you marry some fellow you will feel sure that I would have been a better husband.—Indianapolis Journal.

Little Clarence (who reads and ponders)—"Pa, I have just been reading a paragraph, which says there are various reasons why a man who talks in his sleep should not marry; what are some of those reasons, pa?"

Mr. Callipers—"The best reason, my son is because he talks in his sleep."—Puck.

A MASTER PASSION.

We were sisters, and I was ten years Norah's senior. She was naive, petite, winsome, and tender-hearted; I was a woman of strong impulses, with passions that smouldered and literary ambitions that rusted for the want of an incentive to call them into use. My character was more impressive than my beauty; but Norah had one of the sweetest faces that ever the sun shone on.

Having lost our parents early in life, we lived alone. Norah clung to me for guidance, I cherished her with the solicitude of an elder sister, and mutual devotion lent happiness to our somewhat uneventful lives.

But soon the monotony of our days was strangely disturbed.

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He was introduced to us by the vicar's wife, and my first impression of Abel Ventome was an impression of the ugliest man I had ever cast my eyes on. He was gaunt and ungainly, his pale face was seamed with lines of thought, and his attenuated features gave him an uncanny appearance, in spite of his high forehead and the lustre of his searching grey eyes. After a time, when I knew and understood him, he strangely attracted me.

He and his mother had taken a cottage in the village of D——, where we lived, for the purpose of editing for a well-known publisher a series of books called "The Commonplace Thinkers of the Nineteenth Century."

We soon exchanged visits. And by some chance or other I often found myself in the society of Ventome, whose conversation opened out a new world of thought and suggestion to me.

At last it seemed to me my chance had come. I had now met the strong intelligence to awaken the ambitions which had grown sluggish in the surroundings of a sleepy village.

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"I have such happy news for you," said Norah one afternoon to me, in animated tones. "I'm engaged to be married."

At once I instinctively guessed the truth. Nora had robbed me of his love. I looked at her with a stony glare. I could not move. I could not speak. It seemed as if I was paralysed.

"Gracie, darling, don't look like that; why don't you congratulate me? Did you not want me to be engaged?" and she twined her arms around me and sobbed.

I callously freed myself from her embrace. "You had no right to engage yourself without consulting me first," was my frozen reply.

"It was all so sudden," she faltered; "he told me he loved me—and——"

I harshly interrupted her: "Never mind particulars, I will see him myself," and I left her.

I went to my own room, maddened with jealousy and utterly miserable.

Later in the day he gave me his confidences.

"Everything has turned out so well," he concluded. "She will make me so happy, and your intellectual sympathy will complete my happiness."

With the hypocrisy which many women can assume I smilingly congratulated him, and actually kissed Norah and wished her happiness.

The thought, however, of another woman ministering to his happiness was gall and wormwood to me. The idea of the sister on whom I had expended a life's devotion winning his love was terrible. Their bliss should no longer mock me. Their love should no longer gloat over me. I resolved to kill them.

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I had a loaded toy revolver in my pocket, waiting for my time and opportunity. He had just arrived, and she had flown to meet him. Stealthily I was about to follow them to carry out my terrible purpose, when my glance fell on an unfinished letter on the table, and curiosity urged me to read it.

"My Own Darling Gracie.

"I know I am not half as clever as you are, but I have been clever enough to have found out your secret. You tried to hide it, dear, but you could not, and I am so glad my knowledge did not come too late. Do you think, darling, that I would ever supplant you, and be happy at the expense of your unhappiness? Never, never. I mean to tell him I have changed my mind and——"

I could read no more. I felt as if the walls of the room were folding around me to overwhelm and stifle me. The strength and beauty of my sister's unselfishness caused me to loathe myself. My darling's self-sacrifice reproached me and stung me, till I reviled myself as one unworthy to live. And in the agony of my shame and despair I drew the revolver out of my pocket and pointed it at myself, when I knew it was suddenly dashed from me and I saw and heard no more.

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When I had recovered from my ensuing long and painful nervous illness I resolved to travel. A distant relative in Canada who was a superior of a convent gladly welcomed me, and in spite of my sister's earnest entreaties to rejoin her, I had no heart to return; and thus the convent will be my home to the end of my days.

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"What is the matter?" asked Norah. "You have been groaning in your sleep for at least ten minutes, and I have been shaking you to awaken you."

"I have had such a terrible, vivid dream. Oh, darling! We will never be jealous of one another, and no one will ever part us."

"What a silly you are," replied my sister; "you've been over-tasking your brain, and had a nightmare in consequence."—Golden Penny.

SPEEDY THREE-YEAR-OLDS.

They Promise to Make New Records During This Year.

There is an unusual amount of enthusiasm in the racing field this year, and those who believe that the $50,000 youngster, Hamburg, is not in condition, will probably find themselves mistaken. The season will, in fact, bring out the greatest lot of three year olds known in years. Plaudit, Madden's fine animal, will be heard from very early in the season and Handball and Previous promise much, for they have wintered well and are in prime condition.

As far as consistency goes Handball deserves to be classed as one of the greatest of last season's 2-year-olds, the best, perhaps, except Hamburg. He made his first appearance in the Juvenile Stakes on the opening day at Morris Park in the spring, and he was a member of the field which struggled for the Westchester Handicap prize on the last day. He ran in all kinds of weather and over every kind of a track with admirable consistency, and was always there or thereabouts at the finish. Previous was not so consistent. He ran splendid races occasionally, but was not to be depended upon at all times. He is a splendidly gaited horse, however, and, like Handball, appears to be able to go over any distance. The Huguenot, who loomed up most prominently during the Saratoga meeting, but who went back again after he was brought back to New York, has done some splendid work at the old Monmouth Park track this spring, and Jimmie Rowe predicts that he will make a great 3-year-old. He is a colt of splendid size and fine proportions, and as a 2-year-old was much more forward than his full brother, Henry of Navarre. The Huguenot will race in Mr. Rowe's colors.

Another colt which went wrong in midsummer, but which has improved vastly recently, is J. G. Follansbee's Murillo. Of the Morello colts Mr. Follansbee was so confident that Murillo could win the Futurity that he came all the way from Europe to see him do it. It was a bitter disappointment to him to learn, when he arrived, that Murillo had been stricken with catarrhal fever and could not start. It required the most careful nursing to bring Murillo through that siege unscathed, but Dr. Sheppard succeeded in doing it, and Murillo is to-day in as good shape as he was when he first appeared in the East early last spring. He has grown a lot since his recovery and is a big, strapping youngster now.

August Belmont has two Rayon d'Or youngsters in his stable in Firearm and Lady Marian, who will undoubtedly be fast as 3-year-olds and do some wonderful things at times, just as they did some wonderful things as 2-year-olds.

Tennis Courts Will be Lively.

The outdoor tennis season will begin with the University interscholastic championships on April 30, followed on May 17 by the Southern championships, at Washington and May 24 by the New England championships, at New Haven. Ever since last season ended there has been a determined effort under way to have the rules regarding "foot faults" amended so that the duties of the base-

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line umpires would be less difficult and the players would make fewer foot faults. At the recent annual meeting of the association, the matter was referred to the Executive Committee for action, but the delegates were unable to agree on a new rule and the matter went over. Another meeting will have to be held before the season opens, or a mail vote will be taken. It is noticeable that the Tuxedo events are once more omitted from the official list, while there are several other tournaments revived. The New York State championships will be held at

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Syracuse this year, although it has not been held at all for the last four seasons. The West Newton Club, that held the big international event four seasons ago, when Pim and Mahony played in America, are scheduled for another invitation tournament this spring, and it is rumored that they have some plans for getting two or three of the English cracks to come over for it.

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Elsaß-Lothringen.

Straßburg. Der hiesigen Wohnungskommission gab kürzlich Bürgermeister Back bekannt, die Stadt beabsichtige, an Stelle der alten Synagoge 48 Volkswohnungen zu erbauen und dazu 500,000 Mark zu verwenden. Dabei sei auch der Bau eines Hauses geplant, wo besonders kinderreiche Familien, die nirgends Unterkunft finden, untergebracht werden können.

Hagenau. Beim Futtertragen steckte ein Gefreiter vom hiesigen Dragoner-Regiment das Messer, mit dem er einen Heusack von der Bandleine geschnitten hatte, geöffnet in die Brusttasche. Als er sich später beim Sackausleeren bückte, drang ihm die Klinge tief in die Brust, so daß er lebensgefährlich verletzt wurde.

Kötzingen. Der 19jährige Bauernbursche A. Heine rief, als er betrunken war, auf der Dorfstraße: „Vive la France!" Er erhielt wegen Ausstoßens aufrührerischer Rufe zwei Monate Gefängniß.

Metz. Die Bergwerksindustriellen Lothringens beschlossen, drei Vorschulen für Bergleute in Deutsch-Oth, Algringen und Groß-Moyeuvre zu gründen und zu unterhalten; die Regierung will ein Drittel der Kosten tragen. Die Gründung einer technischen Schule in Metz ist unbedingtes Bedürfniß.

Oesterreich.

Wien. Die außerordentlich strengen Maßregeln, welche gegen die Pestgefahr getroffen worden sind, scheinen der Ausbreitung der Seuche wirksam entgegenzutreten und man hofft jetzt, daß die Zahl der Opfer sich nicht weiter vergrößern werde.—Unter dem Verdacht, eine Wohnung mittelst Nachschlüssels geöffnet und daraus Effekten im Werthe von 60 Gulden gestohlen zu haben, wurde kürzlich im Bezirksgericht Favoriten ein 13jähriges Mädchen eingeliefert.—Der junge Medizinier Petrovich, ein Sohn des früheren serbischen Finanzministers, ist hier durch Blutvergiftung bei den Sezirubungen gestorben.

Agram. Im hiesigen Nationaltheater verwundete ein Schauspieler seinen Partner schwer im Gesicht, da das Gewehr, womit er im am Schlusse des Stückes zu erschießen hatte, geladen war.

Bozen. Der 60jährige Realitatenbesitzer Carlo Crosira stürzte nächst Reorsel alle Gere im Trentino von einer 100 Meter hohen Felswand. Die verstümmelte Leiche wurde von seinem ältesten Sohne unter großen Mühen aufgefunden und geborgen.

Budapest. Gegen den Schwiegersohn von Don Carlos, den Prinzen von Schönborn-Waldenburg, erstattete ein ehemaliger Güterverwalter des Prinzen, Alois Freund, dessen Vater früher die Geldgeschäfte des Prinzen vermittelte, eine Schadenersatzklage in Höhe von 100,000 Gulden vor dem hiesigen Gerichtshof. Auch Don Carlos ist vorgeladen.

Fiume. Der im hiesigen Hafen seit vielen Jahren beschäftigte Taucher Nikolaus Stricja ist während der Arbeit 17 Meter unter dem Wasserspiegel erstickt. Die Apparate wurden gerichtlich mit Beschlag belegt.

Graz. Der neu erwählte Gemeinderath hat den von dem früheren Ministerpräsidenten Badeni kurzer Hand abgesetzten deutschen Bürgermeister Graf zum Stadtoberhaupt wiedergewählt.

Oedenburg. Dieser Tage starb hier Frau Marie Wald im Alter von 74 Jahren. Die Verblichene hinterließ ein Vermögen von circa 200 000 Gulden, wovon sie etwa 140,000 Gulden dem städtischen Armenversorgungshause und dem Krankenhause vermachte; 60,000 Gulden bestimmte sie für Legate, darunter welche für humanitäre Institute der Stadt Baden bei Wien.

Schweiz.

Bern. Laut den Zusammenstellungen des Bernischen statistischen Bureaus repräsentirt die letztjährige Ernte des Kantons Bern einen Geldwerth von 119,893,799 Francs, den höchsten seit 1893. Die Getreideernte allein hatte einen Werth von über 19,500,000 Francs.—Bei Schießübungen in der Nähe von Thun wurden ein Knecht und ein Hirtenknabe durch Granatsplitter schwer verletzt, obwohl Beide sich nicht auf verbotenem Terrain befanden.

Zürich. Der Privatdozent für alttestamentliche Exegese und semitische Sprachen in der theologischen Fakultät der Züricher Hochschule, Dr. theol. Moritz Heidenheim, ist im Alter von 74 Jahren dahier gestorben. Heidenheim war lange Zeit Pfarrer an der hiesigen Kirche. In den letzten Jahren gab er die „Church Leaves" heraus.

Schwyz. Der Gemeinderath Lachen geht mit dem Gedanken um, nebst dem bestehenden wöchentlichen Kleinviehmarkt noch einen alle Monate abzuhaltenden Großviehmarkt einzuführen.

Freiburg. In diesem Kanton soll heuer ein außerordentlicher Himbeerensegen geherrscht haben. Eine einzige Firma hat von dieser Frucht 10,000 Kilogramm aufgekauft, wovon die Gegend von Gibloux die größten Massen geliefert hat. In Lovens sollen die Glieder einer einzigen Familie zuweilen bis 100 Kilogramm per Tag gepflückt haben.

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Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 8 27, 9 25, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15 2 07, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 22, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 05, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 06 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 05, a.m 9 03, 3 39 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 16, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 18, 6 35, 7 03, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 46 9 05 a. m.; 3 03 6 33 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 1 10, 3 16, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m 6 10 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre, and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 46 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

6 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, (5 37 for Sea Girt) 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 3 46, 5 21 p. m. Sundays, except Ocean Grove, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 5 37, 6 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 18, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 22, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 05, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 5 37, 8 13 a.m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a.m

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44 9 46, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 09, 5 36*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37*, 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 36*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 36*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a.m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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4 56 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton Shamokin, L. & B. Junction and principal intermediate stations.

7 22 and 9 28 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

9 02 p. m. Daily express for Easton, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Sayre, Geneva, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, carries sleeping car passengers only, and no baggage.

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HERO OF THE SOUDAN.

GENERAL KITCHENER'S HARD SERVICE AS A SOLDIER IN EGYPT.

Popular With His Men.—Harsh Ways of Maintaining Discipline in the Army.—Cowards Bastinadoed and Drunkards Made to Carry Heavy Bags of Shot.

When Major General Sir Herbert Kitchener, the hero of the Soudan, then a brevet major, made his first expedition up the Nile, in 1884, to rescue General Gordon at Khartoum, one of his staff interpreters was Herbert G. V. Morrell.

"Kitchener," says Mr. Morrell, "was a great admirer of Gordon, and could not conceal his anger at Gladstone for his treatment of the hero in 1884, which he characterized as 'rude and unkind.' Kitchener was looked up to as the most capable man to lead the expedition to rescue Gordon, though there were many officers on the spot superior to him in rank.

"Kitchener was thoroughly acquainted with the customs of the Arabs, and had made personal friends of many powerful sheiks. The local governors were mostly rich Turks. They were nominated from Constantinople, and their subjects were held in absolute servitude. Slavery flourished, too, and knowing the English had forbidden this, the Turks were loath to allow a white man in their homes. With Kitchener it was different; he was welcome always, and it is the same to-day.

"Kitchener had charge practically of the Gordon relief expedition, and if he had had his own way Gordon might have been saved. We reached Khartoum just about seventy hours after the massacre, and Kitchener was so sorry and enraged over this that he almost shed tears. We got away from Cairo in April, 1884.

"The Tenth Hussars and the Egyptian Cavalry Kitchener picked out especially for the expedition, and camels were used to transport the commissariat. It was in providing unusually good rations for the men that Kitchener made his first hit, and his determination to have the men well fed in a hot, tropical climate is responsible in great part for his wonderful success. He is always as careful of his commissariat as though the camels were carrying precious stones.

"Every morning at ten o'clock he was out to see to the details of giving out the stores, and any sergeant who makes a complaint about feed always receives a hearing. Kitchener laid in a supply of things which we had never been treated to before. He got tinned beef put up in Chicago, cheese, condensed milk, curry and rice, and all

SIR HERBERT KITCHENER.

along the route bought fresh vegetables. Every man received one pound and a half of bread and one pound of meat a day, coffee for dinner, and tea at night. If some big chap said he hadn't enough Kitchener would give orders to 'feed him more.'

"Kitchener was still a brevet major, but the soldiers looked upon him as a general, and he attracted more attention than any other officer.

"When the expedition got as far as Assouan a quarrel broke out among the natives in the commisariat department. This was made up of two distinct camel corps, one from Aden, consisting of Somalis, the Arabs who live in Aden; the other of Egyptians from Cairo and Alexandria. At the first encampment bad blood broke out. The contention as to who were the most proficient in camel driving was heightened by the alleged preference which was shown to the Adenites by the English. Finally the Somalis challenged the Egyptians to a fair fight, to see who were the more valiant. The Egyptians refused the contest. I was one of the interpreters who reported the matter to Captain Wilson, in charge of the commissary. The next morning Major Kitchener himself came into the camp and ordered the temedar (head groomsman) of the Adenites and the shek of the Egyptians to present themselves. He heard the two sides of the grievance, and then, turning quickly, commanded the sheik and 20 of the foremost Egyptians to be bastinadoed for cowardice. There was the greatest excitement in camp, but no one dared to revolt when those piercing eyes followed up the order. About twenty of those who refused to fight were tied on boards and rattan canes given to as many of the Adenites, and, to use the interpreter's exact language, 'they jolly well bastinadoed the Egyptians' feet off.' Some of them were so belabored that they could not walk for weeks, their feet being cut and swollen, but it stamped out all cowardice in the army.

"Kitchener is a martinet in the observance of rules, and is severe in punishments. He comes down rather heavily on drunkenness, and for this reason has made himself to a certain extent unpopular with some of his soldiers. Rogers, his body servant, is a teetotaler, which is an exceedingly rare thing to find in the ranks of Tommy Atkins. 'Kitchener's cure for drunkenness' is a by-word among his men. Once taken it is never forgotten. The culprit is togged out in full marching equipment, which is a matter of sixty pounds, and is then compelled to carry in each hand a bag of shot weighing fifty pounds. A sergeant and a guard are put over the victim to see that he does not stop walking or drop the shot. A man is sometimes kept at this 'shot drill' for six hours.

"Another severity which called down unpleasant comments on Kitchener was his order 'Kill the wounded Dervishes.' England heard of this with horror, but the British soldiers were loud in their praises. Kitchener had seen how these Dervishes, after being wounded, would lie quiet on the battlefield concealing in their clothes a pistol or scimeter shaped knife. When the ambulance corps and surgeons came out on the field to give aid to the wounded enemy, these fellows would wriggle out through heaps of slain and give a last thrust or put a bullet through a nurse or doctor. At other times they would hamstring a horse, and in this way disabled nearly the whole 'black watch.'

"There were eight thousand men in that first expedition," continued Mr. Morrell, "and they moved along like clockwork. Our orders from London were to proceed at eight and ten miles a day. Kitchener was for pushing forward in spite of orders. 'My God!' he would exclaim, 'poor Gordon will be murdered just because of a lot of fogheads at home.' Every day or two a runner would reach camp after making his way through the Mahdi army in disguise, and tell us that Gordon's provisions were almost gone and that he could hold out but a few days. Kitchener had figured out almost to the hour when we would reach Khartoum at the rate we were travelling, and decided that he would get there too late. But he was only a junior officer and his counsels to push forward did not prevail. Finally we were getting near Khartoum, and hopes of saving Gordon began to rise. They were suddenly dashed to earth, though, by the arrival of a Greek, named Lycurgus, who was carried into camp almost dead. He brought a message from Gordon and Frank Power, correspondent of the London Times, to 'come quick for God's sake.' It was then too late, though, for the Greek had just got clear of the Mahdi's lines when the Dervishes broke into Khartoum and began the massacre. We reached there two days later only to find the city deluged in blood. Had Kitchener had his way we could have saved Gordon."

PROBLEMS OF THE WOODS.

What Becomes of Beasts That Die a Natural Death.

"What becomes of wild animals that die in the woods?" said the naturalist. "I mean wild animals that die a natural death. Age and disease must carry many of them regularly as human beings are carried off, but what becomes of their bodies? I have never heard of any one coming across a dead bear or fox or wildcat in the woods that had died from natural causes. I have never heard of any one finding even the skeleton of a wild animal in the woods that did not show evidence somewhere that the beast had met its death through violence. But an uninjured skeleton or body of a wild animal without a wound, I have never heard of.

"I found once in the woods of McKean county, Pa., the skeletons of two enormous bucks with their antlers locked together. It was plain that the two animals had been engaged in mortal combat, during which their horns had become entangled, and it being impossible to break the lock thus made, both bucks succumbed to exhaustation and starvation. Another time I found the body of a doe in the woods, and near by lay the mutilated remains of a big rattlesnake. The story of the two bodies was plain to me. The deer, true to its nature, had attacked the snake, but the snake had succeeded in striking the deer with its fangs before the sharp hoofs of the animal had killed it. I have come upon many other dead bodies and skeletons of wild animals at different times in the woods, but never one that did not show unquestionable evidence that the beast had died from violence of some kind. So the mystery as from natural causes remains.—New York Sun.

An Irishman's Chivalry.

William Smith O'Brien, the leader of the National party of Ireland, who was transported in 1849, had none of the gifts which attract the multitude. He was not an orator, his manners were not winning, and he made few intimacies.

But his character and his well-poised head put him at the head of the Nationalists, whose purpose was to secure the independence of Ireland. An anecdote related in Sir Charles Gavan Duffy's book of reminiscences, "My Life in Two Hemispheres," shows the chivalry of the man.

He had a duel in the day when that savage method of settling disputes was the custom, and the two men were placed opposite to each other.

Just as the signal, "One, two, three—fire!" was about to be given, O'Brien cried:

"Stop! No signal, I pray."

His opponent's second stepped forward and said with asperity, "This is very irregular, sir. What do you wish to say?"

"I wish," answered O'Brien, "to call your attention to the fact that the gentleman opposite me has let the cap fall off his pistol."

THE RING AND GLOVE

I felt like Cortez upon a memorable occasion when the jeweler's glass door swung behind me, and marching up to the counter, I asked for a ring.

"A ring, sir?" said the attendant, a Cockney to his finger tips. "What sort of ring?"

"An engagement ring," said I, valorously.

"What size, sir?" demanded the man, docketing me mentally.

"Five and a half," I replied, thinking of the glove.

"That's rather an unusual size," he remarked, rubbing one eyebrow, "unless it's a bangle the lady wants."

I'm not sure that she wants it at all," I murmured, producing the little sandalwood-scented bit of silk; "but that is the size, I think."

"Oh—its the size of the lady's 'and," he observed with mild toleration, unrolling it. "Well, sir, ladies' fingers vary in girth, and it's more usual to fit them with a piece of cardboard; but we'll do our best."

"Could not the member be reconstituted?" I asked impressively.

That knocked the conceit out of him; he stared at me helplessly.

"Fill it with powder or something," I explained.

It took him five minutes of self discipline to grasp the startling novelty but he did, and, under my direction, filled the third finger sheath with plate powder, which I rammed home with my pencil case. Then, producing a miniture calliper, he took measurements, and began to search the scintillating stock, displaying a reverent familiarity most impressive to behold. Cleopatra, how they dazzled! Pearls, rubbles, emeralds, diamonds, each challenging the admiration, but checking the desire by the narrow parchment slip attached setting forth the price. Forty pounds, fifty pounds, one-hundred pounds; it was a charmed place, where money lost its everyday significance, for what man of spirit would be content to offer the girl of his heart a thing costing a miserable tenner when close beside it twinkled a rosy diamond worth a wilderness of monkeys?" I felt almost pauperized, recollecting that I had only seventy-five pounds available from the Derby hundred.

"Now, sir, what do you think of this?" asked the shopman patronizingly, as he displayed an opal changeful as the shifting sunlight on a misty sea. It's exactly the lady's size making allowances, of course, she won't want to wear it over 'er glove.

"Are not opals unlucky?" said I endeavoring to decipher the price.

"Oh, we don't hold with such superstition," replied the jeweller loftily, "but they do say one will keep you from being poisoned."

"Then I shall leave it for the next rich widow," I answered. "But what is the cost of this?"

I alluded to an emerald set amid pearls, which I already saw glittering on the loveliest hand in the world. He extracted it with a silent respect he borrowed from my eagerness, and made a measurement while I watched him, my heart beating madly. The size was exactly the size; he price—but this is a detail. I decided upon it. The shopman thanked me perfunctorily, and I leaned against the counter, feeling like one who was receiving a great favor. But when I fumbled in my pockets for the notes and heard their crisp crackle my confidence returned, and then as I watched the splendid thing flashing in its violet bed I believed I must after all be a rich man, unknown to myself, so great was the suggestion of unlimited wealth thus conveyed.

"I should like a piece of glass on the inside of the case lid," I observed carelessly. "Is it usual?"

"That's looking-glass?" queried the lapidary, glancing up from a surreptitious examination of the notes."

I nodded. I knew I must be getting red.

"Well," he remarked tolerantly, "it's not exactly usual, but it's a pretty idea—'lightens the attraction of the gem, makes the lady see the present from two points of view."

"Hardly an advantage sometimes," I observed; "but can you do it?"

"Well, yes, I should think," he replied condescendingly.

"Then get it done, and I shall stand the racket!" I answered magnificently.

He hurried away to effect the alteration, his place being taken by a bald-headed salesman who wore spectacles, and talkd to me over them soothingly, as one would to a person of weak intellect, while I formulated piratical schemes, and asked him puerile questions with a gravity equalling his own.

When I left the shop I headed straight for Bloomsbury Square, but remembering that she might be just then occupied with domestic duties, decided to call later in the day. Even the ring in my pocket gave me no additional courage, and presently I began to think it was not royal enough. Edging my way to Regent's Park, I hunted out a quiet spot and sat down to examine it at leisure. It was glorious still, but somehow not so glorious as I could have wished, and the everlasting flint would have worn well beneath it. Something more of the intellect than of sense, made me look up, and I saw her.

The sensation of being shot through the heart has not, I believe, received adequate literary expression, those who experienced it being preoccupied at the exact moment with other matters; but I think I know what it means. She stopped, and we gazed at each other. She was in deep black, but the pallor had gone from her oval cheeks. She made me a half-tentative bow. I sprang to my feet.

"I'm so glad to see you," I cried, "because—I want to restore something you forgot in the restaurant yesterday—a few weeks ago."

"How kind of you!" she said, coming near.

"Oh, not at all," I replied; "but I hope you were not inconvenienced. I should have sent it, but I—I didn't."

I put my hand in my breast pocket hurriedly, and extracted my handkerchief, which in turn brought to light a sheaf of letters and a memoranda I shook out at her feet like a skillful conjurer. Then I tried the other pocket, but vainly. "It's a glove," I said weakly, gathering up my belongings, "one of yours, don't you know."

"I recollect—I missed it," she said coldly.

"But the cab went so quickly," I pleaded; "ah, do sit down until I find it!"

She did so. I am in a gentle perspiration.

"Hurrah, I have it!" I cried, and I extracted the wisp of silk from my watch pocket, where I had thrust it on leaving the shop.

"So kind of you," she observed, taking it. Then the powder ran out over her dress.

"How stupid!" I gasped, completely demoralized now and taking the glove I shook it vigorously until I had created a miniature dust storm. She sneezed. I devoutly wished that the flying machine was an accomplished fact.

"It's ruined," I muttered woefully, for it certainly represented a piebald appearance.

She smiled. I sat down, saying desperately:

"Would you allow me to keep it—the thing is of no use now?"

"Why?" she answered quietly; but the voice was low.

"To remind me of that happy day," I replied, shying.

"Indeed? I am glad you think of it as a pleasant one," she said graciously. "Mr. Turnbull was declaiming all the way back in the cab. He seemed prejudiced against you."

"He may be described as a man who means well," I observed severely. "I hope he said something actionable."

"Oh, hardly that!" she answered, laughingly; "but he seems to have changed his opinion lately. Your name happened to come up in conversation to-day, and he said"—

She paused; a sudden flame leaped into her cheeks.

"What did he say?" I demanded, trying to look away.

"He said you were an honorable man," she replied, the point of her parasol tracing a lopsided isosceles triangle in the dust, "but"——

"Ah there is much virtue in that but," I observed bitterly.

"That you ought to settle down," she continued, tossing her head and rising.

"So I shall," I cried, "but it depends upon my lady. I have her portrait here in this case. She is the only girl I shall ever care for in that way," I added, because even a little qualification does no harm in even the most exalted moments. "By the way, she is an acquaintance of yours, too," and pressing the spring, I handed the casket to her as the lid flew back. She glanced at me curiously, very pale now. I, weak about the knees, watched a child trundle a hoop past us.

She uttered a little cry that sank into a sobbing laugh. Then she sat down beside me and put one of the hands I hope to hold when Death beckons me down the last dim turning of Life's road, into mine.

"I trust she will make you a good wife," she said gravely. And— Well surely man born of woman can guess the rest.

When Letters Were Scarce.

To write a letter in the middle ages was no joke—a task which none out a priest or a scribe by profession would willingly encounter.

Letter-writing in early times was resorted to only on occasions of moment; even letters of familiarity frequently took the form of legal instruments. Till a comparatively later period, too, vellum was the substance upon which they were written, and scribes were employed to indite them.

The earliest letter written in England now remaining is probably that of Wuldhan, Bishop of London, to Beretuald, Archbishop of Canterbury, preserved in the Cottonian Manuscripts, desiring his advice as to the mode of proceeding at a council, summoned at a place called Breyuntford (Brentford), for settling certain differences which had arisen between the king and the said council. Beretuald was Archbishop of Canterbury from A. D. 692 to A. D. 731.

The letter is greatly injured, and altogether too difficult to be perfectly made out; a solitary record of early epistolary intercourse in the Saxon times. No other letter is known of previous to the Norman Conquest.

After the Conquest, letters became more numerous, but all either in French, the tongue of the Norman masters, or in Latin, the then universal language of educated men throughout Europe.

Nearly all of those in the collection in these languages are by priests. The constant turmoil and insecurity in which the laity then lived, made it impossible for them to cultivate writing; but the want of a cheap and good material to write on was to the full, as great a drawback.

Our earliest use of paper in epistolary correspondence cannot be carried farther back than the reign of Edward I., during whose reign, or in the latter part of his father's time, it seems to have been brought from the east by way of Italy.

FOR MARGUERITE.

Then you won't marry me, sweetheart? The words were uttered low and pleading, the voice very tender and true, but the girl on whose dainty ears they fell threw the beautiful head a little further back, and laughed out her half-vexed, half-defiant answer.

"When you are on the road to success, Gerard, I'll marry you at once."

The man listened, his handsome face turning white, as if carved in stone.

"Success with you is only another name for—"

"Money," the girl interrupted, with that lovely light laugh again. "I know it, Gerard, and despise me for it if you will, but if you had been brought up in poverty, then you, too, would spell Success with an M, a very big M, and call it Money!"

The man sighed heavily. Fate was indeed against him now, and his career, light and hopeful as it looked a short time ago, seemed sadly dull and somber now.

He would say one more thing before they parted, he determined suddenly; he would have at any rate a clear understanding with the woman he loved so madly. And after that, then the venture—to the right, or to the left!

He put out his hand to stay her as she would have risen. "I want to ask you one thing more," he said, so gently that her wandering attention was fixed on him once again.

"If I went into the business, my father's business, which as you know I hate—if I gave up my dreams of the Bar, and a life which I should love, a life which would be poor, perhaps, but full of promise—if I had the prospect of success in the business of which you speak so highly, what then?"

She turned to him with a new light sparkling in her beautiful eyes. Had she conquered at last—everything, every hope, every ambition at her feet?

"Then," she said, her voice tender with feeling, and her soft eyelids drooping above the brilliant eyes, "then I should say no more," and her tones trembled into silence, and her white hands played nervously with the violets at the bosom of her beautiful gown.

"But would you love me, and believe in me, my love?" he urged, his voice strained with passionate love, his hands clasping hers. "Will you love me, darling, will you let me hope again?—will you, darling—tell me, tell me now." And the soft waltz-music rose and fell again, and the air was laden with the scent of lilies and heliotrope, as Marguerite the beautiful bent towards her lover.

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The snow fell outside very softly, wrapping the sordid city in tenderest white coverings, and transforming it into a kingdom of crystal and pearl. Inside one of the greatest of its many fair houses there was revelry, and the ripple of silvery voices, and the ring of tuneful laughter.

One of the land's richest men entertained his guests, and feasted them right royally, so that they spoke increasingly well of him and his entertainment, and of the beauty of his peerless wife!

She stood in the great drawingroom in purest white, with diamonds on her snowy neck, and beautiful stars in her golden hair, and around her a little company of the gayest and wittiest and cleverest kept her court, and pleased her with their sallies, until her clear laugh rang out above all the gentle badinage around.

The husband heard the silver ripple of laughter, and it awoke some of the old thoughts, the old memories that he had striven to lay by, as a child lays by its dear old toys when playing days are over and done with.

And all of a sudden he felt very weary and tired—tired of all the lights and the scent of the great banks of roses that his wife had ordered the skillful florist to arrange—tired of the music, and the faces, and the crowd, and he slipped away, unnoticed, to his quiet study, and sat there awhile to dream.

He had gone into the business that he had heartily disliked—for Marguerite—and it had proved a success in his hands.

How tenderly she had caressed him at the time of the sacrifice—how gently her pretty fingers had smoothed the way! She was so much accustomed to it all now, and he had "lived it down," as she once said playfully to him. She was always sweet, and always beautiful, and every one said he was the luckiest man in London! Perhaps it was true!

He got up and sauntered back to the drawingroom—his lovely wife was chatting with a young barrister as he passed.

"My husband would have been just like you to-day," he heard her say, in that exquisite voice of hers, "if he had not taken my advice. He took it, and you see the result."

The younger man looked around. He saw the beautiful rooms, the brilliant crowd, the flashing of countless gems, the peerless beauty of the woman who spoke, he heard the music rising and falling in the distance, and breathed the delicate scents of rarest blossoms.

Again he saw the word "Success" written everywhere—success that he, a beginner, a novice, could never hope to emulate. Suddenly the worn face of the master met his eyes. "I see the result," he said quietly.

—Augusta Hancock in London Lady.

Miriam—"Did you take the picture of the young man on the mantel?"

Mildred—"Yes."

Miriam—"Friend of yours, I suppose?"

Mildred—"Well, he was before I took the picture."—Yonkers Statesman.

Hard to Combat.

The evidence of our senses. What Plainfield people say is pretty good proof for Plainfield people.

When we see it ourselves.
When our own ears hear it.
When our neighbors tell it.
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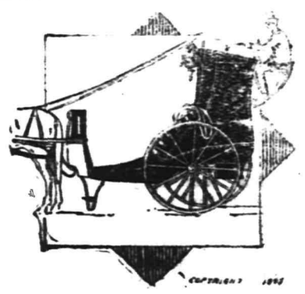

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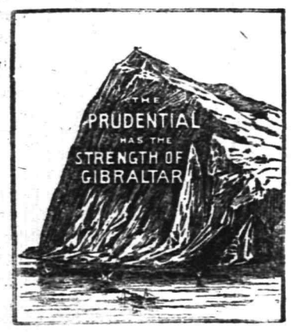

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SPORTING.

WHIST

The whist game scheduled for tomorrow evening between the Park Club team and the New Jersey Athletic Club team has been postponed by request of the latter team. The next game in this city will be between the Park Club and the Elizabeth Chess and Whist Club which will be played Wednesday, November 23d.

ROD AND GUN.

Mr. Pier and Frank Vanderhoof, of West Front street, have returned from a hunting trip to Pluckamin.

A. I. Smalley, of the borough, left last evening on the B. and O. Railroad for Clarksburgh, W. Va., to visit relatives and enjoy the fine shooting that abounds there.

GOLF.

There will be no special golf events on the course of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club next Saturday.

AT THE TRAPS.

There will be a live bird shoot at Campbell's Club house Thursday afternoon.

BATES'S WOUND MAY NOT BE FATAL.

Young Man Shot by Miss Masie Lee is Resting Comfortably.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 15.—There is a chance that Joseph Bates, twenty-five years old, who was shot Saturday night by pretty Masie Lee, aged twenty, will survive. After a restless night, during which he suffered much pain, Bates dropped into a restful sleep, and the attending physician expressed the hope that he might recover from the effects of the wound.

The shooting occurred in a kitchen over the restaurant of James Callahan, of Burnet street, where both the young people boarded. As Bates walked into the room Miss Lee picked up a rifle and playfully told Bates that she would shoot him. To her surprise and horror, the weapon was discharged, and Bates fell to the floor, with a bullet wound just over his heart. The young woman was placed under arrest, and declared that the shooting was accidental. It was thought at first that Bates would died, and his ante-mortem statement was taken. In it he completely exonerates the young woman.

Judge Thomas' Court.

Justice Thomas has issued summons in the contract cases of J. H. Stevens against Adrian C. Pickhardt, returnable November 21st; A. M. Griffen against John Cooper, returnable November 22d.

—C. V. D. Corle, the livervman, began tearing down the old City Hotel sheds to erect new ones When they are finished there will be 160 feet of open sheds.

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PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

The condition of J. W. Yates today remains unchanged.

Mrs. Chapin, of New York, is visiting Mrs. S. R. Robinson, of West Second street.

H. W. Fraleigh has moved from 961 West Fourth street to 1130 West Seventh street.

Willard Martin, of Jackson avenue, has accepted a position with the Lawrence Cement Co, at Siegfried, Pa.

David Carney, of the borough, attended the dinner given by Sheriff elect Schoonmaker at Somerville today.

Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, of Freeport, L. I., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Eugene Hatch, of West Ninth street.

Ex Warden Cahill, of the county jail at Elizabeth, is very ill at the Alexion Hospital there with Bright's disease.

Peter Finger, of Washingtonville, is very low, and is not expected to recover. He has a complication of diseases.

H. K. Samuelian, who has been visiting among friends here for several days, has returned to his home in New York.

George Firstbrook, of North avenue, has been appointed general eastern agent of the Duncannon Iron Company, of Duncannon, Pa..

Chief Marshal Wilson, of the borough, is off duty today on account of the severe illness of his wife. Marshal Whitely is taking his place.

Rev. Dr. Rodman and Rev. Dr. J. P. Taylor left this morning to attend the second convocation of the Episcopal church, being held at Trenton today.

Amos Moffett and Mrs. John Stryker, of West Sixth street, and Mrs. Arthur Stryker, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Chamberlin, of Jersey City.

Mrs. Amos Allen, of Westfield, daughter of the late Stephen Pangborn, of Plainfield, is confined to the house with a stroke of paralysis. Her condition is critical.

DR. CARROLL HOME.

President's Commissioner Returns from Porto Rico.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New York, Nov. 15—The Red D. Line steamer Caracas, Capt. Woodrick, arrived this morning from Venezuelan ports, via Jan Juan de Porto Rico, Nov. 1st. She brought sixty-three passengers, including Dr. Henry K. Carroll, of Plainfield, who was commissioned by President McKinley two months ago to investigate the internal affairs in the island of Porto Rico, for the information of the Goverment. Sixteen discharged soldiers also arrived on the Caracas.

ROGERS GETS 12 YEARS.

Colored Robber Received a Heavy Sentence Today.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Somerville, Nov. 15—Pearl Rogers, who was arrested in Plainfield a week ago on the charge of breaking and entering the home of Charles Jeter, of Belmont avenue, was arraigned before Judge Bartine in the county court this morning and sentenced to seven years in State prison on that charge.

On the charge of highway robbery in Somerville he was sentenced to five years, making a total of twelve years. The crime committed in Somerville was holding up a bicyclist.

—Press want ads bring results.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Robert Love will lead the 9:15 o'clock meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—E. Dorman, of Central avenue, has opened an insurance office at 121 Park avenue.

—William H. Rogers, the wheelman, is having the interior of his store papered and painted.

—The Epworth League of the First Methodist church will hold a literary sociable in the chapel Friday night.

—A yellow dog was struck and killed by a trolley car on West Fourth street this morning. The Sanitary Company carted the body away.

—The Lily Club, of Fanwood, gave a concert in the Calvary Baptist church last week for the benefit of the church, and the concert netted the church $35.

—The Lord's Supper was celebrated at Bethel chapel Sunday evening. There were two accessions. Miss Magnolia Sookens and Miss Minnie Harris united with the church on confession of faith.

—Hillier & Co. has devised a method whereby the laundry work on collars and cuffs do not have a rough edge, which is a source of annoyance. Their work is superfine and is commented on freely.

SOMERSET'S NEW SHERIFF.

Selah Schoonmaker Took the Oath of Office This Morning.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Somerville, November 15.—Selah Schoonmaker was sworn in as Sheriff of Somerset county this morning at 11:30 o'clock in the office of County Clerk Somers. Judge Bartine administered the oath of office. The new Sheriff's bondsmen are Charles S. Voorhees, George Dilts, George VanDerveer, Charles Schwed and Charles Spear. They qualified in the sum of $20,000.

This afternoon the new Sheriff is giving a banquet to his friends in the TenEyck house.

MASTER LION'S OPPORTUNITY.

How the Dog of Marie Nevins Blaine Bull Became a Member of the Family.

When Mrs. Marie Nevins Blaine, divorced wife of young Jim Blaine, married Dr. William T. Bull, she was obliged to resign one of her most treasured possessions, a beautiful spaniel, named, if memory is not treacherous, Lion.

Her fondness for Lion was almost a craze, and she had taught the dog many tricks. The devotion was mutual, and if the comrades were separated even for a day Lion was inconsolable.

Upon her marriage to Dr. Bull she gave up her canine pet, as he detested dogs, and did not like them around the house. But Mrs. Bull was a diplomat. Lion was banished, but, she hoped, not forever, although it was some time before she put any pleas in in his favor.

One day, when she had been married about a year, she hinted that she was grieving to see Lion, and said if it would not annoy the Doctor she would like to have him come and visit her for a week. He could stay at the stable, and only visit the house when the Doctor was out. Well, Dr. Bull is very fond of his pretty wife, so Lion received his invitation, and in due time arrived in New York and was installed at the stable.

Every day while the Doctor was on his rounds Lion spent the time in his mistress' boudoir. His happiness at the reunion was that of a schoolboy at home for vacation, and he would go through all the pretty tricks his mistress had taught him to show her he had not forgotten them. Three days of Lion's visit had passed when as Dr. Bull was taking off his overcoat in his office, there came a rap at the inner door. It was so faint that he did not notice it. Then, when it was repeated, he said, "Come in!" No one came, but the rapping went on. He opened the door and there stood Lion. He had been knocking the door with a little wooden box he held in his mouth addressed to Dr. Bull. The Doctor took the box, and Lion, too polite to intrude, turned and walked in a dignified manner back up stairs. The Doctor opened the box, read the tiny note contained therein, smiled and threw it in the scrap basket.

The next day Lion knocked and left another note. The third time he came there was a reply for him. The Doctor said, "Lion, wait!" He took the box, abstracted the note, put one of his own in its place, and, handing the box back to the dog, gave him a pat and sent him up stairs. Here is a copy of Lion's notes and the reply they finally elicited:

"Dear Doctor—I am enjoying my visit to my mistress very much. It was very kind of you to invite me here, and I have tried to behave the best I know how. It will be hard to leave my mistress again. I wish you would like me a little bit. Lion.

The letter which Lion carried back to his mistress read: "Lion, you are such a respectable, well-bred fellow that your visit is extended indefinitely. "W. T. B."

That evening the Doctor and his wife had a hearty laugh over her little bit of scheming and Lion shared in it.

New York Mail and Express.

A DUTCH WEDDING AN ORDEAL.

Its Curious Features A Long and Tedious Ceremony.

A Dutch wedding is a portentious business. Smart Holland does its devotions in barnlike French Protestant churches. The wedding service is mournful to a degree, and lasts two hours. The bridegroom, in full evening dress, and the bride, in orthodox white satin, sit upon chairs in front of the black-robed minister. He delivers an extempore address fairly bristling with personalities. Meanwhile relatives sob in pews, until finally every one who can prove the remotest connection with the bride kisses her.

Next follows a tremendous breakfast in French style. It is "de rigueur" for all the friends of the bride to send her in the morning a bouquet or basket of white flowers plentifully ribboned. With numbers of these a very gay effect is produced, though the Dutch are lamentably behind the times in table decoration and posey-making. With the advent of the "hors d'oeuvre" come speeches. The bride's brother or other delegate first rings a small handbell. Then, amid a silence broken by the cheerful clicking of knives and forks, a health is proposed. Then comes a quaint postscript to this very ordinary ceremonial. Ladies and gentlemen must alike rise from their seats, and, solemnly filling up to the person toasted, touch his glass to their own. After a score [illegible] the thing gets monotonous. [illegible] carried out to the bitter [illegible] person omitted would feel [illegible] Holland it is the fami[illegible] thing. A leading bar[illegible] recently compelled to [illegible] important case in order [illegible] Monday dinner party of [illegible] who lived three hours [illegible]

London Globe.

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NOTICE.

The subscribers, commissioners of adjustment in and for the city of Plainfield, appointed by the circuit court of the county of Union, on the twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of performing the duties and exercising the powers conferred by chapter CXII of the laws of 1896, entitled "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents, in cities of this state, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment", passed March 30 1886, and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto, having filed a report of their proceedings and of the assessments, charges and liens fixed and certified by them together with a map on which the lands so assessed and charged have been indicated by block and lot numbers, and said court having on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1898, ordered that said report and all matters touching and concerning the same be referred back to said commissioners to reconsider the subject matter thereof, and that the said report be corrected and revised by said commissioners, or a new report be made by them in the premises to said court without unnecessary delay pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided:

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers, commissioners aforesaid will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1898, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear, either personally or by counsel, all persons interested in the re-assessment or adjustment under said act, of the taxes, assessments or water rates in arrears in the said city.

Dated Nov. 15th, 1898.

FRANK BERGEN.
J. A. HUBBARD,
A. B. CARLTON,
Commissioners of Adjustment.
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Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 14, 1898.

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We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale.

Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3 75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5 25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7 25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00 Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 wortt $2 75.

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Grandest Wedding of the Year Held Last Night.

MAGNIFICENT DECORATIONS

MISS GERTRUDE BAKER, DAUGHTER OF J. T. BAKER, THE BRIDE.

Howard Wade Beebe, Prominent in Local Society and Clubs, the Groom—The Ceremony Was Very Elaborate—Many Beautiful Gowns—Church and House Thronged With Guests—The Bridal Party

Magnificent, indeed, was the appearance of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church last evening with the towering pyramid of palms in front, the mammoth pink and white chrysanthemums on every side, and a host of finely-gowned women and well-appearing men, the very elite of Plainfield society, all to do honor to the marriage of two of Plainfield's society leaders, Miss Gertrude Baker, daughter of Councilman and Mrs. John Thomas Baker, of Stelle avenue, and Howard Wade Beebe, of Madison avenue.

It was the greatest and most elaborate wedding of the year and, with the reception that followed at the spacious home of Councilman Baker, on Stelle avenue, formed one of the principal events of the season in local society circles. The ceremony was one of the prettiest ever witnessed in the city while the decorations at both church and house were arranged with a beauty and grandeur seldom seen.

Both of the couple have hosts of friends in the city where they have resided for many years. Both were prominent in society where they were general favorites. Mr. Beebe has long been an energetic worker in the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club as well as in the Union County Country Club. Then there were many acquaintances in New York and other cities. Over three thousand invitations were sent out.

A more representative gathering of the families of Plainfield's prominent and influential citizens than the one that filled every bit of available space in the Crescent Avenue church last evening, could hardly be imagined. Society was out in force. The display of beautiful gowns was in itself an event.

Among the men in the vast assemblage were those who have shaped and controlled the city's affairs for many years. As the father of the bride is president of the Common Council, next in rank to the Mayor of the city, the present directors of the city's prosperity were there. All the members of the Common Council were present. Then, too, among the guests were prominent men from New York and other cities, together with their families.

It was a chrysanthemum wedding and monster specimens of the national flower of Japan were used in countless profusion in the decoration of the sanctuary. Pink and white were the prevailing colors. Across the entire front of the church and reaching above the gallery was a great pyramid of palms that hid the platform from view. Huge masses of pink and white chrysanthemums, artistically grouped, were placed at either end while other chrysanthemums of the same colors were ranged along the base of the pyramid of green. The railing to the gallery was hidden beneath a profusion of southern smilax on which were hung beautiful garlands of pink and white chrysanthemums. Large palms were placed at intervals along the railing. At the ends of the pews gigantic chrysanthemums nodded their plumed heads.

Long before 8 o'clock, the hour set for the ceremony, the guests began to arrive and rapidly filled the many pews on the main floor and in the gallery. Even before the appointed time every seat was filled and many were standing. During the interval that preceded the arrival of the bridal party, Frank J. Smith, the regular organist of the church, rendered a programme of pleasing selections.

When the hour had come and all was ready, the harmony changed and the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march pealed forth in stately measure. Then the doors to the left centre aisle swung open and the bridal party entered. The ushers, who were William C. Baker, a brother of the bride, Dr. Benjamin Van D. Hedges, Dr. F. C. Ard and J. H P. Wharton, of this city, Willis D. Wood, of Brooklyn, and Henry W. Evans, a cousin of the groom, of Westfield, entered first. They wore the formal evening dress with white vests. Each wore a boutenniere of white carnations.

After the ushers came one of the maids-of honor, Miss Louise Anderson, of St. Louis, a cousin of the bride. She wore a beautiful gown of white silk mull over yellow taffeta. She carried a bouquet of violets tied with purple ribbon. The six bridemaids followed two by two. They were Miss Florence Abbott, Miss Mary Bushnell, Miss Katheryn Reinhart and Miss Mary Whiton, of Plainfield, Miss Frances Baker, of New York, a cousin of the bride, and Miss Nancy Lawson, of Salem, Mass. Their gowns were of white silk mull over pink, with bowknots of pink ribbon applique on the mull. The pink gowns of the second couple were a shade lighter than that of the first couple, and those of the third couple lighter still. Immediately following was the other maid-of-honor, Miss Anne Miller, of Plainfield, who was gowned like the bridemaids, only in a still lighter shade of pink, with white ribbon trimmings. The result was a gradual shading of color that gave a most charming effect. The maids-of honor wore short veils, caught up by knots of ribbon corresponding in color to their gowns. The bridemaids had bowknots of pink ribbon in their hair. The latter carried magnificent bouquets of American Beauty roses, in which the same graduation of color was observed as in the gowns.

The bride, who is at all times one of Plainfield's most beautiful young women, never looked fairer than when she entered after the bridal party, leaning on the arm of her father. She was attired in a princess gown of white satin, entrain, trimmed with point lace and orange blossoms. She wore a tulle veil, fastened with a white aigrette and orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of lilies-of the valley and orchids.

While the procession was slowing advancing down the aisle, the groom, accompanied by the best man, R A Beebe, of Plainfield, his brother, entered from the side. The officiating clergymen, Rev. Dr. George D. Baker, of Philadelphia, uncle of the bride, and Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, pastor of the Crescent Avenue church, advanced from the other side.

They met and the ushers and bridemaids separated and passed on either side forming a semi-circle about the chief participants. The solemn words of the marriage ceremony were then spoken by Rev. Dr. Baker, while the prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Richards.

As the bridal party reached the front of the sanctuary the grand harmonies of the organ grew fainter until they could scarcely be heard. While the clergyman spoke and the responses were made, low sweet music floated out into the auditorium. Then, when the last words were said and the couple pronounced man and wife, the triumphal tones of the Mendelssohn wedding march resounded through the church and Mr. and Mrs. Beebe marched slowly down the aisle and out of the building with the rest of the bridal party following. Miss Miller was escorted by the best man after whom came the bridemaids two by two, the other maid of honor and finally the ushers.

After the ceremony a reception followed at the home of the bride. The house was fairly transformed with the floral decorations. All the rooms were profusely decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums and southern smilax, while in the reception room a floral bower was arranged, wherein Mr. and Mrs. Beebe and the others of the bridal party received the guests. A thousand invitations were issued for the reception and fully five hundred were present, including a large number from out of town. An elaborate supper was served by Maresi. The dining table was elaborately decorated in the prevailing colors.

The floral decorations in both church and house were by Mackintosh, of New York, who devoted his personal attention to the work.

Each of the ushers received a handsome pearl stickpin as the gift of the groom. The bridemaids' gifts from the bride were double hearts of pearl, crowned with a wreath of pearls. The gift of the groom to the bride was a diamond and sapphire ring.

There was a multitude of wedding gifts received by Mr. and Mrs. Beebe from their hosts of friends. Silver predominated, and many valuable and dainty articles of that metal were included in the list. Other gifts, while they made no showing in the large room that the presents more than filled, were valuable, indeed.

Mr. Beebe is a trusted employe in the banking house of Wood, Huestis & Company, of Pine street, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Beebe have not yet decided where they will reside on their return from the wedding journey on which they started after remaining at the reception for a time. After their departure from the reception, the remainder of the evening was spent by

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KELLEY'S DEATH IS STILL A MYSTERY.

Froelich Yesterday Gave Police Important Evidence.

WENT OVER HIS TRACKS.

TOLD HOW HE AND KELLEY WANDERED INTO HARRISON.

Says Kelley Had a Roll of Money Then—Traces of Paris Green Found By Telegraph Pole—Patrolman Dolan Met Them—Froelich Says Kelley Was Ill—Left Him and Kelly Disappeared.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Newark, November 16—Mystery still surrounds the circumstances of the death of young James Kelley, the Plainfielder found dead in a freight car at the Waverly yards Friday morning. The police are still at work on the case and are gradually learning more of the facts. It is now evident that young Charles Froelich, who was the last person known to be in Kelley's company that night, is pretty well informed, although it has been rather difficult to draw out what he knows.

Death was caused by paris green, but just under what circumstances it was taken, the police are not yet able to say. It seems certain that Kelley had his roll of bills with him after he took the paris green, and that they were taken from him after that.

Yesterday Froelich was taken by the Newark police over the route he and Kelley traveled Thursday night and he was questioned very closely regarding the happenings on that occasion.

Froelich asserts that when he met Kelley the latter had a small pail in his hand, and that, as they walked down Market street, in Newark, a man accosted them and asked for money, and Kelley drew out a roll of bills and gave the man one.

Kelley appeared to be sick, Froelich said. They went over the Centre street bridge into Harrison. Froelich took Detective Donovan over the ground. In Harrison they met Patrolman Dolan, who, on seeing Froelich, recognized him as one of the two men he encountered Wednesday night. Froelich attempted to deny this, but admitted it later.

He then took the officers over the route as he had described it, and his story of the stay in Harrison agrees with Patrolman Dolan's. At a telegraph pole near the Harrison end of the Jackson street bridge, Dolan encountered Froelich and Kelley. Froelich took the officers to the pole yesterday, and about the base of it were found what are thought to be smudges of paris green. Dolan says when he encountered the men Kelley was lying down and Froelich standing beside him.

Dolan thought they were intoxicated, and on finding they belonged in Newark ordered them across the bridge. He had heard shooting in the vicinity just before encountering the men, and was looking for the shooters when he met the two. Froelich told him his companion was not drunk, but sick. He wanted a hack to take his companion away. Kelley appeared to revive, and accompanied Froelich across the bridge. Froelich says Kelley did not take the poison there.

Froelich, after recrossing to Newark, took Donovan to Ferry and Market streets, where he says he left Kelley for a few moments, and when he returned Kelley was gone.

There is one plausible way, the police say, of accounting for the disappearance of the money. If Kelley walked directly from where Froelich claims to have left him to where his body was found, he would not only have passed through the region infested by the Waverly gang, but through a section of the city where a sick or intoxicated man might easily becomes the prey of footpads.

TO FURNISH TELEGRAPH POLES.

E. E. Cooper, of Warrenville, Has Made Contract With W. U. T. Company.

Assemblyman-elect E. E. Cooper, of Warren township, has taken the contract to furnish the Western Union Telegraph Company a large number of poles. The contract is a windfall for the Mt. Bethel farmers, a large number of whom can be seen daily carting the poles to Orange, the place of delivery. The poles are cut on the Dan Cory property recently purchased by Cooper from the estate.

The Watchung School.

The name selected for the new borough school is "Watchung," and the work is progressing quite favorably. The second story has been reached and the building presents an attractive appearance.

THEY MET ON THE ROAD.

DECAMP AND FRIENDS WANTED IT ALL.

Lambertson Was Run Down and Chased Away—It Happened Election Night—DeCamp Was Called to Account in Court

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 16.—The last echo of the excitement of election time was heard in Justice Clark's court last evening, when Lambert DeCamp, a young man from Alton, was brought up to answer for troublous times near Scotch Plains election night.

It so happened that on election day, DeCamp and two friends named Mellick and Tyme, came to Scotch Plains to see what was going to turn up. After the polls were closed and the result announced, the three young men, it is said, went to a local bar room to drown their disappointment in the flowing bowl. Trouble arose and they left some say in a hurry.

Disgusted with town and election, the trio climbed into DeCamp's rig and started for his home. As they passed in front of Peter Frazee's residence, they met Hans Lambertson, overseer for Former Sheriff George Kyte, of Fanwood. The road was narrow and the DeCamp outfit did not feel the necessity of turning out. Lambertson says that they deliberately ran him down.

Somehow, and idea forced itself into the minds of the disgruntled trio that they were being outwitted. So they speedily started a lively campaign against the driver of the other vehicle. Seeing the array that was determined on his defeat, Lambertson made a masterly retreat. The methods of locomotion on the part of DeCamp and his friends were somewhat wavering and they failed to make a successful pursuit.

Lambertson went before Justice Clark and made a complaint against the three on the charge of assault and disorderly conduct.

Yesterday afternoon, DeCamp was arrested and taken before Justice Clark. Tyme had disappeared in the fastnesses of Middlesex county while Mellick was a prisoner at home with illness.

DeCamp pleaded guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, while the charge of assault was withdrawn as Lambertson says that he was not the one who struck him. DeCamp paid a fine of $5. The two other offenders will be arraigned later.

CYCLISTS IN POLITICS.

WANT RECOGNITION BY REPUBLICAN PARTY IN THIS CITY.

Will Present Their Candidate For Council Nomination in Second Ward—Thomas A. Cuming is Their Choice.

A wheelmen's candidate on the Republican ticket seems a probability in the Second ward at the coming municipal election. In the Second ward there has been comparatively little talk as to who was to be the choice of the Republicans of the ward to run for the Common Council as successor to Wm. N. Runyon. A gathering of wheelmen, mostly L. A. W. members, and several prominent property owners of the ward, was held last evening at the office of Thomas A. Cuming, local consul of the L. A. W.

The wheelmen decided that, while the large body of cyclists of the city had no particular kick to make, they deserved representation in the Council. It was decided to ask the Republican party for recognition, with the promise of staunch support. Mr. Cuming accepted the invitation to run for the nomination and his name will be presented at the Second ward primary Monday evening.

A WORTHY CAUSE.

Harvest Home Reception For Muhlenberg Hospital Tomorrow Afternoon.

Tomorrow from 2 until 7 o'clock a harvest home reception will be held at the Nurses' Home for the benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital.

Everybody will be welcome, admission free, and those attending are requested to bring something of benefit for the hospital, such as canned goods, dry groceries, dried fruits, cereals, etc. The smallest gift will be cheerfully accepted and the residents of this city should feel their responsibility in aiding the hospital on this occasion.

Successful Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party was given to Patrick Gerety at the home of Daniel McDevitt, of West Seventh street, last evening. The affair was complete in every respect, and the time was passed in singing and dancing. Music was furnished by Samuel Frazee.

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PORTO RICO WANTS AMERICAN CONTROL

Dr. H. K. Carroll Tells of His Visit There.

WAS WELL RECEIVED.

PORTO RICANS GAVE HIM EVERY FACILITY POSSIBLE IN HIS WORK.

Dr. Carroll Went as United States Commissioner to the Island—Met Plainfielder on Outward Voyage—Witnessed Evacuation Ceremonies at San Juan—Supplied With Facts by Prominent Citizens.

Yesterday morning at 4 o'clock there appeared at Sandy Hook the steamer Caracas, of the Red D Line, and on board among the other passengers was Rev. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of Westervelt avenue, who holds the position of commissioner to Porto Rico by appointment of President McKinley. A little later Dr. Carroll arrived in New York, and in the afternoon he reached his home in this city. He was not accompanied by his secretary, Charles E. Buell, of Craig place, and Alfred Solomon, of New York, the interpreter. They will remain in Porto Rico until the work of the commission is completed.

A reporter of The Daily Press called at Dr. Carroll's home soon after his arrival and was greeted cordially by the commissioner. The Doctor stated that since his return he had been troubled with dizziness, due to the fact that on the return from Porto Rico their steamer struck the tail-end of a hurricane, and the effect was anything but pleasant. He had enjoyed his trip, and aside from the little unpleasantness of the return voyage, everything passed off without a hitch of any kind. The doctor was glad to tell something of his experiences, but there were many questions put to him which, on account of his position, he could not answer. They will be published later.

The doctor and his party sailed from Newport, R. I., on the steamer Manitoba, Captain Quick, on October 10th, and Saturday, October 15th, arrived at Ponce. Captain Quick was a Plainfield boy, although he was born in England. He lived in this city and attended school here. He and Dr. Carroll enjoyed many pleasant chats on the trip, and told many amusing incidents that happened while he went to school here. He is one of the leading captains of the Morgan Line running steamers between New York and New Orleans, and is considered to be one of the most trustworthy men in the business.

The Manitoba is a very large and thorough sea-going vessel. On board of her was the Forty-Seventh New York Volunteers from Brooklyn, together with a number of prominent people including the commission. The steamer reached Ponce, as stated, on Saturday evening, October 15th. The commission was informed that on the following Tuesday ceremonies would be held at San Juan in connection with the evacuation. Dr. Carroll and the rest of his party at once decided that they wanted to be present. Accordingly they got Mr. Solomon, the interpreter, to make arrangements for the trip, a distance of 78 miles over a military road. Mr. Solomon soon learned that all conveyances had been secured and that nothing was left.

Nothing daunted, Dr. Carroll at once met Gen. Henry, who has charge of the southern district of the island, and to him he stated his mission. Gen. Henry called on a well-known resident who conducts a large livery, and told him that he must provide transportation for Dr. Carroll and party to San Juan. The native replied that he had no horses, whereupon Gen. Henry told him he could borrow some. Again, the native replied that he had no driver. The General informed him that he could drive himself. This idea hit the native forcibly and he agreed.

The trip was made in safety, and Dr. Carroll says that at the end of the journey he did not feel at all tired. After a good night's rest the commission prepared to see the celebration on the following day. The doctor says that the ceremonies were very simple, but impressive. There was the arranging of the troops, the hoisting of the American flag on the principal public buildings, the firing of salutes by troops and from the forts, and a salute from one of the U. S. battleships in the harbor.

While the commission was at San Juan a congress of representative men was in session, discussing the future of the island and its needs. They turned over their reports to Dr. Carroll, as did also an association of bankers and merchants in session in Ponce. They sent a valuable document that will greatly aid in making up the report of the commission. An agricultural association held a session about the same time, and they, too, decided unanimously to assist the commission.

Regarding the result thus far of the commission's work the doctor could say but little. He did state that they were very cordially received by all classes of people, including the heads of the Government, the Secretaries of State, Treasury and Interior. They all called on the doctor and assisted him in every possible way to secure the disired information. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court also called and gave his views on all important matters. Representative men from all professions and trades, recognizing the importance of the commission, gladly gave information.

The commission informed the officials of the island that no change could be expected until Congress had taken action. The people on the island do not like the present form of government, the doctor says. They have strongly felt the oppression of Spain, and though they have not been loud in their demonstration, they feel deeply their grievances. They are glad to know that they are to become Americans, and are anxiously awaiting for a change of government of their island.

While the doctor was in PortoRico he employed the services of Mr. Williams, who was stenographer for the Evacuation Commission at San Juan. Mr. Buell's work has been along the line of ascertaining the needs of the island as regards telephones, telegraph, etc., while Mr. Solomon, the interpreter, was kept constantly busy. The latter is a highly accomplished gentleman, and thoroughly cosmopolitan.

The members of the commission have enjoyed the climate of Porto Rico thoroughly, and Dr. Carroll says that it is a delightful place to live. The temperature in the daytime averages about 82-84 degrees, and at night about 74-76 degrees. Once in ten years has the temperature reached 100 degrees, and there is always a good breeze from the ocean. When the doctor left Mr. Buell and Mr. Solomon were in good health and, in fact, neither of them have been ill while away.

The doctor left San Juan last Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock and reached New York yesterday morning. On the return trip he met a Mr. Randolph, a Jerseyman, employed in the weather department of this Government. He has been assisting Prof. Harrington in establishing a signal service in Porto Rico.

Another pleasant feature on the outward trip was the fact that the pilot that took the Manitoba out for ten miles was Captain Bunker, a resident of Westfield, who inquired with interest after people in this vicinity.

Dr. Carroll will go to Washington today or tomorrow to confer with President McKinley, and if nothing interferes he will again sail for Porto Rico in one month's time. He will then visit all parts of the island and examine into every need of it. He will then return and present his report to the President.

TOLD STORY OF THE WAR.

Successful Illustrated Lecture at Hope Chapel Last Evening.

Last evening Hope chapel was well filled with an appreciative audience that thoroughly enjoyed the illustrated lecture on the recent Spanish-American war. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the chapel and the views as shown under the direction of E. O. MacFarland, of Newark, were very fine. The lecturer started with the beginning of the hostilities between this country and Spain and followed every incident closely to the finish. Every picture was good and Mr. MacFarland in an entertaining manner told the story of the war. The money received from the lecture will be devoted to the interest of the chapel The receipts were gratifying to those in charge.

Case Put Over the Term.

The case of J. A. Blatz against George Rilling, for balance due on rent, which was to have come up in the Somerset County Court yesterday, has gone over for the term. The case is for $56 due on rent, and was first tried before Justice Mattison. The jury disagreed, so it was retried and a verdict rendered for the defendant Mr. Blatz appealed the case, and it was tried before Judge Bartine, when the jury again failed to agree, and another date set for the trial. Murphy & Blatz are for the plaintiff, and Pope & Runyon for the defense.

The Suppression of the South.

Rev. E E. Jackson, pastor of Mt. Olive Baptist church, has been solicited to speak on the subject "The Best Method to Adopt to Prevent the Suppression of the South" at the Abysinian Baptist church, New York, Thursday evening next.

THE EARLY WRITERS OF OUR COUNTRY.

The Colonial and Revolutionary Periods Are Discussed.

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PROF A. H. SMYTH CONTINUES LECTURES IN EXTENSION COURSE.

Virginia and Boston Were Early Literary Centres of the Colonies—Philadelphia Became Prominent—Benjamin Franklin One of Its Greatest Writers—Revolution Produced Prose Writers and Poets.

Prof. Albert H. Smyth, teacher of English and literature in the Central High School, of Philadelphia, continued his lecture on "American Literature" last night at the Y. M. C. A., and introduced his hearers to some of the writers and their works of the Colonial and the Revolutionary periods.

Prof. Smyth believes that American literature is but a continuation of English literature, not a sudden, spontaneous growth upon Colonial soil. The first attempts at literature in this country were noticed about 1607, a fortunate time for its beginning, for the language crossed the ocean just when it was richest and most flexible. Virginia and Massachusetts were the two great centres of the English people in America, and each had a literature particularly to itself. While in Virginia it was of a lighter and more joyous strain, in New England the literary men were mostly preachers who stamped whatever they wrote with a taint of religion. A good example of this kind of literature is shown by Jonathan Edwards' writings.

Another centre of literary culture was Philadelphia, half way between Virginia and New England. Here were two elements, the Pennsylvania Dutch and the Scotch-Irish. Both elements were somewhat sterile in their literary productions, although there was a poet or two and one or two prose writers who attained prominence.

Philadelphia was called the Athens of America in those days, although since then the tide has changed, and Boston now claims that distinction. Benjamin Franklin, the most prominent figure in colonial literature, a Bostonian by birth but a Philadelphian by adoption, contributed largely to the literature of the Quaker City.

Franklin's career as a statesman and a writer is remarkable in that he had no education. He acquired a lucid style of prose writing by studying and re-writing "The Spectator."

About the middle of the eighteenth century occurred a change in the thoughts of the American people; their attention was directed from polemics to politics. This is called the Revolutionary period. It begins with the persuasive orators and ends with the arguments for the Constitution. Tom Paine's "crises" cut a remarkable figure in this period, and so did "The Federalist," a collection of paper printed at the time in one of the current magazines, a series of arguments for the support of the Union and the establishment of a stable Government. The poets, too, of the Revolution, Trumbull, Barlow, Freneau and Hopkinson, deserve mention.

The next four lectures will be more interesting than the two preceding ones, as they will deal altogether with writers whose names are well-known to every one who pretends to read at all. There are several of the Extension Course tickets still remaining which can be obtained now.

FRIENDS' HALF YEAR MEETING.

Sessions Will Begin Today and Continue Until Friday Morning.

The sessions of the half year meeting of the Society of Friends begin today. A youth's meeting will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, under the care of Joel Borton, of Woodstown, this State. Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock occurs a meeting for worship followed by the transaction of the business of the half year meeting. A dinner will be served to Friends in attendance, and at 3 o'clock a session of the Philanthropic commiitee will be held in which reports will be given of the recent Friends' conference at Richmond, Ind., by those who attended.

The evening session will be devoted to the colored schools in South Carolina in which Friends and many other Plainfielders are interested. This will be in charge of Anna M. Jackson, of New York, who will illustrate her talk by lantern slides.

The meeting for worship Friday morning at 11 o'clock closes the session. Any who feel interested to attend any of these meetings will be welcome.

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SPAIN IS WEAKENING

Bad News from Captain-General of the Philippines.

MADRID EAGER FOR PEACE

The Rebels Seem to be Getting the Upper Hand of Gen. Rios in the Island of Visayas. Spain's Ministry Are Now Desirous that the Negotiations Should End Quickly.

Madrid, Nov. 16, via Biarritz, France.—General Rios, governor of the Visayas islands and acting captain general of the Philippines, has telegraphed to the government that the insurrection is rapidly spreading in the Visayas, its increase being so great that he considers it prudent to maintain a purely defensive attitude instead of shedding more Spanish blood.

General Rios gives a still graver aspect to the situation, the circumstances of which are not made public by the government.

The opinion of the ministers is divided, although a majority of the members of the cabinet are really anxious that the affairs with which the Paris peace commissioners are conserned shall end quickly.

In the meantime the government has telegraphed to General Rios instructing him to endeavor by all possible means to quell the rebellion.

The queen regent is dismayed at seeing the turn events have taken, and public opinion is manifestly in favor of a speedy termination of the Paris negotiations.

Madrid, Nov. 16.—The queen regent yesterday granted an audience to General Augustin, formerly captain general of the Philippines, and Admiral Montojo, who commanded the Spanish squadron destroyed by Admiral Dewey's ships in Manila bay.

The French ambassador also had a conference with Duke Almodovar del Rio.

Absolutely no news has been received from the Spanish commission at Paris.

Berlin, Nov. 16.—A dispatch to the Cologne Gazette from Madrid says that according to trustworthy information received there from London, Lord Salisbury is disposed to act in concert with the United States, and that the reinforcements which are being sent to Gibraltar make the British policy seem suspicious.

It is quite generally the opinion that for this reason the government ought to make peace with the Americans forthwith, before England has an opportunity to put her finger in the pie.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—It is learned that an informal discussion of the Philippines question took place before the adjournment of the cabinet meeting yesterday. The administration has reason to believe that something definite will be learned to-day as to the intentions of the Spanish commissioners with regard to the American demands. The United States will not wait much longer and Spain must therefore act at once or the American commission will promptly be sent an ultimatum.

Official information has reached the department of state and the president that a committee representing the French creditors of Spain is largely responsible for the delay of the Spanish commission in making reply to United States through its efforts have provision made for the assumption of the Philippine bonded debt. We are able to state on official authority that the United States government has flatly refused to assume any portion of any debt, and that this determination will be adhered to. The payment of a cash price for the islands may be arranged, but no debt will be assumed by the United States. That decision is final.

Sold His Wife.

Newark, N. J., Nov. 16.—The sale of a wife by her husband for a five dollar note has become known in Newark. Mrs. Nellie Van Hise is the woman and her husband, Harry, was the beneficiary of the sale.

The purchaser was William A. Devey, a member of the First New Jersey volunteers. He is nineteen years old and the woman is eighteen.

She was formerly Nellie McLaughlin, and was married to Van Hise on April 22 last by Justice Marantette. On November 10 Van Hise sold her to Devey, an agreement in writing being drawn up. Devey paid $5 on account and is to pay the $5 balance later.

To Study Latitude Variation.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Mr. E. D. Preston, who represented the United States at the International Geodetic Association at its Stuttgart conference last month, has just returned to Washington and is about to report on the subject. The prime object of the conference was the measurement of the earth. Action was taken for the measurement of an arc at the equator, in conjunction with the measurement of an arc near the pole, now under way by the Swedes and Russians, which, together, will throw new light on the flattening of the earth.

Lieut.-Col. Williams Death.

Havana, Nov. 16.—The remains of the late Lieutenant Colonel Williams, the chief quartermaster, who died of fever on November 11, were conveyed yesterday morning from the Colon cemetery to La Machina wharf, where they were taken aboard the steamer Saratoga for shipment north. Rear Admiral Sampson, General Wade, General Butler, Colonel Clous, the British consul, a number of friends of the deceased officer, and the American newspaper correspondents accompanied the body from the cemetery to the wharf.

Smallpox in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Nov. 16.—Three cases of smallpox have been reported here. Two of the patients have been taken to the detention hospital and the third is convalescent. The health authorities have taken the utmost precaution to prevent a spread of the disease.

HEADING OFF A MAIL COMBINE.

A Scheme to Evade the Tax on Bids for Contracts.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—The postoffice department has discovered the existence of a combine of speculative mail contract bidders looking to control of the bids and evasion of the fifty cent war tax imposed on their contract bonds.

Some weks ago the department was approached with a view to ascertaining its attitude on such organization and prompt notice was given that it would bere garded as illegitimate. Notwithstanding this, the department authorities have found that a considerable number of these bidders or agents have got together, formed an arrangement for opening their own bids and selecting ostensibly the lowest for filing with the department, suppressing the others and thus also saving the revenue accruing to the government from the large number of competitive bids submitted.

Some idea of the interests involved may be gained by the fact that under contracts to be let under the general advertisement of September 15 last, to which the organization of these bidders immediately looks, more than two hundred thousand bids ordinarily would be submitted for contracts for carrying mails on routes in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Missouri. The contracts are to be for four years from July 1, 1899.

An official warning to bidders generally has been issued.

Commissioner Porter's Report.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Robert P. Porter, special commissioner for the United States to Cuba, has presented his report to the president and secretary of the treasury.

Mr. Porter examined five hundred witnesses. A complete revision of the tariff was submitted in the form of a new bill, which will be examined by the experts, and if approved will be promulgated by the president and take effect at the port of Cienfuegos on December 1.

Commissioner Porter says that the Spanish tariff was made by Spaniards for Spain in the interests of the Spaniards. That seems to be the only principle in it. The value of the imports for 1896 was $61,443,334, with an average of 63.7 per cent. The largest item was alimentary substances, $31,179,289, cotton goods following with $5,908,202.

It has not been thought advisable to make radical changes in the administrative branches nor to change weights and measures into United States equivalents, because the people of Cuba are accustomed to the metric system. United States currency, however, will be substituted for Spanish pesos. The tariff imposed reduces all duties about 60 per cent. on the old Spanish rates, and will average fully two-thirds less than the rates now enacted.

More Powerful Than McKinley.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 16.—Whites around reenwood think they are more powerful than President McKinley. Instead of taking a common sense view of the situation, they think President McKinley, in deciding to abolishh the postoffice at McCormick, has yielded to them and confessed that the Tolberts were to blame, and the whites are in the right.

This may lead to theg ravest consequences.

The press of South Carolina is aroused, and the Columbia State and Charleston News and Courier denounce the reckless murderers. Both advocate disfranchising those who resort to mob rule.

Match Company Has German Concession.

Akron, Ohio, Nov. 16.—Mr. O. C. Barber, president of the Diamond Match Company, who recently returned from Europe, makes the statement that arrangements have been concluded with the erman imperial government by which a mammoth new match factory will be erected by the Diamond company in the Fatherland.

The plant will be located at Dresden. This will be the fourth factory which the Diamond company has established in Europe in the past few years.

Maria Teresa Cannot be Saved.

Washington, Nov. 16.—It would appear from the report just received by the navy department that all hope of saving the Maria Teresa is gone. Captain McCalla, now at the scene of the wreck, says that, in his opinion, it will be impossible to save the vessel, and his opinion is indorsed by Lieutenant Hobson Lieutenant Craven and Captain Chittender of the wrecking company.

Bits of News.

The war department is informed that the transport Michigan, with the Fifth cavalry on board, has arrived at Ponce, Porto Rico, and that as soon as ready the vessel will transport the batteries now at Ponce, destined for service in Cuba.

The report of General G. N. Lieber judge advocate general, for the year ending August 31, shows that there have been a total of 1,180 courts martial during the year.

Judge Showalter of the United States circuit court at Chicago has denied the motion of Meyer Bernhard to appoint a receiver for the National Linseed Oil Company.

Congressman Hager of Iowa announces that he will introduce a bill to admit Osborne Diegnan, one of the Merrimac crew, to the Naval Academy at Annapolis

President McKinley has promised, if possible, to take part in the Masonic ceremonies to mark hte centennial of the death of George Washington.

The barge Union owned by James Hughes of New York, with 1,200 tons of coal, sunk while en route from Philadelphia to Boston.

The Two Hundred and First and Two Hundred and Second New York regiments went south yesterday from Camp Meade.

The Chicago-Virden Coal Company has practically acceded to all demands of the striking miners.

The W. C. T. U. at St. Paul yesterday elected Mrs. Stevens of Maine as president.

PROBLEMS OF THE WAR

No Extra Session of Congress to Deal With Them.

THE PRESIDENT WATCHFUL

The President Desirous of Feeling His Way in the New Territory with Military Authority Uppermost. No Currency Reform Legislation in His Programme.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—Persons in the president's confidence who have discussed the subject with him within a few hours, say that his mind is now pretty well settled against the idea of an extra session of congress in March, 1889.

At the coming short session he expects to get all the legislation out of the way which is immediately necessary, including the appropriation for carrying the government through the next fiscal year, and the only thing of importance which now seems to him likely to be thrown over is the treaty of peace with Spain, which will have to be ratified by the Senate before becoming operative.

In case that is ready by March next, an extra session of the Senate alone may be called to give it the finishing touches, but the presence of the House as far as can be foreseen to-day, will not be required.

The reasons which impel the president to this view may be summed up in the single statement that he does not care to have Congress on his hands at the juncture which will then have been reached. The only thing in connection with our new colonial dependencies which would call for general legislation, would be the establishment of systems of civil government there, and the president feels that this is a matter in which there is danger from too great haste. He would rather feel his way first by keeping the military authorities uppermost, but under it building up a modified civil system, little by little, so that, by the time he turns the matter over to Congress he will be able to recommend the legislation most desired, and to draw upon actually existing conditions for illustrations with which to enforce his arguments.

In other words, if Congress finds a fairly satisfactory system of government already in operation in the newly acquired territory, it will be less likely to rush into foolish experiments.

Moreover, the agricultural interests of this country are beginning to wake up to the idea that their welfare is menaced by the addition of all these agricultural islands, and to put the latter on a footing of even competition with our domestic industries might be attended with serious results politically to the party of the administration.

Of course, as incidental to this programme, we must face the fact that there will be no currency reform legislation during the present presidential term.

It was with the view of bringing this subject to the front that the president at first considered favorably the idea of an extra session next spring.

If the currency question is postponed to the regular long session, nothing will be done, for the administration has no desire to spring the currency question upon the country on the eve of a presidential election.

The theory of the president on this head is that by the time the first regular session of the fifty-sixth Congress meets, the country will be in full tide of prosperity, and that the agitation of the money question, in view of the use the Democrats might make of it, would be unwise, as liable to unsettle business conditions again.

The outlook is not especially encouraging to the sound money Democrats who united with the Republicans in 186; but the point has been made plain to the president that since a great multitude of these men have gone back to their full party allegiance, and must not be counted upon for any further assistance, he must steer his own cours according to his best judgment.

Transatlantic Routes.

London, November 16.—At a conference between representatives of the Cunard Line, American Line, French Transatlantic Company, North German Lloyds Line, Hamburg-American Steamship Company, the Netherlands Line, the Wilson Line, the Atlantic Transportation Company, and the Elder-Dempster, Furness, and White Star Lines, presided over by Mr. Ismay, it has been decided that two outward and two homeward ocean tracks will be used from January 15 to August 18, and from August 18 to January 15. The regulations adopted will be circulated and hopes are expressed that all transatlantic vessels and Newfoundland fishermen will recognize them.

The Fever at the Niantic Camp.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 16.—State Chemist H. E. Smith has made a report on the wells at the Niantic camp, stating that the water contained a considerable number of bacteria, but they were of a comparatively inocuous character.

As the case now stands one expert has attributed the serious outbreak at the camp of typhoid fever to the wells, while the state expert rejects that theory.

Emperor William's Journey.

Valetta, Island of Malta, November 16.—The imperial yacht Hohenzollern, with the Emperor and Empress of Germany on board, arrived here yesterday, escorted by the German warship Hela and the British torpedo boat destroyers Ardent and Banshee.

The forts and ships exchanged salutes with the Hohenzollern.

The Industrial Commission.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The government industrial commission has resumed its sessions, occupying for the first time as a commission its new headquarters in the Bliss building, facing the capitol.

The session was mainly devoted to the rules of procedure.

A PECULIAR REMEDY.

Something About the New Discovery for Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. I. Bell, a highly esteemed minister residing in Weedsport, Cayuga Co., N. Y., in a recent letter writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the Dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten years except the new remedy called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating and again after long years CAN SLEEP WELL. Rev. F.I. Bell, Weedsport, N. Y., formerly, Idalia, Colo."

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VOLUNTEERS AT MANILA.

The President to Recommend an Increase of Regulars to Take Their Place.

Washington, D. C., 9 Nov. 16.—Great pressure is being brought upon the war department to have the volunteer troops now in the Philippines returned to this country. Nearly every state that has troops stationed at Manila has asked through its governor or representatives in Congress that these troops be sent home.

This pressure comes through the relatives and friends of the volunteers, and is started by the troops, who have been writing home.

Some of these letters published in the state papers at the homes of the enlisted men have created a wave of sympathy for the volunteers.

While they do not recount very great hardships, except among those who are ill, they do show that the life is very obnoxious and that the duty of policing the city of Manila and remaining inactive is very disagreeable.

It is said at the war department that there is no way of relieving these troops from duty in the Philippines at the present time.

The uncertain conditions that exist in the island of Luzon make it utterly impossible to get along with a smaller number than are stationed there at present.

General Otis has been asked by cable if troops could be spared, and has replied in the negative.

THE DREYFUS CASE.

The Prisoner to Be Informed to Prepare His Defence.

Paris, Nov. 16.—The court of cassation has informed the Minister of the Colonies, M. Gullian, that it has decided that Dreyfus be informed by telegraph that the revision proceedings have begun, and that he be instructed to prepare his defence.

The decision of the court is very significant, as it has hitherto been generally admitted that no innovation should be introduced in the Dreyfus proceedings. Questions will now be drafted and posted to Dreyfus, who will formulate his replies.

The Ministry of the Colonies has received a cable despatch saying that Dreyfus is in good health.

Kansas Populists Quit.

Topeka, Nov. 16.—Since the result of the election in Kansas became known there has been talk among Populists of a special session of the legislature to pass more restrictive railroad legislation, to confirm the appointments to several state boards and to enact other legislation.

Governor Leedy summoned to his office last night all Populist state officials and Populists from every section of the state to discuss the proposition. The meeting was secret, but after the doors were opened it was announced that there would be no extra session and that the Populist administration would go out of business without attempting any extraordinary party legislation.

Crew of the Glenhuntly Saved.

London, Nov. 16.—The crew of the abandoned British bark Glenhuntly, which sailed from New York on March 31, 1898, for Freemantle, Australia, in command of Captain Shaw, have been landed at Simon's bay, near Cape Town, South Africa, by the British warship Thrush.

Captain McIntyre of the British bark Strathgryfe, on her arrival at Melbourne on November 7, from this city, reported that the Glenhuntly was abandoned on June 5, and that the crew were on the rocky island of Tristan d'Acunha, in the South Atlantic ocean.

Manila Health Report.

Manila, Nov. 16.—Following is the report of sickness among the troops for the week just ended: Typhoid fever 124, malarial fever 608, dysentery 95, diarrhoea 184, all other intestinal troubles 42, gastric fever 19, wounds and other injuries 79, heat 3, smallpox 39, including six Spaniards, all other sicknesses, 610; total, with Cavite not reported, 1,816 cases, as against 1,894 last week.

The deaths were: Typhoid fever 1, meningitis 2, dysentery 1, pupura haemorrhagica 1, smallpox 1.

To-day's Cabinet Meeting.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—Attorney General Griggs and Secretary Bliss were not present at the cabinet meeting yesterday, having left on the 11 o'clock train with Mr. Dawes, the comptroller of the currency, to attend the dinner given last night by the New York Chamber of Commerce.

The meeting occupied less time than usual and at its conclusion it was said that nothing of especial importance was under discussion.

Patti to Marry Again.

London, Nov. 16.—The Manchester Guardian says that Mme. Patti, during an interval in the concert at Albert Hall, London, last evening, informed some of her friends of her intention to marry again.

The man who will become the prima donna's third husband is Baron Cederstrom, a Swede, and the marriage will take place in February.

The Mohegan Disaster.

London, Nov. 16.—At the Mansion House police court yesterday a man named Robin Spurdy was committed for trial on the charge of circulating a libel, contained in a letter addressed to survivors and relatives of victims of the Mohegan disaster, intimating that her captain was bribed to wreck the vessel.

Freedman Re-elected President.

New York, Nov. 16.—Andrew Freedman was re-elected president of the New York Baseball Club at the annual meeting of the stockholders in Jersey City yesterday afternoon. All the other officers and directors were also re-elected.

Twenty Persons Drowned.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—The ice on the river Cuchona, at Velictusting, broke yesterday while a number of persons and vehicles were crossing the stream. Twenty persons were drowned.

ARMY SYSTEM SCORED

Breckinridge Thinks Congress Is Responsible for Its Condition.

"IT WAS THE LORD'S WAR"

The Cuban Campaign Described from an Inspector-General's View. The Government Ought to Have Done Better by Its Soldiers.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 16.—The war investigating commission yesterday resumed the examination of Major General Joseph C. Breckinridge, General Beaver conducting the inquiry.

In his testimony yesterday General Breckinridge described the campaign in Cuba as he observed it.

He went to Cuba as an inspector general, having previously noticed the preparations for the expeditions. He had concluded that the arrangements for debarkation were inadequate. He made no report on this subject.

"Why not?" he was asked.

"Because General Miles was on the ground and could observe for himself," he replied.

No preparation was made for landing in the face of an enemy other than what the navy was to furnish. The great question was how to get the greatest number of men on the fighting line in the quickest possible time.

He said that he did not think that everything was sacrificed to this end, but everything was strained. The entire movement of the army toward Santiago was at the suggestion of the navy, and the landing was under its direction.

Referring to a probable plan of campaign, he said that he believed that General Miles had a plan and the situation would have been different if General Miles had been in active command at the firing line.

"In what respect?" was inquired.

"Well, General Miles has a fire and dash and spark about him," he responded.

"But a great victory was won, was it not?" questioned ex-Governor Woodbury.

"The victory was won when General Toral's nerve gave out."

"The victory was given by the Lord, was it not?" ex-Governor Beaver inquired.

"I always regarded it as absolutely the Lord's war," said General Breckinridge.

He added: "The result was marvelously commendable. I do not think the campaign was managed in the best way, but no matter how things were tangled, the army went to victory. It reminds me of a remark of Lord Beresford, who said: 'Men, I have led you into a devil of a fix, and it's your duty to get me out of it.' I think that the government ought to have done better for its soldiers. I do not know that other steamships might have been secured for transports, but I think so."

General Breckinridge condemned the American military system. It was all wrong, he said, and Congress was responsible for the conditions. Theer was too much regulation and not sufficient fighting to obscure the bad results.

"There have to be camp fevers," he said, "just the same as a child has to cut its teeth. It is the fault of the American nation and its bad military system, which makes bad military preparations. The ill effects always fall on the volunteer. The regular soldier adapts himself to a bad system, and is able to go through a campaign, but the volunteer is not hardened. Congress does not make any preparation. When the war broke out there were not 250,000 rifles of modern manufacture; there were not 250,000 suits of clothes and not double that amount of underwear. Yet men never suffered to such a limited extent under such conditions. The only way for a man to learn to live without his haversack is for him to go do it. Men elect men to Congress and then get in afighting ardor and have to suffer like hell through what they prepared for themselves."

"Considering the system, the government did all it could for the men?" ex-Governor Woodbury asked.

"The government did better than could be expected, but not one-quarter as well as should have been done. The condition was not as bad as in 1861."

General Breckinridge said that he was sent to Cuba as a member of General Miles's staff. He had no command, but attached himself to General Lawton.

General Beaver remarked that General Lawton had complimented him for gallantry.

General Breckinridge explained: "He and I had kindly relations here—we both felt that the inspector general's department had been emasculated in this war. General Lawton was the man General Shafter most relied on for the success of his campaign. I went with General Lawton and he was kind enough to solicit my advice."

Colonel Denby wanted an explanation of the charge that the inspector general's department was emasculated. General Breckinridge explained that he ment that it was reduced in efficiency.

"There was no system," he said, "by which a central authority could get information from the inspectors general—no way to inform the department what was wanted and what was not wanted. When I returned to Washington and asked for material from which to make up a report, I was informed that there was none."

"Is it true that General Shafter offered to turn over his command to you?" General McCook inquired.

"I would not like to answer that. You cannot tell how General Shafter was considering matters. I don't see the advantage to the commission in having the information."

"It has been published that he did make such an offer," said General McCook.

"Yes, I have seen such a report in the papers, but I didn't give it."

General Breckinridge suggested that either General Shafter or General Lawton be questioned on the subject.

The next witness was Captain Robert W. Dowdy, a retired army officer, who served in the Spanish war as a lieutenant in the Seventeenth infantry.

LAFAYETTE MONUMENT FUND.

Thought $100,000 Will Be Raised by School Children Outside of New York.

New York, Nov. 16.—Donations of school children of the United States toward erecting a monument over the grave of Lafayette in Paris, France, it is now thought will reach $100,000. In nearly every state of the Union October 19 last was observed as Lafayette day in the public schools, and contributions were received from pupils.

Charles G. Dawes, controller of the United States treasury, who is treasurer of the Lafayette monument fund, is now daily receiving contributions from schools throughout the country.

Reports to Robert J. Thompson, secretary of the Lafayette monument committee, show that Pennsylvania is ahead in donations and that Ohio will probably follow next.

The school children of Pennsylvania have given over $20,000, and more is coming in.

Ohio schools have contributed $20,000 and will add to that.

Illinois has donated over $10,000, and a large proportion of this is from the school children of Chicago.

Other states rolling in goodly sums are Wisconsin, Iowa, Indiana, Massachusetts and Minnesota. The District of Columbia has also contributed largely.

New York is one of the few states from which no donations have been received.

Children of the Empire state were eager to give, but the state superintendent of schools forbade any collections being made. It is stated that several prominent wealthy men of New York city, feeling that it would be a reflection upon the state not to participate in the Lafayette monument fund, will make handsome presents.

AT THE RECEIPT OF CUSTOMS.

The Senate Investigation Committee Seeking Light on Internal Revenue.

New York, Nov. 16.—Senators O. H. Platt of Connecticut and J. K. Jones of Arkansas, two of the three members of the sub-committee of the finance committee of the Senate, are now in this city to investigate the operations of the customs and internal revenue laws.

Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island is also a member of the sub-committee, but thus far has not attended any of the sessions in this city.

The committee will make an exhaustive investigation of the entire customs administrative act from the time of its enforcement in 1890 to the amended act of 1898.

In fact it is these amendments which will receive special consideration, as importers at this and other ports have recently declared that the Dingley act contains many obnoxious features. The system now in operation in the drawback division is declared by many to be decidedly faulty, and the matter of alleged undervaluations, which has caused so much ill feeling among lace and embroidery importers and the interchange of sharp communications between Collector Bidwell and Appraiser Wakeman will also be inquired into.

Railroad Wreck Near Toronto.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 16.—The Grand Trunk Railway express from Montreal for Toronto collided with a freight train near Murray Hill yesterday morning. Eight persons were killed or fatally injured.

Twenty passengers, most of them being in the Pullman cars, were more or less seriously hurt.

Nine or ten of the wounded are in the Belleville hospital under treatment.

The accident occurred at a place called the Diamond Crossing, about two miles from Trenton. The express, which was due at Trenton at 3.35 a. m., ran into an open switch and dashed into thef reight train.

West Virginia Legislature.

Charleston, Nov. 16.—The political complexion of the West Virginia legislature on joint ballot depends upon contested seats, and will not be settled until the two houses are organized. The Republicans will organize the Senate and the Democrats the House. The two contested seats in the Senate will be decided by the courts, and the same decision will settle both, the question being whether a senator loses his seat by accepting a commission in the army.

The Berlin to Sail To-day.

New York, Nov. 16.—The army transport to sail this week is the Berlin, which will go to Santiago, San Juan and Ponce. She will start to-day and will carry a large number of passengers, including Mrs. Leonard Wood, the wife of General Wood governor of Santiago province. A number of Cubans also go on the Berlin, intending to return to their homes in Cuba, from which they were driven during the revolution.

The Chippewas and Congress.

Washington D. C., Nov. 16.—Two delegations of Chippewa Indians of Minnesota are expected here by the opening of Congress for hearings on the logging problem in their reservation. One will oppose the present system of timber disposition and ask to have timber estimation stopped, as so much waste of money. The other delegation favors present methods.

Against Imperialism.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 16.—United States Senators Bacon and Clay yesterday declared their strong opposition to the annexation of the Philippines and their determination to vote against any treaty that embodies that scheme. Senator Bacon believes that it will be very difficult to secure the necessary vote for a ratification of such a treaty.

Another Japanese Cruiser.

San Francisco, Nov. 16.—The Japanese cruiser Chitose will have steam up in her donkey boiler this week and her dynamo and small machinery will be tested.

Gen. Grenfell Governor of Malta.

London, Nov. 16.—Major General Sir Francis Grenfell, commanding the British army of occupation in Egypt, has been appointed governor of Malta.

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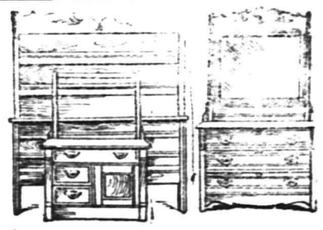

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What Competition Will Do.

Trenton now enjoys fifty cent gas, and the company that furnishes says that there is money in it for them at that rate of pay. That blessing for the consumers of gas was only arrived at, however, after a bitter contention. The old company has made every effort to drive the new comers from the field, but have labored in vain. When the ordinance permitting the new company to lay its pipes in the city was before the Common Council the old monopolists endeavored to frustrate the effort to give the people of the city cheaper gas by maintaining a stiff lobby and fighting the proposed improvement. The ordinance, after a somewhat checkered career, was finally adopted and the new company started to construct its system. The old company then reduced the price of gas from its exorbitant rate of $2 to $1.50 and then to $1 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Despite the vigorous efforts of the old company, the People's Gas Improvement Company has secured thousands of subscribers in the city and starts to furnish gas of a superior quality at 50 cents per 1,000 cubic feet.

Lady Martin, wife of Sir Theodore Martin, the poet and historiographer of Queen Victoria, who died recently, was the celebrated actress, Helen Faucit. She was almost the last of the great stage artists of the first half of the century who made the drama resplendent with their genius. She was supporting Macready when our own great tragedienne, Charlotte Cushman, arrived in England for the first time, unheralded and without friends. It was her kindness (so Miss Cushman once told the writer) which induced Macready to give the American actress a hearing. After that Miss Cushman's genius needed no further introduction. Miss Faucit excelled in the expression of romantic and tender passion. She was the original representative of many of the heroines in the plays produced by Macready, and in such characters as Juliet, Rosalind, Ophelia, Imogen, Beatrice and Miranda she was one of the greatest ornaments of the English stage. After her retirement from the profession she achieved reputation as a writer on the Shakespearian characters and displayed no little literary genius in criticism.

The latest fad of a certain class of fashionable ladies in Paris is to scent themselves by the means of hypodermic injections. This is of course the folly of women who have money and no occupation to keep their minds from eccentric doings. The custom of scenting the breath by drugs injected under the tongue is by no means new, and the later practice is a development of it. If American women, so many of whom also have money and nothing to interest the better part of the mind, insist on following the Paris example, let them be wise enough to see that the apparatus is kept thoroughly cleansed with carbolic acid and so made aseptic. One can fancy no surer way of disseminating disease even if the solutions injected are harmless except to the noses of those who don't like a woman reeking with perfumes.

Some interesting deductions may be drawn from the October imports of diamonds, cut and uncut, for the years 1897 and 1898. Last year the cut stones reached $684,878; in 1898, $945,593. The uncut stones were valued at $489,985 for 1897 and $837,810 for 1898. The great increase in importations would seem to indicate, firstly, a much greater surplus in the hands of purchasers to invest in one of the most useless of luxuries. In the second place, the enormous increase in the uncut stones imported would indicate a great development in the diamond cutting industry in America.

The commissioners appointed under the Martin Act for the collection of back taxes in this city, whose report in reference to the sums charged against innocent purchasers of property was not approved by the Supreme Court, will meet in the Common Council chamber December 19th, for the purpose of meeting the taxpayers concerned and revising the adjustment in accordance with the court decision.

Of course, law is law, but then what an unfortunate thing it is for suffering humanity that it has been decided that book agents are exempt from paying a revenue tax. Commissioner Scott says that a "person who receives goods into his possession and sells and delivers them on commission is not to be regarded as a commercial broker."

A French statistician has calculated that the human eye travels over 2,000 yards in reading an ordinary sized novel. The average human being is supposed to get through 2,500 miles of reading in a lifetime. According to this idea everyone must run as they read.

Those persons who have a doubt about their being able to carry out New Year's resolutions successfully had better commence giving them a trial during the holidays. Then they will know their capacity for such things.

The war investigation still drags on. The public has lost interest in the affair, but it is proper for it to continue till all the alleged misdoings of public officials have been probed into thoroughly.

Union county will figure conspicuously in the next Legislature, and Assemblyman Roger F. Murray will not be among the least of the legislators, either.

The regular Republicans are going ahead as though there were no dark clouds hovering around in the municipal campaign.

Winfield S. Angleman, one of the most active Citizens' ticket promoters, is a candidate for the City Judgeship nomination.

Mr. Croker is said to be tired out. We should say that he had been thrown out.

Just now the Democrats are having hard work to find out exactly where they are at.

In another week it will be Thanksgiving Eve. How time does fly.

There ought not to be a lack of issues for the city election.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The North avenue station is being treated to a coat of paint.

—Butterick patterns are now ready for December at the agency of A. L. & M. D. Gorsline, 144 Park avenue.

—At White's tomorrow they will place on sale in the glove department a splendid assortment of fine castoe gloves.

—A Thanksgiving service will be held in the chapel of the First Presbyterian church next Sunday evening under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society.

—Dog Catcher Frisbie killed two dogs yesterday owned by Michael Weber, of East Third street. The dogs were acting strange and Mr. Weber wanted them killed.

—Monday, December 19th, the Martin Act Commissioners will meet in the Council rooms to meet all persons who are not satisfied with the work of the commissioners in their particular case.

—The employes of the local telephone company are now busily engaged in placing wires underground. The change may have a tendency to affect some of the telephones about the city.

MISS OLIVE FARRINGTON SAMPSON.

In January Miss Olive Farrington Sampson, daughter of Admiral Sampson, is to be married to Mr. Henry Harrison Scott. The ceremony was to have taken place in October, but owing to the absence of the Admiral and Mrs. Sampson, who are in Havana, it was postponed.

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Home is where there's one to love us!

Home's not merely roof, and room,
It needs something to endear it;
Home is where the heart can bloom,
Where there's some kind lip to cheer it!
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None to welcome, none to greet us?
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CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

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Never before has such an array of clever people as the Burrell Comedy Company, which will appear at Music Hall next week. For the past ten years Manager Burrell has given the public all over the country the very best shows, and has not only made a reputation for his company but has won a fortune for himself. The leading actress is Miss Laura Hulbert, a lady with much magnetism, sweet voice and great ability, who has created many roles in Mr. Palmer's companies. The supporting cast is a very strong one and a lot of clever vaudeville artists will appear between the acts. The programme will be changed nightly. The opening production Monday night will be the powerful play, "Infatuation," in which Miss Hulbert appears to great advantage.

—The Reform Club will elect officers at its first meeting in December.

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THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 16—The three nights' fair to be held by the Epworth League of the Dunellen M. E. church in Apgar's Hall, November 17th, 18th and 19th, will be a marked success judging from present appearances. The committees having the different booths in charge have spared no effort to make the fair the most attractive one ever held in this borough. One of the many attractions for the first night will be a Japanese tea, served by the young ladies, in Japanese costumes. A pretty Japanese souvenir will be given to all who are served with tea. A real live gypsy has been secured to tell the fortunes of all who may so desire, and will be in attendance all three nights of the fair. The Plainfield brass band will furnish the music the first night of the fair, and the Ladies' Orchestra will be in attendance Friday and Saturday nights. On Saturday night prizes will be awarded to the young lady making the best cake and to the young man who makes the best apron. The cakes and aprons will be sold at auction immediately after the judges have passed upon them. The trolley cars will run directly to the door to accommodate any who come from out of town.

The power which is furnished the Bound Brook trolley cars gave out Monday night about 10 o'clock, and prevented the car that leaves here every hour from making its last two trips, and the Plainfield cars could not run up as far as Taylor's, but stopped at Jefferson avenue just as they used to do before the track was extended. The power was not put on again until late yesterday morning, and the cars ran irregular all day after that. The moterman and conductor on the stabled car had to go home on the train, and what few passengers there were either returned to Plainfield or followed the conductor's and motorman's example.

The pupils of the public schools are enjoying another vacation, the schools being closed so that the teachers can attend the Institute at New Brunswick.

A lecture will be given in the Presbyterian church two weeks from last night the proceeds of which will go to the financial fund of the church.

Master Willie Warnock has returned from a visit with his grandparents in the country.

There is quite a little building being done in the borough now, and workmen are kept busy.

The pay car was due yesterday, and that made the hearts of many Dunellenites glad.

Isaac Laing is very low with consumption, and it is feared that he will not recover.

William H. Terry spent yesterday in New York, where he went on business.

Mrs. William Carman is entertaining company from out of town.

Miss Nellie Sweeny, of Boston, is visiting Miss Maggie Conover.

Miss Minnie Vanderweg has recovered from a ten days' illness.

Mayor Brakeley has given his store a thorough fall cleaning.

Miss May Abbott has returned from a visit to Princeton.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 16.—Rev. J. S. Braker and George E Hall are attending the State Sunday-school convention being held in Paterson. Mr. Hall is to make an address before the convention on "Better County Work." The convention ends Thursday evening.

Dr. Parks, D. D., had the pleasure of making two hearts beat as one Tuesday evening. The couple, who were from out of town, requested the doctor to withhold their names and the little affair would have remained a secret but for the fact that they made enquiry for a minister, and they were directed to the doctor's home.

Freeholders Hubbard, Tier and Robison enjoyed a ride over the mountains Tuesday afternoon making an inspection of the road, a request having been made to the Board by some of the property owners to have one of the roads through that section made into a county road and be macadamized.

Miss Mary Bornmann, who recently underwent an operation for the removal of a tumor on her foot, returned to her home yesterday.

The condition of James H Walker, who has been an inmate of Muhlenberg Hospital for some time, is said to be improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs Andrews are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Hess, in New York city.

Henry Keuhn has the contract for the painting of Samuel Fields' residence on Front street.

The popular pastime in the village at present is to own or borrow a gun and go hunting.

Rapael Meister, enjoyed a holiday Monday and visited his family in Newark.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 16—The remains of the late Frederick Gale, brother of A. K Gale, of this town, who died at the Presbyterian Hospital in New York Sunday, were brought to Westfield today. The funeral was held at the Episcopal church with Rev. Charles Fiske officiating. Mr. Gale was connected with the Red Cross and had been attending the soldiers at Camp Montauk where he took sick with the typhoid fever and died at the hospital before his relatives even knew that he was ill.

The Congregational church was well filled last evening when Miss Adeline W. Sterling, the critic of the Harper Publishing Company, gave her lecture on 'Some Passing Thoughts on Current Literature." The lecture was very interesting and the large attendance enabled the church to realize a neat sum for the benefit of the building fund.

The firm of Tuttle Brothers has been dissolved by mutual consent and John T. Smith has left the firm and will start in business at Horsehead, N. Y. Messrs. W. E Tuttle and Arthur Tuttle will carry on the business here under the firm name of Tuttle Brothers as before.

The Garwood Christian Endeavor Society will hereafter hold their weekly meetings Thursday evenings instead of Sunday evenings as before.

At the Baptist church Sunday $159 was collected for the purpose of purchasing new seats for the church.

Bon Ami

Cleans and Polishes

THE HOUSE FROM KITCHEN TO PARLOR, POTS TO STATUARY, PAINT TO MIRRORS.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Press want ads bring results.

—The dress goods department at White's will place on sale today a lot of brocaded velvets in all shades at one third their real value.

—Place your Thanksgiving order for oysters and half-shells early with Rogers, we are the only handlers of Blue Point stock in the city.

—There will be a meeting of the Queen Esther Band of Grace M. E. church this afternoon to arrange for a fair to be held at an early date.

—A load of hay was upset yesterday afternoon on East Front street on account of the collapse of a wheel. It was nearly night before the hay was removed.

—The class of 1895 of the Borough Public High School intend holding a reunion Saturday evening, November 26th, in the school building on Somerset street.

—Did you ever think that those headaches which have caused you such intense suffering may be produced by eye-strain? Leech, Stiles & Co., eye specialists, will examine your eyes at 107 East Front street Thursday from 10 to 4.

—It has been remarked that it would be a good idea it the Borough Council would macadamize Watchung avenue from Grandview avenue to Mountain avenue, and thus give the people living on the upper end something for their money.

—The fourth grand masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club, of Plainfield, will be held in the Crescent Rink on Thanksgiving Eve. The members have made great preparations and an evening of great pleasure is assured all who attend.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Charles Dunlap, of Fifth street, is improving from his recent illness.

William D. Thickstun, of Central avenue, has gone to Long Branch.

E H. Holmes, of East Second street, is confined to his home by illness.

Bert Schreiner, of Shaw's pharmacy, has recovered from a recent illness.

Marshal Wise, of the borough, is doing duty while Chief Wilson is off duty.

Mrs. Brady, of East Third street, is very much improved from an attack of rheumatism.

Miss VanCampen, of Plainfield avenue, has returned from a visit with Rahway friends.

Richard P. McCullough, of Steiner place, has entered the U. S. Preparatory School at Annapolis.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, seems to be holding his own very well. His condition is no worse.

Mrs. Randolph Dunham, of Madison avenue, has returned from a visit to her daughter at Carteret.

Mr. and Mrs. Powlison, of the borough, have returned from a visit with out-of-town friends and relatives.

Mrs. William Wilson, of Grove street, who is detained at home by illness, is reported as not being so well.

Mortimer Slater, of the borough, is in the local telephone office learning to be an operator. He will work nights.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, seems to gradullly fail in health. The physicians have given him up.

John Thatcher, of the West, who has been visiting his uncle, Bateman Thatcher, of this city, has gone to Philadelphia to visit.

Clifford Braider, of Manning avenue, attended a banquet given by the alumni of the New Jersey Business College at Newark last night.

THE INDUSTRIAL HOME.

A Report Concerning It Made by Charity Aid Workers.

A meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities' Aid Association of New Jersey was held November 8th in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church. Reports were made of the condition of the alms houses of Rahway and Elizabeth, the county jail and the Plainfield industrial farm.

In the report of the Union County Jail, attention was called to the great need of discarding the old wooden cells in the boys' corridor and substituting something more conductive to cleanliness and comformable to sanitary regulations. This matter was referred to the State Association.

The Plainfield industrial farm has much to commend it, though the proper equipment of the building for its special use is not yet complete. Its two houses for men and women are substantial and commodious and arranged in conformity to the requirements of the law. In consideration of the large amount of land surrounding the building, it would seem most desirable that the inmates should raise vegetables for their own consumption. It is earnestly hoped that the aim will be to make the industrial farm a model home for the city poor. Mr. and Mrs. TenEyck, the superintendent and matron, give the inmates kind and faithful care.

HIS ARM DISLOCATED.

Carbone Didn't Know It Until Two Weeks After Accident.

Jose Carbone, of North avenue, fell two weeks ago and hurt his left arm and hand. Carbone says the physicians whom he consulted told him that the hand was sprained, but although he continued to bathe it, the arm and hand still pained him. Yesterday Carbone went to New York and consulted another surgeon, who told him that the bone in his upper arm was out of place. The surgeon adjusted it, and today Carbone feels better.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Consider a Moment!

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This is the time for renovating the system. YOUR BLOOD may need cleansing.

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is compounded of roots and herbs that free the circulation of its impurities. Everybody may have the benefits of this preparation.

THE PRICE ONLY 50 CENTS.

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Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

T. S. ARMSTRONG, THE APOTHECARY.

Park and North Aves.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E H. BIRD, P. M.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A cottage prayer meeting was held last night at the home of Mrs. Alpaugh, of East Third street.

—Buy your hosiery at Peck's and you will want no other. They fit, they wear, and you get the worth of your money.

—Hetfield & Gallup, the coal, wood and ice dealers, are having a large new sign painted, which will be placed above the entrance to their office.

—The missionary society of Grace M. E. church will hold a social next Friday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Winckler, of Westervelt avenue.

—Putnam & DeGraw are selling a neat kind of flannel shirt for winter wear, with white band and wristbands attached, to wear with collars and cuffs.

MONTE CARLO SUICIDES.

Number Not Exaggerated. Witness Tells How One Was Dealt With.

"I had always believed," said a man who had just returned from his first trip abroad, "that the number of suicides credited to Monte Carlo every year was exaggerated for sensation's sake, but I have been there recently, and I am inclined to believe the worst. I am convinced from what I saw that because of the precautions of the authorities there, and the universal system of bribery which prevails only a small percentage of the suicides due to the gaming table is made known. Just let me tell you of one that I saw myself.

"I was in Monte Carlo one day when, in broad daylight, a well dressed man walked out of the Casino, sat down on the steps, and, with a revolver, blew his brains out. Such incidents are apparently too common to attract extraordinary attention, and the authorities of the place are always prepared for them. Almost before the smoke of the revolver had cleared away a lot of attendants rushed out, and after covering the body with sacking, which was kept on hand for the purpose, removed it. All trace of the tragedy was washed away, and in less than five minutes there was nothing but the steps to excite suspicion. I have no doubt that the authorities buried the body at their own expense, and that nothing further will be heard of the case.

"I met a few Americans there, but they were either sightseers or a very cheap class of gamblers and bunco men. You don't find your thoroughbred American gambler wasting his time at Monte Carlo. It is the hunting ground of the low-down bunco man, and he can make more by telling Americans hard-luck stories than by playing the tables. It was that suicide, however, which impressed me more than anything else. I couldn't help speculating as to who the poor chap was and how his friends or family would account for his disappearance. That led me to wonder how so many such unfortunates were swallowed every year by Monte Carlo, leaving behind no record of their end. I don't believe that anyone but the authorities of the place know the number of suicides there, and it would not be discreet for them to tell."—New York Sun.

EXTRACTS.

After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

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STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD
(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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MARRIED.

BEEBE-BAKER—At the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, on Tuesday evening, November 15th, 1898, by the Rev. George D Baker D. D., uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. W. R Richards D D., Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Baker, to Mr. Howard Wade Beebe.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, cheap. 91 Mercer avenue. 11 11 6

TO LET—Nice large, furnished rooms. Call Somerset Hotel, Somerset street and Lincoln place 11 14 3

WESTFIELD improved property, centrally located, paying 10 per cent, to exchange for Plainfield property. Address P O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 11 14 4

FOR SALE—Large bay horse. Apply 810 Central avenue. 11 14 tf

HORSE for sale, 78 Linden avenue. 11 14 4

WANTED — A girl for general housework; bring references. 227 East Sixth street. 11 15 2

TO LET—Park avenue, 5 rooms; rent $9 00. Elmwood place, 5 rooms, $7.00. Park avenue, store, $10.00. V. W. Nash, Park avenue. 11 14 2 eod

WANTED—Single man to work on farm. Apply to McIntyer, South Somerville, N. J.

[illegible] means that she is covering 23 ordinary miles in an hour.—New York Herald.

$5,000 TO loan. Robt. M Clark, 109 East Front street.

A FEW horses wanted to board for the winter; best care guaranteed; charges reasonable. Inquire J. A. Blatz.

6 ROOM house to let; $14 00 per month. Wm. H. Abbott, opp. depot.

WANTED—By small family, modern flat or part of heated house, unfurnished; centrally located; rent not to exceed $18 00. Address M. M. K., Plainfield Post office.

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm. Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others.

With weather right, with goods right, with prices lower than you have ever seen for such

STYLISH

Jackets, Capes, Skirts and Silk Waists.

It is what throngs our garment room with pleased purchasers; all our Jackets are guaranteed as to fit and finish.

Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined $4.98
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades .. $3.98
Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout $8.98
Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair
10-4 " California Blanket ..... $3.75 pair
11-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $3.98 pair
11-4 " California Blankets ..... $4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies' Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants ..... 19c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
70-inch Bleached Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT—'Twill pay you men to nose around in a dry goods for your Underwear, Hosiery and Shirt wants. You pay dry goods store prices, and you know what that means.

Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers ..... 33c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers ..... 49c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural, ... 17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 33c.
All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 13c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black ..... 69c. pair
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers 79c
Apron Ginghams ..... 3½c. yard
Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band ..... 10c. pair
Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black .. 10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 59c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 45c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 16c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 29c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths ..... 2c. each
Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes ..... 17c. box
French Plate, Hand Mirrors ..... 15c. each
Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
54 in. Dress Goods; fancy ..... 29c yard

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75.
MODEL 49 (improved) $40.
MODELS 57 and 58 (improved chain) $50.
OTHER MODELS AT $25 and $35.

GEO. W. ROCKFELLOW, Agt. Park Ave. and Fourth St.

SPECIAL SALE!

Potatoes per bushel 57c
Eggs per dozen 19c
Creamery Butter per lb 23c
Sweet Potatoes per basket 20c
4 cans Baked Beans 25c
Hams per lb 10c

J. F. MacDonald, Uptown Grocer.
186 East Front Street.

HORSES wanted to board this winter; first-class accommodations. McIntyre, 171 North Ave. 11 12 6

FOR SALE — Fowls and small chicken houses. Address F. M., care Press. 11 15 3

ROOMS with board. 213 East Fifth street. 11 15 12

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—The Homestead, Fanwood, N. J.; one hour from the city, Jersey Central road; house five minutes walk from the station; a fall and winter home; glass enclosed piazzas; steam heat; electric lights; references exchanged. 11 16 19

GIRL wants situation as cook and laundress; good references. Call 330 East Fourth street.

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Illustrated Lecture,
"Peter the Great and the Making of Russia,"
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A Comedy-drama in four acts, by BYRON LEFFINGWELL.
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SNAKES AS DECORATIONS.

Samoan Maidens Wreathe Themselves With Reptiles of Flaming Red.

For the most part the Pacific islands are destitute of snakes. That is absolutely the fact in Hawaii. New Zealand is equally free of these reptiles. All the eastern islands of Polynesia between these two outposts are snakeless. Westward from Hawaii, down among the Gilberts and the Marshalls and the Carolines, the square-bodied water snake begins to make its appearance in the lagoons and harbors. By the time the Philippines are reached the water snake becomes both common and deadly, and the jungles of those islands are abundantly supplied with snakes. From the Philippines as one follows down the chain of islands snakes are found both abundant and venomous. In the wild lands of the western Pacific the reptiles are frequently objects of worship, and in some legends are credited with the creation of the world.

Samoa seems to lie just on the boundary line of snakes in the Pacific. In the eastern islands of the archipelago no snakes are to be found; in Upolu a few are seen at rare intervals. In Savaii, only a few miles to the westward, they are common and attain great size, in the case of some kinds at least. None of them is venomous and the islanders neither fear them nor exhibit that repugnance to their presence which is commonly called instinctive.

This indifference to the reptiles is made most markedly manifest at the hamlet of Iva on the northeast coast of Savaii. Here are to be found small snakes of a most brilliant red color. They are so common that a basketful may be easily picked up in any banana patch. The dancing girls of this town are in the habit of employing these gaudy snakes for personal adornment in their dances. They tie them about their necks, their ankles and their wrists, festoon them in their headdresses, and tuck a few extra ones in the belt in readiness to replace such as escape in the dance. At their best these sivas danced by the Samoans are either dull, or revolting shows of savagery. It can easily be imagined that they are made no more attractive when the taupou or village maid and her crew of attendant girls go careering about with an assortment of writhing red snakes. Still, the Samoans, who have no stock of snake prejudices, look upon this as one of the most successful and artistic dances in their islands.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

FORTY YEARS SHE WAITED.

When She Recovers Her Husband's Body From the Alps.

A married couple were crossing one of the great glaciers of the Alpine regions, when a fatal accident occurred. The husband fell down one of the huge crevasses which abound on all glaciers—the rope broke, and the depth of the chasm was so great that no help could be rendered, nor could the body be recovered. Over the wife's anguish at her loss we must draw the veil of silence. Forty years afterward saw her, with the guide who had accompanied them at the time of the accident, staying at the nearest hotel at the foot of the glacier, waiting for the sea to give up its dead; for, by the well-known law of glacier-progression, the form of her long-lost husband might be expected to appear, expelled from the mouth of the torrent, about that date. Patiently, and with unfailing constancy, they watched and waited, and their hopes were at last rewarded.

One day the body was released from its prison in the ice, and the wife looked again on the features of him who had been so long parted from her! But the pathos of the story lay in the fact that she was then an old woman, while the newly-rescued body was that of quite a young and robust man, so faithfully had the crystal casket preserved the jewel which it held so long. The forty years had left no wrinkles on that marble brow. Time's wandering fingers could not touch him in that tomb, and so, for a few brief moments, the aged lady saw the husband of her youth, as he was in the days which were gone forever!—In C. H. Spurgeon's Autobiography.

Regarding the Burmese.

The Burmese will sacrifice any prospect of money making to go to a feast. These are called pives, and often the entertainment is elaborate. The writer remembers going to one in Upper Burmah. There was a good deal of dancing, but neither the host nor his guests danced, that would have been undignified. The dancers were paid, and they twirled lazily or jumped excitedly as occasion required. Most of the time, however, was spent in chatter and smoking. Smoking is the only thing at which the Burmese are industrious. They start smoking at the early age of three, and they smoke themselves into the next world. Girls smoke quite as arduously as the men, and as the cigars are very big, many a pretty mouth is strained to accommodate a giant cheroot.—Pall Mall Magazine.

The Reward of Generosity.

"General Archie Williams," says the Kansas City Journal, "was on a train going up Pike's Peak one day last summer. At the half way house he got off and purchased a big basket of violets at an expense of $10. Returning to the train he presented each woman with a beautiful bouquet, though all of the women were strangers. By and by the husband of one of the women came back from the smoking car and she said to him: 'I think this is the nicest railroad I ever rode on. That brakeman over there gave every one of us a lovely bouquet.'"

FAMOUS MILITARY POSTS.

Thousands Can be Massed Ready For Duty at a Moment's Notice.

Jefferson Barracks, near St. Louis, is again active after the long absence of the troops, and the new structures have their proper setting in the midst of the blue of Uncle Sam's uniforms. Jefferson Barracks has been occupied as a military post ever since the acquisition in 1803 of what was then called Louisiana. It is located on a splendid reservation, 1,400 acres in extent, and was used principally as a cavalry recruiting depot until 1894, when it was turned into a regularly garrisoned post. Since that date practically all the buildings have been remodeled and rebuilt.

Fort Meade is another typical army post where many of the regulars will rest. It is located in the Black Hills, a few miles north of Deadwood, N. D. The scenery surrounding it is beautiful, the hills towering above it like an army of giants preparing to make a descent upon a pigmy establishment.

At Fort Sherman, on Lake Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, litttle will be done, but many a trooper will find it a glorious spot for recuperation whenever the southern garrison duty is over with. It is in a delightful location, its foot being washed by the waters of the placid lake which lies like a great emerald in a setting of tall mountains. It was at Fort Sherman that ex-Secretary Lamar witnessed the famous barrel incident which he told of in his report at the time. On his inspection tour he reached Fort Sherman on the Fourth of July. In telling the story he says: "Americans are nothing if not patriotic, and so it is with the townspeople near Fort Sherman. They had their usual fireworks on the glorious Fourth, and in addition had gotten up a unique feature, which, however, resulted disastrously. It is doubtless true that the townspeople were influenced in their desire to impart novelty to their programme by the presence of the secretary of war, whom they desired to interest. The feature consisted in the descent of a mountain, over the timber slide, into the lake, by a man inside of a barrel. All the preparations were made, and the barrel with its human freight was let go. It rushed down the slide with dizzy velocity, but before it reached the bottom, to the horror of the spectators, it struck an obstruction, and dashed over a precipice for several thousand feet. The man was dead when picked up and the barrel was broken into pieces."

Fort Snelling is again filled with its quota of troops. It stands on a huge limestone bluff, over a hundred feet above the rivers, commanding a wide sweep of country. It was a formidable fortress in the earlier days of the century, and it would even now, did danger threaten, be a strong point of vantage. For over three-quarters of a century the grim old buildings, low roofed and strong of wall, have stood at the edge of the bluff, while, as the years have passed, new and more modern and more comfortable buildings have found their way along the bluff to the south—little similar, architecturally speaking, to the low squat quarters of stone where so many thousands of men were housed in the days when the fort was one of the outposts of civilization. It speaks much for the sentiment of the soldier that these picturesque old buildings have been allowed to stand.

In September, 1820, the fort was begun, and finished two years later. It was strongly built of stone, and was intended primarily as a defence from Indian attacks, a refuge for settlers, and a rendezvous for troops, who might have military duty of many kinds in the vast territory of which this was the only governmental fortification.

The fort was laid out on the bluff overlooking the two rivers, in an irregular diamond-shaped form, with stone bastions or towers at each of the four angles of the high stone wall which shut in the fort proper. The quarters of the men are standing yet, with the round tower, which was located at the extreme western angle of the fortifications. The hexagonal bastion which was erected on the Minnesota side still remains, a solid piece of masonry, looking out from its deep port holes down over the Minnesota valley.

The fort as it now stands is one of the most important in the United States. Certainly there is none more important in the Central West. It has command of a territory a thousand miles in diameter, of which it is the focal point, with such railroad facilities that a full regiment might be thrown into the field or into any one of the large cities in its radius within twelve hours from the time of receiving command to move. Thousands of men have been massed at this point when there were threatened Indian outbreaks, for distribution to northwestern points, and in case of serious difficulty with mobs in cities like Chicago or Milwaukee or Omaha, a thousand men could be on board the cars and on their way to the threatened point at any time of the day or night within three-quarters of an hour.

Rejected Benefits.

"White folks," remarked Mr. Erastus Pinkley, "is queer people. 'Long ask your Druggist for a generous ... CATARRH white folks 'bout slightin' chances."

"Whut's been happenin'?" inquired Miss Miami Brown.

"De people what I was wuckin' today done sent word ter one of de neighbors warnin' her ter kep her chickens fum comin' over in his yahd!"

Junior Partner: "Do you think the new office-boy is trustworthy?"

Senior Partner: "I'm sure of it. I've noticed that when he hasn't anything to do he never pretends to be busy."

ROSE LORE.

The Story of the Sweetest Flower That Blooms.

In commerce the rose has not been without value. The most delightful commercial product of the rose is that known as the "Attar of Persia and India." Although the production of attar was discovered in Persia, the industry has nearly died out there to spring up in extensive rose farms in Turkey; and about Kazanlik, on the southern slope of the Balkans, close to the Shipka, or wild rose pass, famous in the history of the Russia-Turkish war.

The rose growing belt is situated at an average altitude of 1,000 feet above the sea and comprises seventy miles in length and ten miles in width. Since the emancipation of the Balkan provinces the manufacture of this exquisite perfume has become a great industry in Bulgaria and has been taken up in a large scale even in Germany. The ancestor of all, the rose of Damascus, furnishes the greater number of blossoms. The white musk rose is used, and a pink damask, but the dark red variety outnumbers them all. A fine attar is produced from roses grown in Cashmere. The attar is expensive, because it requires an enormous quantity of blossoms to distill even a few drops.

It is claimed that it was discovered by the favorite wife of Jehan Ghir, through whose garden ran a canal of rose-water. On the surface the Begum discovered a few drops of the precious attar or oil floating.

Even rose-water has its value and may be also included among the luxuries.

The hundred-leaved rose, a variety well known to the ancients and originally found in the Caucasus, is also used to make rose-water and a medicinal syrup. A mild astringent syrup is made from the petals of the French rose. The petals of the tea rose, a species of roisette, with a very fine fragrance, are used in China for flavoring teas.

A vinegar made from roses is used for headaches; a conserve of roses and sugar is given medicinally to children. The fruit or hip is also used that way, while on the Continent dried hips are used in the culinary concoctions such as soups.

The first cultivted rose is said to have been planted in Britain in A. D. 1522. The wild rose is a native of Britain, and grows abundantly. In the time of Edward III., 1334, a gold coin was made, called a rose-noble, because on one side of it the form of a rose was impressed.

In classical time there was a recondite significance connected with the rose. The statue of Diana of Ephesus was covered with roses and bees. It is connected by Dante with the ineffable "Light of the Shekinah," while he terminates the Paradise with the rose-cross.

The Rosicrucians, brothers of the rosy-cross, a secret order, used for their emblem the crucified rose. In ancient times, when secret meetings were held, men used to wear a chaplet of roses on their heads. Later on the forms of roses were painted and carved on the ceilings of rooms or halls where feasts were given, when everything connected with them was kept secret. From that custom came the expression "sub-rosa" or "under the rose," which means that nothing is to be revealed.

There is a fabled story that Cupid gave a rose to the god of silence as a bribe to prevent him from betraying the affairs of Venus, and that in this way the rose became the symbol of silence.

Among the ancients the rose became the symbol of modesty, of joy, of gladness and of grief. It crowned the reveler, it graced the garland of the lover and shed its beauty and its fragrance upon the dead after life's fitful fever closed.

In mythology we find that the rose was Venus' own flower. It is also associated with Bacchus, for we read of chaplets of roses crowning the heads of those who indulged in Bacchanalian orgies. Classic myths and mediaeval lore afford a wealth of beautiful legends connected with the rose, which assure us that it has been a favorite ever since it became known.

In Shakespeare we find seventy or more mentions of the rose in the plays, and in the fifty-fourth sonnet the rose is described as truth. In his time it was considered the queen of flowers. In Romeo and Juliet we read, "remnants of pack-thread and old cakes of roses were thinly scattered to make up a show." In Twelfth Night, "by the roses of the spring, by honor, truth and everything, I love thee so." There are few poets who have not given graceful and honorable mention of the rose.

The Latin poet, Horace, even though he often alludes to the myrtle bush, the vine-wreathed elm, the olive thickets, the thick-woven shade of the laurels, the violet bed, the tall, spreading pine, the white-leaved poplar, the coronal of rosemary, the rugged oak, does not omit the rose; "while the odors of Syrian nard and the rose breathe sweet from locks tipped, and just tipped with Time's snows."—Ode 11. "Then strew freely the roses." "With locks all dropping balm on roses laid," and many other poetical illusions. Although the rose is the emblem of silence its sphere touches all nations, its mission touches all hearts, all joys, all sorrows. Much there is of history and sentiment in the heart of the rose.

It is the flower of compliment and ever breathes its own sweet language in beauty and perfume.

"What is firmness, father?"

"Firmness, my boy, is obstinacy in ourselves."

"And what is obstinacy?"

"Obstinacy is firmnes in somebody else."—Chicago Evening News.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Preußen.

Provinz Brandenburg.

Berlin. Die Zahl der von den hiesigen Post benutzten Fahrräder beträgt seit Kurzem 83. Zweiräder sind 22, Dreiräder 61 eingestellt. Bei der Kastenleerung hat es sich als zweckmäßig erwiesen, Dreiräder ohne Kasten zu verwenden. Der Fahrer trägt den Sammelsack während der Fahrt auf dem Rücken. Zu diesem Zweck sind die Sammelsäcke mit zwei Tragriemen versehen, die durch Haken und Oesen derart verkürzt werden können, um die Säcke wie Rucksäcke über die Schultern zu hängen.—Hier wird ein allgemeiner Bäckerausstand vorbereitet. In einer Vertrauensmänner-Konferenz der Gesellen wurde beschlossen, die Forderungen des Hamburger Bäckerausstandes, Abschaffung von Kost und Logis und Bewilligung eines Mindestlohnes, aufzunehmen.—Wegen Unterschlagung ist der Magistratssekretär Meißner verhaftet worden. Ihm wird zur Last gelegt, daß er sich an den Geldern einer Stiftung vergriffen habe, deren Verwaltung er führte; auch eine Anzahl von Privatleuten soll er geschädigt haben.

Niederbarnim. Eine Anzahl Bergleute aus dem Bezirk der königlichen Berginspektion Kallberge-Rüdersdorf hat sich bereit erklärt, auf drei Jahre nach Kiautschau zu gehen, um in den dortigen Granit- und Marmorbrüchen zu arbeiten.

Nixdorf. Die Stadtrechtverleihung an die hiesige Gemeinde ist nunmehr gesichert, nachdem die Gemeindevertretung die vom Kreisausschuß des Kreises Teltow gemachten Vorschläge betreffs der Auseinandersetzung mit dem Kreise für den Fall des Ausscheidens aus diesem in namentlicher Abstimmung einstimmig angenommen hat.

Provinz Hannover.

Stade. Als kürzlich bei einer öffentlichen Tanzmusik in Bliedersdorf um 11 Uhr der Gendarm erschien, um die Theilnehmer daran zu erinnern, daß sie sich nach Hause zu begeben hatten, weil die Polizeistunde bereits eingetreten sei, wurde diese Aufforderung mit Johlen und Schreien aufgenommen. Gegen den Gendarm wurden Steine geworfen, und er vermochte sich der Angreifer nur dadurch zu erwehren, daß er von seiner Schußwaffe Gebrauch machte. Leider traf einer der Schüsse einen Bauerssohn so schwer, daß bald darauf der Tod des Verletzten erfolgte.

Wilhelmshaven. In Karolineninsiel hatte sich eine aus Thüringen stammende „Schwester vom rothen Kreuz" bei der Krankenpflege in verschiedenen Familien so sehr bewährt, daß man beschloß, sie dauernd als Gemeindeschwester anzustellen. Auf Erkundigung in ihrer Heimath erfuhr man indeß, daß man es mit einer abgefeimten Schwindlerin zu thun habe und bei einer nun sofort vorgenommenen Haussuchung fand man bei der lieben Schwester ein ganzes Waarenlager gestohlener Gegenstände.

Provinz Hessen-Nassau.

Bad-Nauheim. Die vielbesuchte „Pension Victoria" des Fräuleins Marie von Tiffurth wurde für 200,000 Mark an zwei aus Frankfurt a. M. stammende Wiener Damen verkauft. Die Uebergabe erfolgt am 15. März 1899.

Frankfurt. Das Schwurgericht verurtheilte den Goldarbeiter Heinrich Frank aus Heilbronn, der sich als Anarchist bekennt, wegen eines am 11. Juni d. J. verübten Raubanfalls auf einen Geldbriefträger zu 12 Jahren Zuchthaus.

Provinz Pommern.

Greifenhagen. Der seit länger als einem Jahr angeblich wegen seines Verhaltens in dem Prozeß gegen den wegen Unterschlagung verurtheilten vormaligen Pastor Rau in Cladow auf Denunziation von seinem Amte suspendirte hiesige Superintendent Gerke ist endlich wieder in sein Amt als Geistlicher und Seelsorger eingesetzt worden. Die Untersuchung gegen ihn hat ein völlig negatives Resultat gehabt zum nicht geringen Schmerze seiner Widersacher. Seine vorgesetzte Behörde in Stettin hat sich veranlaßt sehen müssen, die ihm während der Suspension vorenthaltene Gehaltshälfte nachträglich auszahlen zu lassen.

Lauenburg. Als Brandstifter wurde der Schneider Albert Lietzow verhaftet. Er hatte in den zu seiner Wohnung gehörigen Bodenräumen Feuer angelegt, nachdem er den Fußboden und die dort befindlichen Gegenstände mit Petroleum begossen hatte.

Provinz Posen.

Posen. Die Strafkammer in Inowrazlaw hatte dahin erkannt, daß das öffentliche Ausstellen von Uhren und Schmucksachen mit dem polnischen Adler und der Inschrift: „Gott erlöse Posen," sowie das Inseriren derartiger Gegenstände in Zeitungen als grober Unfug nicht anzusehen sei. Auf die Revision der Staatsanwaltschaft hob das hiesige Oberlandesgericht das Urtheil auf und verwies die Sache zur nochmaligen Verhandlung an das Landgericht Bromberg.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 7 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 12 15, 1 00 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 00, 9 00, 10 00 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29 p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 55 a. m; 2 03, 3 35, 5 08, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45 a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 08, 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 8 06 a. m; 2 03, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 20 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 06 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

8 19 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 5 37, 8 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 18, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 23, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 5 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 5 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 6 23 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 5 37, 8 13 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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BY THE CAMP FIRE.

After a good day's sport we drew around the camp-fire and told stories. When every one had contributed his personal quota, we looked slyly at the colonel.

"I suppose you fellows expect me to say something now?" was his interrogation.

We expressed ourselves as anxious to that effect, and he gave me a long, steady look, as if studying my features. Then, glancing out into the darkness, he began:

"It was while I still wore the shoulder-straps of a lieutenant that we had a hot fight with the Johnny Rebs in the eastern part of Kentucky.

"Our forces came out victorious, and among the prisoners was a dashing, handsome lieutenant that I congratulated myself upon taking. Looking me in the eye he threw back his coat and said: 'Lieutenant, you would never have taken me but for this.' And I saw a bullet hole just above his heart.

"I must say that I felt a sharp pain shoot through my heart. He was in the very flower of manhood. Stepping up to him, I put my arm around his body to support him, urging him to lie down. He shook his head and said, 'I shall die standing and facing my foes.' Then a spasm of pain contorted his face, and he whispered: 'Lieutenant, you look like an honest man, and when the last roll shall be called it will be as men that we shall answer—only men. Then, as a man, I shall ask a favor of you.' His utterance grew thick for a moment, but with an effort he continued: 'Your forces are pushing on to S——. I know it, and I want you when there to deliver this package of letters'—taking them from his pocket. 'They are from my wife—tell her—tell—her—I died thinking of her.' He kissed a picture that was in the package, then looking appealingly at me he gasped: 'Will you deliver them? God bless—bless'—and with blurred eyes and shaking arm I laid him gently down, for he never finished his sentence.

"I glanced at the letters and saw that they were addressed to Lieutenant Russell, and the picture—if I should attempt to tell you of the beauty of that face, you would think me in my dotage. I put it and the letters into my pocket, and from that moment a burning desire arose in my heart to deliver the letters and message to his wife.

"I had not long to wait for an opportunity. In two weeks we were in possession of the town of S——, and in my first leisure I set out to find the widow. I learned that she was not yet aware of her husband's fate.

"Gently as I could I gave her to understand that her husband had been wounded, but her intuition told her the truth. With a heart-rending cry she fell fainting. The other inmates of the house rushed to the room. I remained long enough to give my name and asked to be called upon if I at any time could be of assistance. Then, leaving the letters, I went back to camp.

"Some weeks later she sent for me. When I called, I found her in the same room where I had seen her before, but she was in an invalid's chair, and beside her sat a black mammy with an infant in her lap. If her face had been beautiful before, it had something of heaven in it then. She motioned me to a seat, then begged me to tell her everything about the death of her husband.

"There was little to tell, yet I went over the death scene, while the tears streamed from her lovely eyes. When I finished, she lay back as if she could bear no more, yet, reaching out her hand to me, she said:

"'I thank you, Lieutenant N——. You have been very kind. I should want to die, too, but that now I have our child to live for.' And she looked at the child with a world of love in her eyes.

"When the war ended I sought the town of S——. In her house I found strangers, and inquiries brought out the facts that she had gone to her home in Louisiana, and word had come of her death from fever, contracted by nursing sick soldiers.

"And now, young gentlemen, you know my romance and why I have never married," said the colonel, getting up hastily before anyone could speak. He walked out into the darkness.

"A sentimental old chap," remarked Tom.

"Shut up, you fool," I said savagely. Something was choking me. I, too, got up and went into the mysterious shadows.

When the other fellows had crept into their beds in the tent, I still waited for him. At last he approached.

"Colonel," I called softly, and he started. "Colonel, have you her picture? May I see it?"

We walked toward each other and met over the dying camp-fire. He drew out a picture and struck a match that I might see. I gave one glance, and the word "Mother!" burst from my lips. I had seen just such a faded picture of her many a time. He caught me in his strong grasp.

"Boy, boy, is this so? Prove it is so, and my fortune is yours for her sake. You have her hair and eyes—that's why I have loved you all along. You remind me of her, but can you prove it?"

"I'll let mother herself prove it," I answered. "She did not die as was reported, but is still alive and well, and—and—handsomer."

That's all, except that now I have a right to call the colonel father and have plenty of cash all the time, but it would never have happened but for the stories over the camp-fire.—Cincinnati Post.

THE MAKING OF A MAN

It had been a great game. Because of its sensational finish, it would occupy a place of its own in college history. The older men were all talking of Sargent, the lips of beauty were busy with Mr. Sargent, while the throng of students gathered around the dressing-room to await the appearance of their idol, could find no other theme than Baby Sargent.

It was characteristic of Baby that after the game in which he won so great glory he should elude his admiring companions and make his way to his own room. There he found a stranger awaiting his coming. The visitor was a man just past the prime of life. His dress was that of a gentleman, and when he spoke, it was as an educated man. Yet in the hard, cold glint of his eyes and in the lines of the mouth, there was something that belied the bearing and the speech. Looking from one to the other, an observer would have said that the older man was the younger with the ideals of youth gone from him, and with the knowledge that they were gone forever.

"May I ask what you want?" said Baby, rather stiffly.

"Why, of course," said the stranger. "I forgot. You can't be expected to know me. Sit down and I will tell you."

The manner was one of singular courtesy, but there was a ring in the voice that evidently grated on the sensibilities of Baby. He obeyed, and the stranger looked him up and down very carefully. Finally he spoke.

"I knew you as soon as I saw you," he said. "It was at the game to-day. If I were capable of the feeling, I should be proud. Did you ever hear of your father? Yes, he's dead. I thought so." This last as if to himself. "When a gentleman signs another man's name to a cheque he is dead, and I suppose he had better stay dead."

Baby sat with white, drawn face and the man continued as if in soliloquy:

"Yes, I have been dead and in hell for twenty-two years. And what is more, the ghost of my dead self has always stood before my face. Outside, I am as when I married your mother, a gentleman. Inside, I look upon myself as a corpse, and know that I shall never again be honorable; what is worse, I have no desire to recover my lost manhood. This, too, I comprehend. I have lost my self-respect, and I know it. Therefore, I say I am in hell."

The voice was heavy with the weight of unalterable judgment. In Baby's eyes the horror of the thing was written plain. Now, like a hunted animal, he turned instinctively towards the mantel, on which stood an old portrait of a man in the uniform of a cavalry officer. He looked back to the face before him, and the certainty of it was overwhelming.

There was silence between them for some time, and then the man spoke again.

"My welcome is not cordial, but my dead self does not feel. The rest of me, however, must live, and there is no life except at the gaming table. For that I gave my soul, for that I lost your mother, for that I am here. She has come into some property, I am told. Well, I shall return to my family. My dead self will be easier in its coffin if I am able to move in the circles where I belong. As long as I am supplied with money I shall not injure your prospects. I shall not disgrace your mother's name. But money I must and will have. Come, let us go home now at once."

The voice had grown fierce, and the eyes shot a red glare as the demon of his passion for gambling laid hold of the man.

At the mention of his mother's name, Baby was transformed. He rose and stood before his father. His lips were shut like a vice, and his eyes gleamed as steel gleams in the moonlight. He took some bills from his pocket, and threw them on the table with a powerful gesture. Then the words came slowly and sternly from between the clinched teeth.

"What you want," said he, "is money. Take it. When you want more, come here and get it. But if ever you show yourself to my mother, I will most certainly kill you. Now go!"

Without a trace of feeling, the man took up the bills and left the room.

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That night the students celebrated their victory. They cheered for Sargent, they sought him high and low. They rushed to his room, but it was dark, and repeated poundings on the door brought no answer. Yet inside Roy Sargent (Baby no longer) was sitting with the ruins of his shattered family idols around him. From the wreckage he was gathering materials wherewith to build new gods. In the anguish of his soul he was working out the salvation of his manhood.

Witout, his name was borne high upon the midnight air. Within, a portrait in his hand, he sat in the darkness, staring at a face he could not see.

The following letter, written by Big Heart, a Sioux at the Rosebud Agency, to the United States Marshal, seems to be capable of two interpretations: "I want to make complaint against my brother for shooting at my mother. He missed her at least a foot."

"I have tried to make Monsieur le Americaine's apartments as homelike as possible," said the French landlord.

"Yes?" queried the American.

"Oui, monsieur. See, here ees ze cuspidor."—Philadelphia North American.

ALMOST A SCANDAL.

Mrs. Hillyer turned upon her companion with a flash of indignation in her gray eyes, and a brighter pink dyed her fair cheeks.

"What do you mean, Mr. Landor?" she demanded in low tones which trembled with feeling.

"What I said, of course," replied Landor, looking down upon her with a peculiar sparkle in his sombre eyes. "I don't wonder that it affects you so. When I saw it, it was all I could do to prevent myself from springing forward and throttling that faithless husband of yours."

"You say that with your own eyes you saw Robert Hillyer kiss a woman—that is the charge, is it?" in a calm, measured way.

"Yes. And you his wife! For this man you trampled my love in the dust. Oh, Mildred, how I would have cherished you!"

"You forget yourself, Mr. Landor."

"Yes, forgive me—I think only of you."

"Can you tell me just when and where you witnessed this remarkable scene?"

"At Arlington's ball. You know where the Cupid and Psyche stands? I was having a solitary cigar in the shadow of a laurel, when he—your husband—came along with a lady. I saw him plainly, though I could not tell who she was. They stopped among the palms just back of the statuary, and—what is the matter?"

Mildred's pink-lined sunshade concealed her face from his view, but the convulsive breathing, fluttering the lace at her throat, told him that she was greatly moved.

"Mildred! I should have spared you, but I could not! Curse the infamous wretch who has been the cause of your unhappiness—who, having won the loveliest woman on earth, wears her so lightly—who——"

Landor stopped short in amazement as the pink-lined sunshade was slanted back and revealed a rosy, dimpling face.

"Oh!" laughed Mrs. Hillyer. "I can't keep up my role of tragedy queen, though I must congratulate you on the success you are in playing the heavy villain. Mr. Lanrod," more seriously, "you are too good a friend of mine. You worry too much about trifles. I shall give Robert a lecture, and I am sure it will never happen any more."

"You are different from what I thought you if you can let such a thing pass so lightly."

"It was bad form, but the dear boy is so unconventional. He thought there would be no scandal if he stole a kiss from his wife in the dark."

"It was you?" he asked, forcing a smile to his pale lips. "How infernally stupid I was not to have known it! Can you ever forgive me?"

"Yes, and forget you, too. Your very protective, watchful friendship is wholly unnecessary, Mr. Landor. Robert dearly loves to take care of me, and you are superfluous. Be good enough to transfer your kindly offices to some woman who will appreciate them more."

Landor bowed. His best-laid plan had "gang aglee."

New Engagement Ring.

Even the engagement ring of the New York girl tells the story of the times she is living in. It might not be thought that lovers, generally all sufficient unto themselves, would be influenced by consideration of patriotism and memories of the war that has just come to an end, but there are evidences that they are. The new engagement ring is patriotic in the extreme, and several engaged girls are proudly wearing it.

It displays the three national colors and is really three rings. These are quite separate and distinct. Each is a very narrow band of gold, on which is set seven very small stones. There must be no display. Each must be extremely simple, and the combined effect of the three very quiet and elegant.

The first band or ring has rubies for its seven stones. These are ranged in a row. The second ring, of seven other stones similarly placed, is of diamonds, the whitest that can be found. The third ring shows blue in its seven sapphires.

All this is rather expensive, despite the fact that the stones necessarily are small ones. So it can safely be said that not many engaged girls will be able to "sport" a ring or rings of this variety. It is a betrothal present, however, that any girl who once sets eyes on one of them will envy."—New York Herald.

"Knots" and Miles.

The use of the word "knot" in connection with the speed and distance sailed or steamed by a ship in a given time is open to misconstruction. The difference between the geographical mile, as the term is used by landsmen, and a nautical mile is that the latter measures 6,080 feet, or 800 feet more than the land mile. Thus, when we read of a war ship making 20 knots, it means that she is covering 23 ordinary miles in an hour.—New York Herald.

Soldier's Magnanimous Act.

The war with Mexico is a part of our martial history. Taylor and Scott and Davis and Lee came out of it immortal. The epic of that great struggle was the storming of Chapultepec. That frowning fortress was the Gibraltar of Mexico. Its massive walls seemed impregnable. But American daring knew no obstacles, and an intrepid band of volunteers was chosen to scale and assault it.

PETTY ECONOMIES IN GERMAMY.

Racks for Cigar Stumps Where Smoking is Not Allowed.

An American in Munich writes to a New York paper concerning "German thrift," with examples of petty economies he has seen in Germany, and that strike Americans as extraordinary. He tells of a stout German gentleman who came into the lobby of one of the picture-galleries of Munich one day last summer puffing a cigar. After depositing his hat and umbrella, he looked around uneasily. Big signs on the entrance doors to the gallery warned him that no smoking was allowed. Finally his face lighted up as he strode over to one corner and deposited his half-finished cigar in a sort of metal rack fastened to the wall. "So!" he exclaimed with a sigh of relief, and marched in to see the pictures. Almost at the same moment another German, having "done" the pictures, approached the rack in question, and, having scrutinized its contents, selected a stump of a cigar as his particular property, and proceeded to light it before getting on his hat and coat. This provision for saving the stumps of cigars was a novelty to the American, and he examined it with some curiosity. A sign, "Cigarre Ablade," placed above it in large letters, announced its purpose—a "leaving-place" or "depositing-place" for cigars. The rack was of metal, and fashioned something like a miniature wirerack; there was a special groove for each cigar, but no particular mark or number by which one could identify one stump from another, and no particular reason why the first-comer should not help himself to the best and biggest cigar of the lot. These cigar repositories are common all over Germany in galleries, museums, and other places where smoking is not allowed.

NECKLACE OF BLACK DIAMONDS.

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The only black diamond necklace known to exist in this country or Europe is that owned by Mrs. Celia Wallace, of the Auditorium. Mrs. Wallace has been fifteen years collecting them and has searched for the perfect stones in every jewel market of the world. They are found more often in the diamond mines of South Africa and in rare instances in South America.

The black diamond, as its name signifies, is as jetty as a piece of coal, perfectly transparent, and with all the lustre and glisten and brilliant rays of its white sister. It is used as the mourning stone of the Russian court. The necklace is composed of fourteen pendants, hung on a fine platinum chain. Each one has a black diamond centre, set closely around with a row of steel white diamonds from the Jaeger mine, South Africa.

The black stones in this larger pendant and in the two on each side of it are eight karats each. The rest are a trifle smaller. Between each pendant, hanging like a pierced dewdrop, is a single white diamond, while directly above the larger pendant is a nine-karat white Indian diamond of unusual beauty. For this single stone unset Mrs. Wallace paid the neat sum of $6,000.

It is almost impossible to estimate the value of the necklace, as no two stones were bought at the same time and none of them was set, but it is rudely estimated at $65,000.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

He Would Not Be Insulted.

Jim O'Brien, a patrolman in one of the downtown police districts, stepped into Stanley's shoe store on Christian street to buy a pair of shoes. He was a regular customer and wore a very heavy style of shoe. Stanley was busy at the time, but there was a new clerk who came forward to wait upon O'Brien. The latter picked out a pair that suited him and prepared to try them on. It was a rainy day, and the customer's socks were a trifle damp. The clerk accordingly proceeded to sprinkle the insides of the new shoes rather generously with powdered soapstone that they might slip on more easily. O'Brien suddenly changed his mind about the shoes. He didn't want them, he said, and proceeded to draw on his old pair. As he was walking out the proprietor said: "Well, Jim, did you get suited?" Jim turned upon him a face red with anger. "No, Oi did not git suited, Mr. Stanley." "What's the trouble, Jim?" "Well, sor, Oi loike ye purty well, an' Oi loiked yer shoes afore this, an' mebbe Oi'd kape on loikin' ye an' yer shoes, but Oi didn't come in here fur teh be insulted. Oi kin sthand a joke as well as the next wan, but whin a little whippersnapper loike that puts chloride of lime on my feet, Oi don't mane to sthand fur it."—Philadelphia Record.

Post-Mortem Weddings in China.

A Shansi missionary who went to conduct a funeral the other day narrowly escaped being present at a marriage. The dead man was a bachelor of 50, and fearing that his spirit would wander companionless in the world of shades, relatives had scoured the country side for a dead maiden to marry to him and bury with him. A desirable bride had been found some seven miles away and was encoffined and prepared for the double ceremony of marriage and burial. As soon as the Christian service was concluded, and the missionary and his friend had left, the other ceremonies began. Marriages of the dead by interested friends are common in Shansi.—North China Herald.

Little Elmer—"Pa, what is an extemporaneous speaker?" Professor Broadhead—"One who can talk fluently about nothing without any previous preparation."—Puck.

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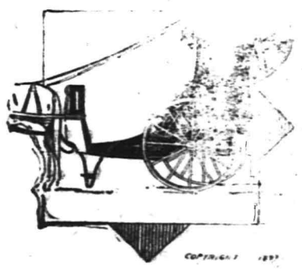

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Twentieth Day of December

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Fourth Tuesday of November

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He Has Now Announced His Candidacy —Wm. N. Runyon His Principal Rival Fourth Ward Wants Representation

Justice William Newcorn, the well-known Fourth ward politician, has announced himself a candidate for the nomination for the office of city judge this term, on the Republican ticket The announcement is no surprise to his friends, many of whom have been urging him to take the field for that office for several months, and especially since the last election.

Two years ago there was talk of Justice Newcorn for the office of city judge, but the election was so far off then that there was no effort made to rally friends to his support. A week ago the Justice determined to come out for the nomination.

The Fourth ward Republicans can be counted upon to support Justice Newcorn loyally. They feel as though they should have a representative among the local officers, and the City Judge is the only one that seems to fall to their lot. Judge DeMeza is a Fourth ward man.

Mr. Newcorn has the qualifications for the office. His five years' service as a justice of the peace has acquainted him with the duties of a magistrate, and then his loyal work for the Republican party, his friends say, justly entitles him to the reward.

The most formidable opponent in the field against him is Councilman W. N. Runyon. The other aspirants have dropped out of the race. Although Councilman Runyon has not come out and openly announced himself as a candidate, it is generally understood that he is after the office, so the race seems to have simmered down to these two at present.

ABRAMS SAW SHOES GO.

Charges Three Small Boys With the Theft—All Are Arrested.

A warrant was issued today by Justice Nash for the arrest of three lads, Edward and Willie Howe and Augustus Nier on a charge of stealing a pair of shoes from Morris Abrams, the West Front street shoe merchant, Monday night. Edward Howe was arrested at his home early this morning and locked up in the borough jail, and the other two were caught later. A hearing will be given them tomorrow.

Monday night Abrams saw three three boys pass the store and, as one of them went by, Abrams says he saw him grab a pair of shoes and run. Abrams followed the lads down West Front street to Somerset, and up Somerset to Pearl street, where he caught them. The boys said their names were Cooley, Haynes and Howell, and that they lived in the borough. Marshal Schenck appeared on the scene, but, as the alleged offense was committed on this side of the brook, he refused to lock them up, except on a warrant, so the lads were allowed to go. Yesterday it was found that the boys had given Abrams and the officer wrong names, but their right ones were found out and their arrest followed.

This morning after much difficulty Augustus Nier, aged fifteen years, and Willie Howe, aged twelve years, were arrested by Marshals Wise and Schenck. They were found on the Park Golf Club grounds. The Nier boy had in his possession a revolver, and he told the officers that he was going to blow his brains out. They were taken in custody and placed in the borough lockup. Later in the morning Roundsman Flynn and Patrolman McCue were sent over the brook to bring the three boys to this city.

WOULDN'T OBEY OFFICER.

Presistantly Hung Around Entrance to Music Hall Last Night.

Thomas Casey and Henry Mollison were two of a group of boys who hung around Music Hall last night and refused to go away when ordered to do so by Officer Totten. Finally the policeman took them to the lockup where they stayed until this morning, when City Judge DeMeza fined them $5. Casey paid his fine, but Mollison will probably go to jail.

—The work of macadamizing Summit avenue is going along rapidly under the direction of the street commissioner.

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SOCIETY LEADERS WED.

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the young people in dancing.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs William G. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. John Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Swan, of New York; Mr and Mrs. Willard Speakman, of Wilmington; Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Beebe, Walter Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, the Misses Baker, Miss F. W. Corwin, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robinson, the Misses Robinson, William Robinson, of New York; General and Mrs. Plume and Miss Laura Plume, of Newark.

DONATIONS FOR HOSPITAL.

The Children in the Public Schools this Morning Made Offerings.

Today was the time selected by Superintendent Maxson, of the Plainfield Public Schools, for the school children of the city to make their donation for the Muhlenberg Hospital. It was made at the request of some of the members of the Women's Auxiliary Board of the Hospital. The children were notified several days ago, but this morning some of the older ones forgot about it and brought their donations in the afternoon.

At the High School potatoes were brought. They came in sufficient numbers to fill two barrels. The Whittier School was also asked to donate potatoes and filled a barrel more than full with them.

At the Irving School, the donation included two barrels of potatoes and apples, a barrel of vegetables of various kinds, and some fifty cans of fruit and canned vegetables. The showing there was an excellent one.

The Bryant School also made a large donation which included two barrels of potatoes, half a barrel of apples, together with a number of other articles. At the Lincoln School one barrel was filled with potatoes and a large basket with apples. There was also a goodly showing of other things.

At the Washington School two barrels of various kinds of vegetables were received, together with some canned fruits and jellies.

At the Franklin School two barrels of potatoes and one of apples were collected, with a quantity of other vegetables, cereals and canned goods and 90 cents in cash.

FAMOUS CHARACTERS PORTRAYED.

Tableaux and Social Held in Chapel of First Presbyterian Church.

Last evening at the First Presbyterian church a church social was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the church. The affair was held in the chapel and was very largely attended.

The feature of the evening was the tableaux given under the direction of Mrs. Waldorf. The subjects were taken from the works of Charles Dickens, and were faithfully portrayed by young people in appropriate costumes. The first tableau was entitled "Barkus is Willing" and the parts were taken by Miss Lillian Glen and Percy Dayton, "Romeo and Juliet," was given by Miss Mary Luckey and Guernsey Nevius. Several sketches from David Copperfield were represented by Miss Edith Pruden, Charles Hazeltine, Percy Dayton, Miss Searing, Mr. Remsen, while Miss Lillie Remsen took the part of "Maud Mueller," and Miss Clara VanFleet that of "Cleopatra." 'Over the Hills to the Poor House," was faithfully portrayed by Miss Jessie MacKillop. Miss Mabelle Force was the efficient accompanist. During the evening Mr. Burroughs rendered several violin solos.

Following the programme refreshments were served by the Auxiliary, and a genuine social time was enjoyed.

MAD DOG SCARE.

Frothing Cur Spreads Terror in East Third Street.

The residents on East Third street had a mad dog scare last week, which proved to be something more than a mere scare. Saturday a cur was seen running around the neighborhood, frothing at the mouth and giving every evidence of the rabies. Mothers kept their children indoors and watched the actions of the animal through doors and windows.

No one was bitten, but several dogs in the neighborhood were. A pretty little pug belonging to Special Officer Edward Martin was bitten, so was one of Mrs. Michael Weber's dogs. Martin promptly shot his dog, and yesterday Chief Grant gave James Frisbie orders to put both of Mrs. Weber's dogs to death. Mrs. Weber refused to permit one of her dogs to be killed, claiming that this one was not out where the mad dog was, but the other Frisbie put to death in his usual scientific manner.

Cash Makes Another Arrest.

John Smith was arrested last night on West Front street by Officer Cash for being drunk and disorderly. This morning he was given $15 or 60 days. Smith lives at Bound Brook and he wanted to go home after money with which to pay his fine, but this Chief Grant wouldn't permit.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Smalley Bros. sausage and corn-fed country pork is a rare treat these frosty mornings. North avenue, near depot.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. for Gospel service Thursday evening at 7:45.

—Rev. Mr. Gardner of Grace M. E. church had charge of the meeting at Warren chapel last evening. Rev. J. Kennedy Newall will preach tonight. All are welcome.

—VanEmburgh & Son will sell you the best reinforced unlaundered shirt, ever placed in this or any other market, for the least money. Examine these goods.

—Woodhull & Martin are in the book business quite extensively. They buy books direct from the publishers, and consequently are able to sell them at low prices. Their stock is very comprehensive and well worth looking over.

CHURCH FAIR OPENED.

Ladies Aid Society of German Reformed Church Holds a Fair.

A fair for the benefit of the German Reformed church was opened last evening in the church. It will continue this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. The fair is given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, and Mrs. Jacob Blimm is chairman of the affair. The officers are as follows: President, Mrs. Anguerbauer; vice-president, Mrs. Phillip Back; treasurer, Mrs. Schleif.

The fancy table is presided over by Miss Sadie Blimm, Miss Kathryn Blimm, Miss Josie Frittz. The grocery table is in charge of Mrs. Fred Conde, Mrs. Joseph Vender. Mrs. Phillip Giese and Miss Maggie Frittz have charge of the candy table. There was a prize cake table over which Mrs. Anguerbauer presides.

A feature is the refreshment room which is in charge of Mrs. Martin Ptaszinski and Mrs. Ellis. Each evening there will be a programme and attractive features. Last evening there were several piano solos by Mrs. George Hauser and Eddie Krausse.

DION'T WANT REPORTERS.

Citizen's Movement in First Ward Started Behind Closed Doors.

The dissatisfied citizens of the First ward held a meeting last night in Thomas J. Howell's house, on Raymond avenue, to take the first steps towards organizing a citizens' movement. The meeting was attended by about 20, but for some unknown reason reporters were vigorously barred, and it has been a difficult thing today to obtain any information in regard to the meeting.

Wm. T. Banks was elected chairman and Irving L. Brady secretary. A resolution was passed to appoint a committee of ten, five Republicans and five Democrats, to confer with the committee appointed in the Fourth ward Monday night. Several of those present made speeches, in which they complained of the acts done by the local officers now in power, and Counselor W. S. Angleman was present to tell what had been done in the Fourth ward the night before, and give them some hints on organizing. Chairman Banks will appoint his committee today.

FERRYBOATS IN COLLISION.

Two Jersey Central Boats Crashed Together Without Very Serious Results.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New York, Nov. 16—The New Jersey Central ferryboat Fanwood crashed into the ferryboat Central of the same line as she lay in her slip in Jersey City this morning. The forward cabin of the Central was wrecked and the Fanwood but slightly injured.

Fortunately there were not over twenty-five persons on either boat when the accident occurred, and consequently no serious panic ensued. The Central was towed to Elizabethport for repairs, and the Fanwood is making her regular trips.

A Strange Sight.

Two artistically decorated lambs attract the attention of passersby at the market of Wm. Kilfoil, 94 Somerset street. They hang in front of the store. They were prepared at the abbatoir at Trenton.

A Quick Settlement.

William H. Abbott settled up the loss sustained by John Beerbower, of the City Hotel, early Saturday morning in the small fire which occurred there. The settlement was made Monday night.

King Lectures.

William King, the colored phenomenon, delivered a lecture in Mt. Olive Baptist church last evening. He will give another tomorrow evening.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Manager Maze Edwards, of Music Hall, is suffering with a severe cold, but he still pluckily sticks to business.

Mrs. Max Wiertz, of Arlington avenue, sailed today from New York for her home in Brussels, Belgium She will be absent sometime Her two children accompanied her.

Many Carriages at Church.

Frank Hedden handled the carriages at the Baker-Beebe wedding last night very successfully. There were 289 of them at the church, and the guests were helped out and in by him with quickness and skill.

AGAINST STUDYING IN PARIS.

American Girls cannot Find Better Instruction Than at Home.

An authority on the subject of music study in Paris for American girls declares that it is a great mistake for young women to go from this country to the French capital with the expectation that they will become successful public singers there. She says that managers, composers, and even the public all demand now that roles shall be filled by native artists, and she cautions any girl against treasuring the hope of becoming a special favorite of a composer and being chosen by him to interpret his compositions in the way that Sybil Sanderson was chosen by Massenet. Composers must please the public, and the public seem to dislike foreigners. A director of a chorus in one of the leading theatres said recently that the feeling of unfriendliness concerned foreigners generally, but many believe that it is especially directed against Americans.

Many girls have sacrificed home life for themselves and involved their friends in a great expense in order to take a foreign musical course, and then have never been able to get back any portion of the money expended.

Some years ago Americans were welcomed in Europe as debutantes on the stage, but those who have observed the foreign trend of affairs say that this is all changed. There are only two cities now where a debut is possible for an American. These are London and Paris. Success in either of these places, indeed, gives the singer a cachet that is valuable in every part of the world, but to get this is growing more difficult yearly.

It is said that pupils are solicited for the sake of augmenting the reputation of the teacher, and that false hopes are held out to students to persuade them to join classes. Fees are as high as they are at home, $5 or $6 being the charge for half-hour lessons, while the cost of living is equally dear. Girls who fancy they can get board and home comforts in a French family are usually bitterly disappointed. If it is found, it is the rarest exception, and one that cannot be taken as a guide for others. It generally happens that two or three girls—those who really try to economize—take a small flat and live a la Bohemia. This sounds charming, but is comfortless, and but for the determination and youthful spirits of the students would be unbearable. Not one who endures it would put up with such accommodations in America.

Thus those who have carefully observed the chances and opportunities for "getting placed" and being finished as a singer in Paris pronounce against the advisability of American girls leaving their homes to try for some chimerical glory in the Old World.—New York Tribune.

French and German Expansion.

So far, neither France nor Germany is the richer or the stronger by any of its colonial acquisitions. Every piece of land that either France or Germany has obtained in Africa, or Indo-China and the Eastern Archipelago, lies in the tropics, is unhealthy and unfit for Frenchmen or Germans to settle in, and affords no prospect of giving for many years to come a return proportionate to the sums of money which will be needed to develop it. With all the passionate avidity for acquisition which the German "colonial party" has lately shown, the only spot which they have secured which holds out a promise of proving valuable for trade is the port of Kiao-Chau in China. The reason, of course, is that before France and Germany entered the field all the temperate zone, and the best parts of the tropics, were already occupied by other nations, whom it was impossible to displace. Nothing worth having was left; and the keen rivalry now shown to get or maintain a foothold in China is due to the fact that China is practically the only region over whose markets there can be a struggle.

So far, therefore, as the examples of France and Germany go, they are examples calculated rather to dissuade than to encourage any other nation from entering on a like course.—James Boyce in Harper's Magazine.

A Satisfactory Examination.

There is occasion for much beating about the bush for answers to many questions put by wise theologues to timid people, but one set of men found their match in the old Scotch woman under examination for admission to church-fellowship.

"What are the decrees of God?" she was solemnly asked.

"Indeed, I trow, he kens that best himsel'."

"What kind of a man was Adam."

"Ou, just like ither fouk," was the quick reply.

The questioner insisted on a more definite answer. "Weel," said she, "he was just like Jeems Madden, ye ken."

"How so?"

"Weel, naebody got anything by him, and mony lost."—Youth's Com-

ADVANTAGES OF A SOLDIER'S LIFE

Not Particularly Gay, Perhaps, but Profitable in More Ways Than One.

"It would be a good thing," said an army officer, "if parents more generally knew that their sons might go further and fare much worse than in the United States Army. Could they know fully as we know the benefits of the service to young men, they would approve of their sons enlisting rather than object to it.

"The general opinion that people have of life in the army is erroneous in the extreme. The army is not a rough place, nor is the service, except on the far frontier and in the winter, a rough service. Young men, even those who have acquired vicious habits in civil life, come out of the army after five years of service better men, unless they are utterly incorrigible and bent on a life of evil. The service and the discipline develop all the good qualities of the man. He knows that disobedience of orders or violation of any of the unwritten laws which should govern society meets with prompt and merited punishment, and that makes him suppress and govern what may be vicious in him. This disipline gives him a manly courage, an assurance he might not otherwise possess, a better respect for law and order; and he learns to obey without questioning, which is, unfortunately, something young men do not learn in civil life.

"There is another thing to be considered about service in the army, and that is the habits of economy, and prudence that are generally acquired. True, the pay is not large—$13 a month, but in addition to this the men have a home, food, abundant clothing, medical attendance, and in fact everything necessary to a comfortable existence. They do not have the luxuries, to be sure, but such as they may require or desire, for that matter, are obtainable from the Commissary or Quartermaster at just what those things cost the Government to purchase at wholesale. The men are paid once in two months, and if they are provident and not extravagant, the greater part of their wages may be saved, and if the soldier so desires, the money can be deposited with the Government. When the amount of these deposits reaches $50, interest at the rate of 4 per cent. begins to accumulate. This money, once deposited cannot be touched until the soldier's time is out, and he gets his discharge when he hands in his deposit book and receives the amount due him.

"During the third year of service the Government allows the soldier $1 a month extra; during the fourth year $2, and during the fifth year $3. This accumulation, $72, is paid the soldier when he receives his discharge. He may also save durng his five-year term as much as $200 on the single item of clothing if he is careful of his uniforms. All of these methods of saving allow him to accumulate a snug little capital to start him in life with when he leaves the army, if he cares to leave. Moreover, wherever he may be at the time of his discharge he receives his transportation to the place of his enlistment at the rate of a day's pay for every twenty miles of distance, and an additional allowance of 30 cents a day for rations. Thus, should he happen to be in Montana at the time of his discharge, and be entitled to transportation to New York, he would receive $150, or $75 more than the actual cost of the transportation, or an entire profit of $150 if he chose to remain in Montaina. Very many soldiers who have served their time on the frontier have settled down there and become prosperous and influential citizens, and the frontier has many prosperous farmers to-day who became such from the savings of a term of army service, that enabled them to take up claims and make happy homes.

"There are a great many good phases to army life if people only knew it. In all the Western posts there are regularly established libraries and reading rooms, containing the daly papers and the best curretn literature. Then there are schools under the supervision of regularly appointed Government teachers, where the best kind of common and practical education is given without expense. a solder desires to pursue his studies further officers are willing to assist him. Besides that he has plenty of leisure time to educate himself. The drill and guard duty is not severe, and, taken all in all, the work required is much less confining and onerous than that in many of the pursuits the soldier would follow in civil life. And the service is healthful, and there is very little —I might almost say no—opportunity to cultivate or contract the vices so rapidly acquired in our cties and towns.

"The opportunties to a soldier, also, for making money are many, especially if he have a good trade. Tailors, shoemakers, carpenters, blacksmiths, masons, bakers, tinsmiths, harnessmakers, and sometimes painters, bricklayers, telegraph operators, and other skilled workmen pick up considerable sums of money in the course of the year by doing odd jobs for the officers and soldiers of the post where they are stationed. I honestly believe that such men do better in a financial way in the army, when these extras and their regular pay are added together, than they would do at home."—New York Sun.

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We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale. Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5 25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7 25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00 Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

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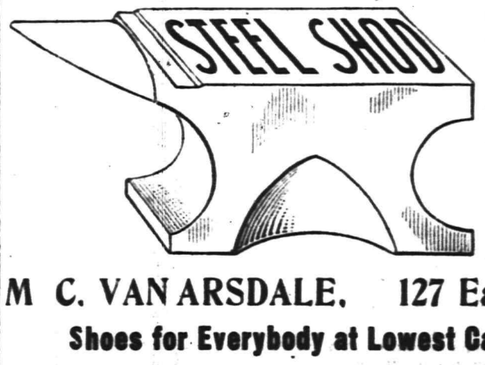

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THE DEMOCRATS AND A STRAIGHT TICKET.

The Democratic Association to Meet Tonight.

MUCH INTEREST AROUSED.

NEW VIEW OF THE AFFECT OF A CITIZENS' MOVEMENT.

It is Argued That the Democrats Cannot Hope for Any Betterment Unless They Put up a Straight Ticket—A Favorable View of it From the Democratic Standpoint of Success for the Party.

The meeting of the Democratic Association at Councilman Moffett's office on North avenue tonight is expected to be largely attended and interesting on account of business that will be brought up concerning the city election.

There are a large number of Democrats who believe that the party should put a straight ticket in the field. The point to the fact that an effort is being made to re-organize the party in the city on an effective working basis and the only way this can be done is by giving the members something to work for. For the Democrats to abandon the plan of putting up a ticket would leave the party an absolute nonentity in local affairs, and all the interest and enthusiasm that has been aroused to make it something of a factor would be wasted. Naturally, with the Democrats cutting no figure in the city election the party organization would revert back to its former condition, because, it is argued, the Democrats as a party could not go into a campaign to support a Citizens' ticket with probably more Republicans than Democrats on it.

Another interesing view of the situation is taken by some. That is to the effect that perhaps it will be better after all for the Democrats to have a Citizens' ticket put in the field. If the Democrats put up candidates and poll their party vote for them, which it is very reasonable to expect that they could do, the Citizens' would withdraw enough support from disgruntled Republicans to endanger the success of the regular G. O. P. ticket and probably afford the Democrats a clean sweep. With this view taken into consideration the Democrats would center their energy in the campaign on getting out the full party vote; of course, striving to secure whatever other dissatisfied Republicans they could to vote with them, though none could be expected to come out openly before election and announce their support of the Democrats.

"It is recognized political principle," said one Democrat in talking to a Press representative this morning, "that the only way a political party can become a factor in community is through its activity and success in running candidates for local offices. It is in the local elections that the individual interest is aroused and then reflected helpfully in State and county elections. The Democrats who argue for their party to help the Republicans on the Citizens' movement offer an idea that will, if it is accepted, make the party more disorganized than ever in Plainfield."

A great many Democrats feel confident of carrying the First and Fourth wards by substantial majorities for a party ticket, and look at the Second ward as good fighting ground. With a Citizens' and a regular Republican ticket in the field, the latter's majorities in the Second and Third wards, if they have any there, would be more than overcome by the Democratic majority in the First and Fourth wards and result in the election of the Democratic city ticket as well as part of the ward councilmen.

OLD FIREMAN DEAD.

Jerome M. Collins Passes Away in His Sixty-ninth Year.

Word has been received in this city of the death of Jerome M. Collins, in his sixty-ninth year, who has been a resident of Brooklyn for some time past. Death occurred last Tuesday after a long illness. Mr. Collins formerly resided in this city with his daughter, Mrs. S. B. Joseph, of 331 East Sixth street. When in this city he was an attendant at the First Church of Christ. He was a brother of George Collins, painter, of 31 Harmony street, in the borough. He was an exempt member of the New York Volunteer Fire Department. He was well known in this city, where he had a number of friends. The funeral services will be held from the residence of Mr. Collins' son, No. 76 Hart street, Brooklyn, tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Charles Yaeger, of Liberty street, has recovered from a slight illness.

TAMPERED WITH BILL.

SUCH IS THE CHARGE AGAINST AUGUSTUS BALDWIN, HAYCARTER.

It Is Alleged That He Increased the Weight on the Way Bill and Was Paid on the False Weight—Arrested

Detective Dabelle, of Orange, came to Plainfield yesterday afternoon with a warrant for the arrest of Augustus Baldwin, of West Fourth street, the well-known haycarter. The warrant was endorsed by Justice Nash, and Roundsman Flynn was sent out with the detective to make the arrest.

Flynn found Baldwin and made the arrest without trouble. Baldwin was taken to Orange last night.

The charge against the the young man was for forgery. A short time ago, he took a load of hay to Orange and sold it there. The charge is that he tampered with the way bill and changed the weight of the load from 3,100 pounds to 4,700 pounds, receiving pay for the false weight. It is alleged that he afterwards wrote to a colored man in Orange bragging of what he had done and asking if there had been any trouble over it. The latter, it is alleged, was turned over to the police and Baldwin's arrest in this city last evening was the result.

THEIR WOODEN WEDDING

PLEASANT ANNIVERSARY OF MR. AND MRS. VANFLEET.

Home Prettily Decorated for the Occasion—Large Number of Friends Gathered Together—Dancing a Feature.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter S. VanFleet, of 705 West Front street, last evening was the scene of an enjoyable celebration, when the host and hostess entertained a large number of relatives and friends in honor of the fifth celebration of their marriage. The event was marked with many pleasant features and everyone present joined heartily in the joyous occasion. Outside of the house and surrounding the porch were a number of Japanese and Chinese lanterns, which gave a brilliant illumination about the house. The interior of the home was prettily decorated with choice flowers, while there was a pleasing arrangement of satin ribbon which held the flowers in position about the several rooms.

The festivities began early and continued until early this morning. During the forepart of the evening Miss Kathryn McKeon and Miss Mamie McKeon, of this city, favored the audience with several pleasing piano and vocal selections. Soon after 9 o'clock dancing was started and, under the inspiration of the music as furnished by genial Samuel Frazee, the light fantastic toe was tripped during the balance of the evening.

About midnight the guests sat down to a sumptuous spread as provided by the host and hostess, and all did justice to the good things provided. After the inner man was attended to dancing was resumed and continued till the small hours of the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. VanFleet received a large collection of useful wooden presents, while some of the presents were of more value, and included silverware and cut-glass, showing the unmistakable popularity of the celebrants.

Guests were present from Westport and Southport, Conn., Newark, Jersey City, Bayonne, Trenton, North Branch, Somerville, Lebanon, Morristown, Millington, Brooklyn, Elizabeth, Chester, Westfield, Milltown and this city. Before the guests departed they all wished the host and hostess many happy returns of the day.

SAD FATE FOR BOSSY.

Drunk too Much Water and the Grain Swelled and Killed Her.

Andrew Carney, of Lincoln, was the owner of a fine cow, but the animal met with sad fate yesterday and today she is no more. Mr. Carney's man fed the cow a good mess of grain yesterday and immediately afterward allowed the cow to drink a large quantity of water. It was not long before there was trouble. The neighbors heard a terrible noise, as though someone was being murdered, and a large number of people turned out to learn the cause. It was soon discovered that there had been an explosion and that Mr. Carney's cow was the victim. The cow died soon afterward in great agony. Today she was taken away in an ambulance to New Brunswick.

Mr. Lovell Improving.

School Commissioner Leander Lovell, of Crescent avenue, who has been confined at Roosevelt Hospital, New York, for sometime past, is reported as improving rapidly, and the physicians in charge predict that he will be able to leave the hospital in two weeks if nothing unforseen happens.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

FLIGHT OF A RUNAWAY DOWN PARK AVENUE.

Edward Hooley's Horse Made Things Exciting.

PART OF HARNESS MISSING.

CARRIAGE STRUCK HIS HEELS AND FRIGHTENED THE ANIMAL.

Coachman Had Just Driven Mr. Hooley to the Depot—Little Miss Hooley a Prisoner in the Brougham, but She was Not Frightened—The Runaway Collided With Three Other Carriages.

A runaway horse, drawing a handsome brougham, dashed down North avenue this morning about 8 o'clock when the streets were crowded with carriages and pedestrians. The horse and carriage belonged to Edward Hooley, of Rockview avenue, and the horse ran from the North Avenue station to Louis Hummer's store on Park avenue before it was caught.

The cause of the horse's running away was said to be the absense of a breeching strap on the harness. The animal was hitched so close to the carriage that his heels struck the crossbar of the shafts. The coachman had driven Mr. Hooley to the station, and turned the bougham about to return to the house. When the horse was headed for home he started off on a quick trot. The coachman pulled the horse in, but as there was no breeching strap the carriage was drawn close to the horse so that the animal's heels struck the cross-bar. This frightened the animal and he bolted.

The coachman on his box dared not pull hard for fear of pulling the carriage on the horse's heels. Everything would have been all right if Park avenue had not been filled with carriages, but when the horse turned the corner and saw the street blocked he turned towards the sidewalk and made directly for L. A. Hummer's store. Mr. Hummer happened to be near the door and caught the horse.

Mr Hooley's little daughter was in the brougham, and as soon as the runaway was stopped she jumped out of the carriage. She was not hurt.

W. W. Howland's carriage stood in front of Hummers's store, and the brougham collided with it and upset it. F. C. Jenning's phaeton which was being driven to the depot was also struck. The damage done to the carriages was slight. A cap was knocked off the wheel and a lamp was broken on Mr. Hooley's carriage. Mr. Howland's carriage lost a mud guard and a spring on Mr. Jenning's phaeton was broken.

Mrs. Howland had just alighted from her carriage and escaped being struck.

TRAMPS GET THREE MONTHS.

Bad Men Arrested at Fanwood Arraigned in Court.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 17—In the Union County Court of Common Pleas today James O'Neill, a traveling tinker, was sentenced by Judge Vail to one year in State Prison for stealing a sealskin cape and a new overcoat from the residence of Mrs. Eva Davis, on Pearl street. Joseph Bowers, Geo. Brooks and Joseph Cummings, arrested at Scotch Plains for stealing chickens, pleaded guilty and threw themselves on the mercy of the court. Judge Vail sentenced them to three months in the county jail. Cummings belongs to the Third Regiment and expected to go back to his company the day he was arrested. He was on a furlough.

The petit jurors for the October term of court were discharged.

Engagement Announced.

Miss Pierson, of Watchung avenue, gave a luncheon this afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Georgia Welles, of Wyalusing, Pa. At the luncheon the engagement was announced of Miss Marion Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, of this city, to Dr. William Hall Coon, of Wakefield, Mass. Dr. Coon, who is now visiting in Plainfield, was surgeon in the United States Army at Montauk Point and Santiago de Cuba.

Princeton Club Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Princeton Club of Union county will be held in Elizabeth on the evening of December 15th. It was to be held this evening but the date was changed some time ago. There will be a number of prominent speakers present. S. St. John McCutchen, of Plainfield, will represent Yale. E. S Paterson will be the only other local speaker.

Freeholders to Meet.

The Union County Board of Freeholders will meet at Elizabeth this afternoon and settle all election bills.

—Press want ads bring results.

HOW ABOUT THE CURFEW

SHALL IT BE RUNG TO SEND THE CHILDREN HOME?

It is Hinted That the Town Improvement Association May Make it an Issue in the Approaching City Election.

The Newark Sunday Call recently published the following:

"Plainfield has had many novel issues raised in its municipal campaigns in years past—such as the rights of the darkey to have a monopoly of carting ashing, the commuters, or 'rooters,' as they are locally nicknamed, ruling the town, etc.—but if the fair members of the Town Improvement Association carry out their present intentions this year will probably see one of the most remarkable agitations brought forth that have yet interested citizens in local government. It is the question:

"'Shall Plainfield have the curfew bell inaugurated for the benefit of its rising generation of citizens?'

"A year ago the women of the Town Improvement Association advocated that the curfew bell be made a part of the city ordinances by enactment of the Common Council, but at that time the matter was laughed down by the men. Now, however, the women are again agitating the matter, and right on the eve of the city election campaign, too, as the municipal election takes place in December. At the recent meeting of the Improvement women the curfew idea was brought up and a paper read upon the subject by Mrs. Pierre Malli, president of the association. Notwithstanding the ridicule of the curfew bell by the sterner sex, the women still persist in their devotion to the idea. They say that many young lives are wrecked by the street education gained at hours of the night when all good little people should be tucked away in bed, and that with a curfew bell warning children under 16 years to vacate the streets at 7 o'clock in the winter and 8 o'clock in the summer, unless accompanied by a guardian, the percentage of crime attributed to street education would be greatly reduced.

"It is the intention of the women to commence an educational campaign by personal advocacy among their gentlemen friends and by the distribution of suitable literature for converts to the curfew bell idea, and in this way to create sufficient sentiment to bring the matter into a municipal campaign. They feel confident that once such an issue is raised no political candidate would dare to affront the women of the city by declining to carry out the idea if elected to office, and in this way they can carry out what has thus far proved a difficult undertaking."

ARRESTED TWICE ON SAME CHARGE.

Martin Holmes Again in Custody on an Assault Charge.

Martin Holmes, who has just been released from the Somerset county jail, after having served ten days on a charge preferred by John Barrick, of the borough, was arrested again yesterday afternoon by Marshals Wise and Schenck on a State warrant issued by Justice Mattison, of the borough. It appears that when Holmes was arrested before it was on a borough warrant. He was taken before Recorder Long and a sentence of ten days and fine of $20 was imposed. When Holmes had served his ten days he was released. His fine of $20 was not paid and the Recorder claims that Holmes should not have been released from the county jail until the $20 had been served out at a $1 a day.

It is claimed that Holmes cannot be arrested twice on the same charge, but Justice Mattison has issued a State warrant on a second charge preferred by John Barrick for assault and battery with intent to kill. The scrap took place a short time ago in George Wise's barn on Grandview avenue, when Barrick was cut by Holmes about the head. Holmes will be taken before Justice Mattison this afternoon and given a hearing, when it will be determined whether Holmes can legally be committed to jail the second time on a similar charge.

Died From Appendicitis.

The death of Benjamin Meyers, son of Bernhard Meyers, of Finderne, occurred last Tuesday night after a short illness with appendicitis. Mr. Meyers for sometime past resided in this city and looked after the interest of his father's business on Watchung avenue. He has a host of friends who will mourn his death.

Services at Warren Chapel.

Rev G. Keanedy Newell, pastor of Hope chapel, conducted the special prayer service at Warren chapel last evening. There was a large attendance and much interest.

UP TO MIZZEN PEAK BY THE TROLLEY CARS.

Latest Scheme Developed by Silas D. Drake.

SAYS HE HAS THE MONEY.

THE ROAD TO RUN FROM LINCOLN TO TOP OF THE MOUNTAIN.

It is an Independent Enterprise and is Not Controlled by Any of the Existing Traction Companies—A Hotel to be Built and the Peak Made a Great Resort for New York Business Men

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Lincoln, November 17—The dashing town promoter, Silas D. Drake, seems to be a never-failing spring of new schemes. His latest is a trolley road to connect Lincoln and Mizzen Peak. It isn't all talk, either, says the undaunted Silas. He says that he has all the consents for the proposed line and that the necessary funds are ready to be invested in the roadway.

The Lincoln and Mizzen Peak Trolley Company is an independent organization and has nothing to do with the Brunswick Traction Company, the lines of which it will connect with at Lincoln.

Mizzen Peak is a high point in the first ridge of the Watchung Mountains and lies right back of Bound Brook. It is a beautiful place with a magnificent view and gloriously cool mountain breezes in the summer time. It makes an ideal summer stopping place. Heretofore, however, the trouble has been in the method of getting there. It was a hard hilly road to climb and rather expensive to live there. A hotel was erected there and met with fair success which would have been much better had the transportation facilities been better. The hotel afterwards burned down.

Mr. Drake's plan is to run a trolley road up to the side of the mountain and convert Mizzen Peak into a summer home for New York business men, making it easy for them to reach that delightful spot every day. The line will be completed, Mr. Drake says, by May 15th.

COMMISSIONERS GET MORE TIME.

They Have Until December 9th in Which to File Their Report.

[Special to The Daily Press.]

Elizabeth, Nov. 17.—In the Union County Circuit Court yesterday Justice VanSyckel made an order giving an extension of time to the commissioners appointed by the Court to make an estimate and assess damages to property-owners for land which the county wants on the north side of Westfield avenue, from Elizabeth to Cranford, in order to widen the avenue to a county boulevard.

The Commissioners were to present their report today to Justice VanSyckel, but were unable to complete it in time. They are now given until December 9th to file their report. It is probable that the same Commissioners will be continued to make a similiar assessment of damages to property-owners from Cranford to Plainfield.

A Railway Project.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Rahway, Nov. 17—A project is on foot to construct a railroad through Rahway to connect with the Jersey Central's Long Branch division near the mouth of the Rahway river, and with the Lehigh Valley Railroad in Clark township. It is said that several well known capitalists not residents of Rahway, are back of the enterprise, and some capitalists in Rahway are also interested. The road is to be a local line for the benefit of the people of the city, and to give them additional facilities for getting to New York and other places.

Ferry-Boats in Collision in Slip

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Jersey City, Nov. 17—The ferry-boat Fanwood, of the New Jersey Central Railroad Company, crashed into the ferry-boat Central of the same company at 8:30 a. m. yesterday. The Central was lying in its slip on the Jersey side. The collison was due to the heavy tide. The Fanwood struck the Central in the forward portion of the starboard cabin, ripping it for several feet. There were no passengers in that part of the cabin, and no one was injured. The damage is estimated at $1,000. The Fanwood was uninjured.

Yale Clubs Coming to Plainfield.

The Yale Glee, Banjo and Mandolin Clubs are arranging their Christmas tour through the country. Their first stop will be in Plainfield Wednesday evening, December 21st, when they will give their concert at the Casino. The Yale boys are general favorites with the Plainfield people, and they always present an excellent programme, well-rendered.

WILL APPLY ONCE MORE

PLAINFIELD STREET RAILWAY WANTS FRANCHISE AGAIN.

Secretary of Board of Trade Receives Word That Company Will Apply if Backed by the Board of Trade.

Ever since the Plainfield Street Railway Company withdrew its application for the Scotch Plains extension of its line, the Board of Management of the Board of Trade has been using its influence to have a new application made.

Last evening, Harry C. Runyon, secretary of the board, received a verbal message from Chandler Riker, of Newark, through L. W. Serrell, Jr., of this city, that the company would make a new application at the first opportunity if the Board of Trade would back it up. This the Board of Managements says it will do.

The Board is now trying to arrange a meeting between the street committee of the Council and the railway officials to see if a satisfactory agreement can be reached.

TO HONOR VOORHEES.

UNION COUNTY TO SEND MONSTER DELEGATION TO INAUGURATION.

Republicans Will Have Special Train to State Capital—Councilman Wm. N. Runyon is on Committee of Arrangements.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 17—Union county, as the home of Governor-elect Voorhees, is planning to make a rousing demonstration at his inauguration at Trenton in January. It is the wish of the Republican county executive committee to collect an army of three thousand enthusiastic G. O. P. men from the county and show the rest of the State how Union can turn out when one of her sons is raised to a position of eminence.

At the meeting of the county committee, Tuesday evening, the demonstration was discussed and active action taken. A committee of five, composed of James White, James Calvert and M. W. Halsey, of Elizabeth; Harry Rollinson, of Rahway, and William N. Runyon, of Plainfield, was appointed to take charge of the arrangements.

Reduced rates will be secured to Trenton and, if the crowd promises to be large enough, a special train will be run to the State capital to carry the Union county men. Something elaborate in the way of a souvenir badge will be provided.

In Trenton and at the inaugural ceremonies, arrangements will be made so that Union county will take a prominent part. The Veteran Zouaves, of Elizabeth, will go as a special guard for the Governor-elect, and Drake's Band will head the procession.

A CHAFING DISH SOCIABLE.

Seventh-Day Baptist Endeavorers Arrange a Pleasant Affair.

The members of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Seventh-Day Baptist church invited their friends to a "chafing dish" sociable last night. The novel name given it and the good things provided by the ladies to eat, made the sociable an enjoyable.

There were five chafing dishes in operation with ladies attendant upon each one. There were two of welsh rarebit, with Mrs. Lewis Kimball and Mrs. Frank Smith in attendance; one of creamed oysters, in charge of Mrs William Hubbard, another of panned oysters, Mrs. Frank Hubbard and candy, Mrs. Charles Dunham. Mrs. Charles Randolph poured the coffee. The chafing dishes were in the church parlors, where the refreshments were served with all their accompaniments.

During the evening an impromptu programme consisting of a piano duet by Mrs. William Hubbard and Miss Jessie Utter was rendered, a vocal solo by Miss Nan Randolph and a solo by George Rogers. The waitresses were four young ladies connected with the society, Miss Ethel Titsworth, Miss Ruth Maxson, Miss May Ross and Miss Mertie Randolph.

LONG DELAYED CHARGE.

Rahway Woman Accuses a Plainfielder of Robbing Her.

Miss Nellie Stack, a Rahway girl, caused the arrest of John Teeple, of East Third street, today. She claims that on the night of March 20th last, she and Teeple were out riding together, and when near Linden, Teeple turned about and struck her, rendering her insensible. He then, she says, took a $250 diamond ring from off her finger and $10 in money from her person and left her. Teeple refused to say anything when arraigned before Justice Nash this afternoon, and was held in $500 bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury.

WHO WILL G. O. P. NAME FOR CITY JUDGE.

William N. Runyon States He Is a Candidate.

STILL ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

CITY JUDGE DEMEZA MAY TRY FOR RE-NOMINATION.

Will Announce His Decision in the Matter Tonight—Runyon Long Understood to be in the Race—Told Press Reporter That He Will Take the Field—Active Worker in Second Ward.

The question as to who is to be the choice of the Republican party for the nomination for City Judge is beginning to grow interesting. Yesterday the active candidacy of Justice William Newcorn for the nomination was announced. Now comes out the fact that Councilman William N. Runyon is an avowed candidate as well and that the present incumbent, Judge George W. DeMeza, is likely to be in the race after a re-nomination.

It has been understood for some time that Councilman Runyon was to try for the nomination, but nothing was definitely said on his part. This morning he stated to a Press reporter that he was a candidate and would fight hard for the nomination. Although a young man he has been very active in politics in the Second ward and has worked hard to further the interests of the G. O. P. Last spring he was admitted to the bar in New Jersey. He has been practicing in New York for several years, and is considered an able young lawyer.

There has been a persistent rumor in circulation that City Judge DeMeza would try for the place. There are a number of the Judge's friends who are anxious to have him try for a renomination and have been bringing considerable pressure to bear. The Judge's business has been steadily increasing and he first thought of making no attempt to re-enter the field. He is now considering it and his advocates are to have an answer today as to whether he is willing to go ahead for the place.

With these three candidates, all of whom have considerable strength, the contest is likely to be a lively one indeed.

LORTON-NAYLOR.

Nuptials Celebrated at the Home of the Bride's Parents.

Eugene Victor Lorton, of West Fifth street, one of the drivers for the United States Express Company, was married last night. The bride was Miss Sarah E. Naylor, of 235 East Third street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Naylor. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. J. W. Richardson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church.

The bride wore a dark green cloth dress trimmed with white brocade satin. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Naylor stood up with the couple. After the ceremony a short reception was held, and the young couple were congratulated and complimented. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome moonstone pin, and the presents received by the couple were numerous and costly. For the present they will continue to live at the bride's home, but next spring they expect to go to housekeeping.

Among the guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Albert Naylor, Mrs. Lorton, Samuel Sorensen, Mr. and Mrs. Haberle, Mr. and Mrs. Huff, Edward Towley, of Westfield; Mrs. J. Connelly, Miss Ethel Lorton and Mr. and Mrs. Lee.

A HOME WEDDING.

Miss Mary Esther Labaw Married to Berne Egel.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Labaw in Harlingen, Somerset county, last night in the marriage of their daughter, Mary Esther, to Berne Egel, of Bound Brook. The officiating clergyman was Rev. F. M. Kitt.

Mrs. G. W. Saums, of this city, presided at the piano and played the wedding marches. The ushers were E. V. M. Labaw, Alfred Stout, of this city, J. F. Egel, of Bound Brook, and Fred H. Stein, of Somerville.

The bride was attired in a brown traveling suit, trimmed with white lace. She carried a bouquet of white bridal roses.

Guests were present from Plainfield, Philadelphia, Roselle, Perth Amboy, Trenton, Elizabeth Flemington, Somerville and Bound Brook. The couple left on a wedding trip through the south.

The ceremony was performed under a beautiful floral arch, the house throughout being decorated in an elaborate manner.

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CAROLINA RACE RIOTS

The Government Orders the U. S. Attorney to Investigate.

TOLBERT TO GOV. ELLERBEE

The Exiled Postmaster Wires to the Governor of South Carolina Asking if He Will Be Afforded Protection in the Event of His Return to McCormick.

Washington D. C., Nov. 17.—The government has decided to investigate the circumstances under which James W. Tolbert, assistant postmaster at McCormick, S. C., was compelled by the threats of an armed mob to abandon his office and home.

With that end in view the matter has been placed in the hands of United States Attorney Lathrop with instructions to look into the matter with a view to the prosecution of violations of the federal statutes in this or any other cases growing out of the recent race riots in that locality.

As a preliminary step, Mr. Tolbert sent a telegram to Governor Ellerbee at Columbia, asking to know whether, as governor of South Carolina, he can and will afford him protection in returning to his family and office.

The following is the text of the telegram, to which no answer has yet been received:

Washington, Nov. 15.

To the Governor of South Carolina, Columbia, S. C.:

I am a citizen of South Carolina, where I was born and raised and have always resided. My home is at McCormick, in the county of Abbeville. My wife is postmaster there and I am her assistant and conduct the business of the office for her, she being a delicate woman.

On Thursday, the tenth inst., I was forced by an organized and armed mob of one hundred men to leave my family and my home under the threat that if I remained there I would be killed. I, therefore, fled for safety, because I was unable to resist this mob. I am a large land owner in the county of Abbeville and also the owner of valuable houses and other real estate in the town of McCormick.

My wife is there with our only child, a girl four years old, without my presence and my protection on account of the action of an armed mob, and my property is without proper care. I have committed no crime against the laws of my country and have done nothing to give any offense whatever to any man or set of men, save that I am a member of the Republican party and believe in the doctrines of that party.

I send this to know if you, as the governor of South Carolina, can afford me protection as one of its citizens and as an employe of the United States government, that I may return to my family, to my property and my business and be safe from mob violence.

Answer, care of St. James Hotel, Washington, D. C.

(Signed) JAMES W. TOLBERT.

Shower of Flashing Meteors.

Williams Bay, Wis., Nov. 17.—The much talked of meteoric shower was observed here between midnight and daybreak yesterday.

While there was a good display, promising much for next year, when the earth encounters the densest part of the swarm, the brilliancy was not what was popularly expected.

The sky, which was overcast with clouds, the fore part of the night cleared about midnight, just in time for the display. In the short space of time during which they were visible from the Yerkes observatory about two hundred meteors were seen.

Many were of the first magnitude, leaving a brilliant trail of light, with a bluish green tinge. Others were very faint.

Most of them appeared about one hundred degrees from the radiant, showing the distance they passed through the atmosphere before becoming ignited.

Professor Barnard, assisted by Professors Ellerman and Ritchie, took observations of the display from the roof of the Yerkes observatory. Numerous photographs were made, but what results were obtained is not yet known, as the negatives have not yet been developed.

Value of the Clearing House.

New York, Nov. 17.—An excellent example of the value of the clearing house system was afforded yesterday, when the bank of the state brought to the clearing house $15,647,245.82 in checks upon other banks and other banks brought $15,647,401.85 in checks upon it.

The result was that more than thirty million dollars' worth of business was transacted by the actual employment of $141.97 in cash.

The exchanges at the clearing house have been on a very heavy scale in the past few days.

They aggregated two hundred and forty million Tuesday and two hundred million yesterday.

Their big volume has been due to the heavy increase in Wall street business in both bonds and stocks.

Gen. Graham Dying.

New York, Nov. 17.—Major General William H. Graham, formerly commander of the department of the gulf who was in charge if Camp Alger last summer, is very ill with typhoid fever at Fort Hamilton.

Dr. Robertson, who is attending the general, said last night that his patient was dying.

General Graham is fourth in seniority among the major generals of the army. He is preceded by Generals Miles, Merritt and Brooke. About three weeks ago he was relieved from the command of Camp Meade because of the age limit of 64 years.

Death of an Actress.

New York, Nov. 17.—Ethel Marlowe of this city, an actress of note, who has been playing the part of "Polly" in "The Christian," at the Knickerbocker Theatre, fell dead at the close of the play last night. Heart disease was the cause.

GOLD PRODUCTION AND COINAGE.

Figures from the Report of the Director

Washington, D. C., Nov. 7.—The report of the director of the mint, to be made public in about a week, will contain some surprises.

The gold coinage of the world for the year ending June 30 last, will be shown to have been about double that of any preceding year, and this in spite of the fact that the coinage in the United States was not quite up to the recent average.

This was due to the lack of mint facilities, which still continues.

We have to-day $134,000,000 worth of gold bullion ahead of the minting presses. But while the United States was not increasing in its gold coinage, Russia and Japan were making long strides, and throughout Europe there was a generally increased output.

In the case of the two countries named, however, the extraordinary movement of the year just closed was largely due to the accumulation in previous years of gold bullion in preparation for putting the finances of the nation squarely on the gold basis.

"But the real test of the abundance of gold," said Mr. Roberts, director of the mint, yesterday afternoon, "is to be found in the statistics of production rather than of coinage. In 1888 the output of the world was only $110,000,000, while in the calendar year 1897 it reached $237,000,000, and will this year go as high as $275,000,000. Returns already in show that South Africa will increase last year's output by $20,000,000; Australia by $10,000,000, and Canada by $6,000,000 or $8,000,000. The United States will probably show some increase, but how much it is now impossible to predict with safety.

"The figures for the Yukon product, which have not yet been published officially, are as follows: From the first of July till the first of November we received at Seattle and San Francisco a little more than $10,000,000 in gold from that quarter. This is rather above the expectations of the office."

THE NICARAGUA GRANT.

Ex-Mayor Grace and Associates Get New Concession.

New York, Nov. 17.—E. F. Cragin of Chicago, who engineered the purchase of the concession for the building of the Nicaragua canal in the interest of the Grace syndicate, arrived here yesterday on the fruiter Allegheny, from Greytown.

He was accompanied home by Colonel Alexander Bacon and Mr. Eyre of the firm of W. R. Grace & Co., and a corps of civil engineers belonging to the corporation.

Mr. Cragin says that the syndicate which he represents has now full control of the building of the interoceanic canal, and that the old grant, for years held by the Warner Miller syndicate, has been cancelled and that at the opening of the Nicaraguan congress in extraordinary session recently, President Zolaya, in a message, said: "I shall give you an account of a promise of a contract for the opening of an interoceanic canal through our isthmus granted to Messrs. Cragin and Eyre, representing a respectable syndicate of American capitalists.

"The promise made to Messrs. Cragin & Eyre is based on the security of the reputation and standing of the parties we are dealing with and on a deposit of $100,000 in gold. Messrs. Cragin & Eyre offer something more positive in a line of interoceanic transportation from the Atlantic to the Pacific that shall be completed three years after the new company is organized."

McMillan at the White House.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Senator James McMillan of Michigan, who has been persistently "mentioned" as ambassador to England to succeed Colonel Hay, called on the president yesterday morning.

The question of the ambassadorship was not brought up in the course of the call, and Senator McMillan says he has no knowledge whatever of the president's intentions.

Regarding the probability of his own appointment the senator says he has never been consulted on the subject by any officer of the administration.

Secretary Alger, who, it was reported, would be appointed senator by Governor Pingree if McMillan should go to England, says that there is no such plan on foot and that he will not leave the cabinet until the end of his term.

In Favor of Austrian Union.

Vienna, Nov. 17.—Upon the occasion of the emperor's jubilee, on Sunday, November 27, a pastoral letter signed by the whole Austrian episcopate will be read in the pulpits of the empire. After reviewing the emperor's fifty years' reign, the letter refers to his strong religious feeling and concludes with an expression of hope that his jubilee may mark the day of reconciliation of the Austrian peoples.

South Dakota Republicans.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 17.—Enough returns have been received to make positive the election of the entire Republican state ticket, with the possible exception of governor.

The Republican congressmen have been elected by majorities ranging between three thousand and five thousand. The legislature is Republican in both branches.

Disturbance in India Threatened

Simla, British India, Nov. 17.—Trouble is brewing in the Upper Swat valley, whose notorious "Mad Fakir" at the head of six hundred men, is preparing to attack the Nawab of Dir and create a rising against British rule.

Rear-Admiral Schley Detached.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—An order has been issued from the navy department detaching Rear Admiral W. S. Schley from duty with the Porto Rican evacuation commission and ordering him home to await further orders.

Press Gag Applied in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 17.—The minister of the interior has prohibited the retail sale of the newspaper Novoe Vremya, owing to its infraction of the press law.

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A MASSACRE IS FEARED

Aguinaldo Says He Will Make War on the United States.

GEN. MERRITT'S OPINION

Gen. Otis Says Iloilo is Surrounded by Insurgents and There May be a Slaughter. Admiral Dewey Regards Aguinaldo as Treacherous. Feared Complication.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Reports of a somewhat disquieting nature have been received from General Otis, in command at Manila.

He says that the province of Iloilo, in the island of Panay, technically occupied by Spaniards, is surrounded by insurgents and fears are entertained that the Spanish population and garrison will be massacred.

The indications are, however, that the present situation in Iloilo cannot be controlled by the United States army at Manila or the insurgent leaders there.

The troops under General Otis are not available for such duty, and, under the terms of the protocol, pending peace negotiations, it is not desirable to send a force from the army to the island of Panay.

Aguinaldo's Threat.

Seattle, Nov. 17.—Captain John Barneson, commander of the transport Arizona, has arrived here from Manila. He says the general impression among army officers is that when the peace commission concludes its labors the United States will have serious trouble with the natives.

Admiral Dewey told him that Aguinaldo was not only unreliable, but treacherous. It is said that Aguinaldo has promised his men that immediately upon the withdrawal of the Spaniards he will declare war against the United States.

He says he will kill off American soldiers faster than the United States government can ship them to the islands. Captain Barneson states that the naval officers favor and the army officers oppose the retention of the Philippines.

Gen. Merritt Talks.

London, Nov. 17.—General Merritt says it would be impossible to establish an American system of government in the Philippines.

He adds that they must have some form similar to the British colonial governments.

Regarding the complaints of the Filipinos the general says:

"It was impossible to recognize the insurgents, and I made it a point not to do so, as it would lead to complications. Admiral Dewey, after my arrival, pursued the same course. What was done before is not for me to comment on. I purposely did not recognize Aguinaldo nor his troops, nor use them in any way. Aguinaldo did not ask to see me until ten days after my arrival. After that I was too much occupied to see him.

"In talking with leading Filipinos, I told them the United States had no promises to make, but that they might be assured that the government and people of the United States would treat them fairly. This was because the United States is in the habit of dealing fairly with all struggling people, and not because I had been authorized to say anything of the kind.

"We purposely did not give the insurgents notice of our attack on Manila because we did not need their cooperation and did not propose to have it. We were moved by fear that they might loot and plunder and possibly murder. Aguinaldo's subordinate leaders, in conversing with American officers, frequently said that they intended to cut the throats of all the Spaniards in Manila.

"Aguinaldo himself wrote a complaining letter, saying that the insurgents had been denied 'their share of the booty,' whatever he may have meant by that. I took no notice of this letter, nor do I think the subject now raised is a matter for discussion between Aguinaldo and any representative of the American government."

Humbert Indorses Czar.

Rome, Nov. 17.—King Humbert in opening Parliament yesterday referred to the rioting in Italy last spring, and said he was looking forward to the moment whenhe would be able to pardon those who were misled at that time.

Continuing, the king pointed to the acceptance of Italy's proposals regarding the government of Crete and the Anarchist conference as proving the cordiality of her relations with the powers.

The financial condition of the country, his majesty asserted, was satisfactory, the navy would be gradually increased and a series of internal reforms submitted.

In conclusion King Humbert said Italy needed peace and cordially adhered to the czar's proposal to discuss the question of disarmament at the approaching congress.

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NEWS FROM HAVANA.

Progress of Evacuation. Prominent Arrivals.

Havana, Nov. 17.—A joint session of the evacuation commissions was held yesterday morning. Captain General Blanco, in order to complete the evacuation of the province of Puerto Principe by November 22, has ordered the transports Chandonagar, San Augustine, Isla de Panay and Mexico, which are capable of taking on board about five thousand troops, to leave at once for Nuevitas.

Major General Humphreys and Colonel Hecker and their staffs and John J. Washburne have arrived here on board the steamer Mascote.

Captain Carbonell of General Lee's staff, and his wife, formerly Evangelina Cisneros, whose escape from prison here about two years ago caused a great stir, also arrived on board the Mascotte.

Manuel Sanguilly of the Cuban commission left for Washington yesterday by way of Tampa, Fla. The other members of the commission will go to Washington by way of New York today.

The official returns as to deaths from yellow fever last week were received yesterday by Colonel Clous. The only two cases reported were those of Colonel Williams and Mr. F. T. Stewart, the typewriter in the quartermaster's department.

Mr. Caldwell also of the same department, is now much improved and is rapidly canvalescing. There are no new cases.

The entire staff of clerks and typewriters will accompany Colonels Livermore and Thompson and Dr. O'Reilly north to-day.

Naval Engineer Menocal will return to the United States on Saturday, in response to a summons from Washington.

It is understood that he will go later to Porto Rico on a special mission for the government.

The Spanish mail steamer Isla de Panay has arrived, bringing 260 political prisoners, who had been deported, and twenty-two more nanigos. Senor de Castro, the civil governor, has directed that they be lodged and fed for the time being at the Fosos Municipales.

The return of these men is a new menace to the peace and order of the city.

SALE OF FOOTBALL TICKETS.

Enormous Demand for Seats for Yale-Harvard Game.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 17.—The public sale of tickets for the Yale-Harvard game began at nine o'clock yesterday morning, and within fifteen minutes the three hundred or more sittings on the end stands and on the newly built ones in corners were disposed of, going in lots of two and three to each purchaser.

A small army of speculators was ready to gobble up lots of ten, as they expected first comers would be served with as many as asked for.

Three of the speculators stood in line from 4.30 in the morning and others paid representatives to hold places for them.

Every supposed speculator was tabooed by a spotter and the ticket seller refused them seats.

It required the assistance of a policeman to handle them.

Never at a Yale-Harvard game has the demand been so great for seats, despite the twenty-six hundred extra ones added this year.

Christmas Gifts for the Soldiers.

San Francisco, Nov. 17.—The transport St. Paul will sail on Friday for Manila with about two thousand tons of supplies, of which two hundred tons are Christmas presents for the soldiers in the Philippines.

The vessel will carry twenty-one wives of officers. Captain Niebaum of the Alaska Commercial Company is sending a redwood to the California boys for a Christmas tree.

Lieutenant Commander Cornwell has arrived here on his way to join Dewey's fleet to take command of the Petrel.

The steamer Aztec has sailed for the Orient with 4,800 casks of liquor for Manila and 1,250,000 pounds of tobacco for Japan.

Eastern League Meeting.

New York, Nov. 17.—A special meeting of the Eastern League of Professional Baseball Clubs was held at one o'clock yesterday afternoon in a parlor of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, to take action in regard to the proposed change in the present circuit by substituting Utica for the city of Wilkesbarre.

The Wilkesbarre managers were represented at the meeting by counsel of this city, who gave notice that their clients would resort to legal means if necessary, to compel the league to reimburse the Wilkesbarre organization if it was dropped from the list.

No action was taken in the matter at the meeting.

Close Vote in Nassau County.

Mineola, L. I., Nov. 17.—In accordance with the official count, Robert Seabury and James P. Niemann, both Democrats, will be the first county judge and district attorney, respectively, of the new county of Nassau. The vote between these candidates and their Republican rivals was close and both sides claimed the election until the official canvass was made.

The Republicans elected Woods, sheriff; Patterson, county clerk, and Eastman, county treasurer.

Roosevelt Spent $2,000.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 17.—The certificate of Governor-elect Theodore Roosevelt, showing his expenditures in aid of his election, has been filed with the secretary of state. The document reads:

"I have paid to E. A. McAlpin, the treasurer of the Republican state committee, the sum of two thousand dollars."

Trained Nurses for Manila.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 17.—Miss Abbie H. Zaner, directress of nurses at Portland Hospital, has received a dispatch from Surgeon General Sternberg to proceed to Manila immediately with as many trained nurses as could be secured in Portland.

THE PARIS PEACE PARTY

Brief Joint Session of Commission Without Results.

PAY FOR THE PHILIPPINES

The Spanish Argument Presented and Adjournment Taken Until Saturday. A Statement from Madrid that the Conferences Will Continue.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The meeting yesterday of the Spanish-American peace commissions began at 2.15 p. m., and ended at 3 p. m.

At the session the Spanish commissioners presented a long document on the Philippine question in answer to the American argument, which was submitted last week.

By mutual consent the memorandum was handed to the Americans without being read, and the meeting adjourned until next Saturday.

The Spaniards, in their communication yesterday reaffirmed the position which they have assumed against the discussion here of Spain's Philippine sovereignty.

They insist that the words "shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines," in article 3 of the peace protocol, do not warrant any reference to Spain's withdrawal from the Philippines, except on her own terms, and, therefore, the Spaniards propose arbitration on the construction to be placed on the words, "the control, disposition and government."

The Spanish communication was translated last evening, and its contents will be discussed by the United States commissioners to-day at their usual daily session.

The Journal, referring to the peace negotiations, says: "We think that the extravagant exactions of the United States have made discussion almost impossible between that country and Spain. Nothing but submission on the part of Spain seems possible. As the rumored intervention of the German emperor is a myth, Spain should reconcile herself to the inevitable and set herself about preparing for future struggles."

Madrid, Nov. 7.—The minister of foreign affairs, Duke Almodovar de Rio, has received dispatches from the Spanish peace commissioners, now in Paris, indicating that yesterday's meeting of the joint commissions will not be the last.

The commissioners have received additional instructions to defend Spain's rights in the Philippine islands.

The minister of marine, Senor Aunon, and the minister of foreign affairs have conferred on the subject of Emperor William's visit to Spain.

The newspapers discuss the Carlist agitation, but express belief that the followers of Don Carlos will not issue a revolutionary manifesto.

Pay for the Philippines.

Washington, Nov. 7.—Up to this point, the discussion at Paris having touched on principles, there has been no attempt to give exact figures in relation to the amount of money that might be paid to Spain by the United States on account of the Philippines. Such, for instance, was the statement that the United States would reimburse Spain "for the pacific expenditures" made on account of the Philippines, for no one here at the time had an exact knowledge of what these expenditures amounted to in the aggregate.

This has been ascertained, however, to the satisfaction of the American commissioners, at least, and they will name the exact amount of money which the United States is willing to pay over to Spain on this account.

What is proposed is a cash payment to the Spanish government for the United States does not propose to enter into any relations whatever with any of the holders of any of the bonds issued by Spain, notwithstanding the efforts of some of the European powers to bring this result about.

As to the amount which will be offered to Spain, the officials here are mute, but it is believed to lie somewhere between twenty million and forty million dollars.

Our commissioners do not look for an unconditional rejection of our offer but believe that there will be an attempt on the part of the Spanish commissioners to secure a liberal increase of the amount named.

The Amelcan commissioners are under instructions to inform the Spanish commissioners that there can be no further delay in the final conclusion of the work of the commission, so that it is expected that a conclusion one way or the other will be reached before long.

Stronghold Captured by Boers.

Pretoria, Nov. 7.—The Boer forces, after a heavy musketry and artillery bombardment, have stormed and captured the mountain stronghold of Chief Opefu of the Bagatos tribe, in the Zouttans Berg district.

Opefu recently massacred a missionary and his family, and the Transvaal government sent an expedition to punish the natives.

The latter attacked the Boers, but were driven into the mountains.

Two Boers were killed during the storming of the stronghold.

Inspects Troop Ships.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Secretary Alger left Washington at midnight for Philadelphia to visit Cramp's shipyard and inspect troop ships fitting out there.

The one nearest completion is equipped with 2,400 beds, or about double the capacity of the largest of the transports the government was abliged to employ during the war.

The Dreyfus Scandal.

Paris, Nov. 17.—A commissary of police has notified M. Francis de Pressense, the well known writer, political economist and Dreyfus agitator, of his formal expulsion from the Legion of Honor.

This is a sequel to M. de Pressense's denunciation of certain officers for their treatment of Dreyfus.

WAR DEPARTMENT ACTIVE.

Ten Thousand Troops Ordered to Hold Themselves Ready to Move.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—There has been remarkable activity about the war department for several days in the way of preparing troops for lands beyond the United States.

An order has been issued directing at least ten regiments of the regular army now stationed in northwestern forts and posts to hold themselves in readiness for immediate transportation and service in tropical climates. Mose of these regiments were sent into the northern and western posts a few weeks ago for recuperation after the Cuban campaign.

While holding themselves in readiness for service these regiments will now be recruited up to their maximum strength.

Nothing is said officially as to what the present activity means, but there are several reasons suggested.

It is believed that an early movement to Cuba is intended, somewhat sooner than has been generally believed heretofore.

Another belief entertained is that the United States government desires to be in a position to meet any conditions that may grow out of the pending peace negotiations, and to be in readiness to resume hostilities if Spain refuses to accept the terms the American peace commissioners offer the Spaniards.

In this connection an intimation has got about to the effect that during the delay which has occurred Spain has been able to form some sort of coalition with European powers to back up the pretensions she has been making in the negotiations.

It may be that some of the regular regiments are destined to replace volunteers who have been pleading to be sent home.

An interesting feature of the matter is the refusal of the United States authorities to order the muster out of the volunteers who recently returned from Porto Rico.

These regiments were sent to their homes and given sixty days' furlough, but contrary to the plans heretofore followed, they were not allowed to be mustered out.

As to the ten regular regiments, every department of the government has been directed to prepare supplies for them and to arrange for transportation as soon as they are ordered to move.

MURDERED WOMAN'S BODY FOUND.

Mrs Anderson Was Killed and Her Body Buried in the Pigpen.

New Canaan, Conn., Nov. 17.—The dead body of Mrs. Sarah Anderson was found yesterday, buried in the pig pen at her home, near this place.

The woman's throat was cut from ear to ear.

Neighbors had been searching for her body since Tuesday, when the burning of her house and barn and the discovery of the body of her hired man hanging to a tree indicated that a murder might have been committed there.

The fire was first discovered by John Brown, a farmer, who was working in the fields about a mile from the Anderson homestead.

Brown ran to the place and found the house and barn in flames.

It was too late to check the fire, as the two buildings were almost consumed.

Other men had been attracted by the smoke, and a search for the former occupants of the house revealed the body of Mrs. Anderson's hired man hanging to a chestnut tree half a mile from the house.

In the pocket of his coat was found a letter which contained the announcement that he had killed Mrs. Anderson. The letter said:

"I have worked here a year and have got no money and mighty little to eat. I killed her. She has been dead seventeen days. Search and you will find her."

TERESA TO BE ABANDONED.

Naval Officials Convinced She is Now Worthless.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 17.—Although a formal order to abandon the Maria Teresa has not yet been sent to Captain McCalla, naval authorities are convinced by his report that the vessel is now nearly a worthless hulk, beyond repair and incapable of being moved at any expenditure within reason.

It is probable that some arrangement will be made with the wreckers to recover from the hulk anything of value that can be fetched away before the Teresa is finally abandoned.

The navy department has not yet abandoned the effort to secure at least one of the vessels of Cervera's fleet as a trophy to be placed on the American naval list, though somewhat discouraged by the result of the adventure in the case of the Teresa.

Advocates to Aid Dreyfus.

Paris, Nov. 17.—The announcement that two advocates will be sent to Cayenne, capital of French Guiana, to assist Dreyfus in the preparation of his defence, gives rise to the belief that he will not be brought back at once, after all.

It is believed he has already received the government's message announcing the revision.

The court of cassation will undoubtedly demand the secret dossier; and, according to the Soir, the government has taken the full responsibility for whatever measures may be necessary to prevent the dossier obtaining a publicity that would be dangerous from an international viewpoint.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 18 and 19—Meetings in connection with the week of prayer for young men at the Y. M. C. A. building, at 9:15 p. m.

November 20—Donald MacColl, State secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of New Jersey, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Miss Harris, of the First Baptist church, choir, and a mixed choir will sing.

November 21—Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

Fate of Music Hall.

A place of public amusement is one of the essential institutions of a city the size of Plainfield, and whenever there is a man at the head of a local theatre who strives to give the public the best and cleanest attractions on the road he ought to be well supported.

Manager Maze Edwards, of Music Hall, is such a man, but his efforts are not appreciated to the extent that they should be. He has had long and valuable experience in catering to the amusement public and in association with the best managerial and dramatic talent in the country. He has given Plainfield the best that such experience and association would naturally bring, but it is a fact that the patronage he has received has been very discouraging for further endeavors on his part.

Mr. Edwards is far from a pessimist or a grumbler, but if the treatment accorded him by the public in the near future is of the same slighting kind that he has been receiving thus far this season, Plainfield will probably lose the best theatrical manager it ever had.

It is an advantage to the city to have a creditably conducted place of amusement such as Music Hall has been under Mr. Edwards' administration, and it is to be hoped that the patronage given the house for the rest of this season will be gratifying enough to induce Mr. Edwards to remain in Plainfield.

A Trying Position.

The position of Editor Runyon in the approaching municipal campaign reminds one of a picture in a comic paper not long ago, in which a youthful citizen was seen to be walking along the street between two elders, who were deeply engaged in conversation and paying no attention to the youth. The boy's hands were held tightly by the elders, and the little fellow was crying as though his heart would break. When asked what ailed him the little fellow whimpered out between his sobs that he wanted to blow his nose. The point, of course, is obvious.

Editor Runyon is in the same sort of a pickle. One of his hands is linked to the Republican party by association and a gratitude that is defined by a lively sense of favors to come, and the other hand is secretly tied up to the movement for the Citizens' ticket. With both hands thus employed in a general hub-bub he is unable to say which he is for.

For a Straight Ticket.

James E. Martine is in favor of a straight Democratic ticket in the approaching municipal campaign.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

It was because VanDoren, the Republican candidate for Sheriff in Somerset, had been seeking public office so many times that scores of Republicans cut him recently at the polls. To charge Louis A. Thompson, the party leader, with responsibility for VanDoren's defeat is not justified by the returns. The opposition to VanDoren was as strongly developed in remote townships as it was in Mr. Thompson's home.—New York Press.

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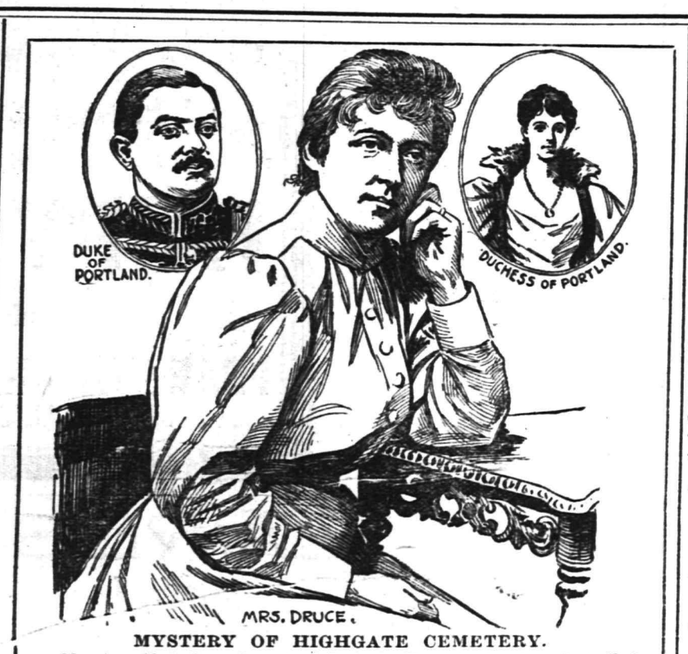

MYSTERY OF HIGHGATE CEMETERY.

Mrs. Anna Maria Druce has stirred England. Her claim that the coffin in Highgate Cemetery said to hold the remains of her fatherinlaw, T. C. Druce, was filled with lead, and that the supposed deceased was in reality the fifth Duke of Portland, has made a sensation. Proof of this would make her son Sidney sixth Duke of Portland.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Mrs. A. N. Adams, of Netherwood, is spending the week with relatives in Orange.

Marshal Winn, of the borough, is still on the sick list, although he is improving.

Miss Elmore D. Moffett and Mrs. McClintock have returned from a visit in Trenton.

Mrs. Francis Clark, of Newark, is spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Somerset street.

Justice Warden, of Dunellen, has been visiting Plainfield friends and looking after some business matters.

Miss Fannie Kelly, of West Seventh street, has gone to New York for a week to attend the wedding of her brother, Edward, which takes place today.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson, of Grove street, who is confined to the house by illness, is not much improved. Her husband, Chief Marshal Wilson, is obliged to remain off duty to assist in attending her.

"ROYAL BLUE LINE."

Change of Time—New Five-Hour Trains to Washington.

On Sunday next, November 20th, the most important change of time in the history of the "Royal Blue Line" train service between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington will take place. The features of greatest interest to the public is the lessening of time between New York and Washington, and the introduction of two of the finest trains that have been built in modern times. With the coming change there will be three fast express trains that will run to Washington in five hours. One will leave New York from station foot of Liberty street, Central R. R., of New Jersey, and South Ferry, foot of Whitehall street, at 11:30 a. m., another at 1:00 p m and the "Royal Blue Limited Express" at 3:00 p. m. The latter train is composed entirely of parlor and dining cars that were built by the Pullman Company for this elite service and, in all their appointments, interior and exterior, are admitted to be the most beautiful and substantial vehicles of railroad travel of the present age. A train composed of these cars will leave Washington also daily at 3:00 p. m.

Other important changes will occur as follows: Train leaving New York at 7:45 a. m., will arrive at Philadelphia 10 o'clock. Trains for Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington now leaving New York at 1:45 p. m. will on and after next Sunday, leave at 1:30 p. m.

Disgruntled Republican View.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—I notice in the News from time to time the names of certain prominent Republican gentlemen mentioned as probable candidates for the office of Mayor on the Republican ticket. I think there are about ten in all, but I understand that they have all declined the honor so far. Now, it is a very unusual thing for the Republican party in Plainfield to have to hustle for a candidate to head the ticket. It looks to me as if the gentlemen referred to see the landslide coming and do not want to be caught. Formerly it was considered quite an honor to get the nomination on the ticket; now it seems there is no one willing to take the chance. Republican.

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Myron Leffingwell, its author and leading actor, is surrounded by a large and most capable company of artists, who give a most pleasing performance.

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The Burrill Comedy Company which will open a week's engagement at Stillman Music Hall Monday, Nov. 26th at popular prices of 10, 20 and 30 cents, will change their programme nightly and present a new play a each performance. The opening play Monday night will be the pretty society drama "Infatuation," in which Miss Hulbert appears to great advantage; Tuesday, the war play "Old Glory;" Wednesday, the powerful drama "True as Steel;" Thursday, "The Octoroon," Friday Joseph Jefferson's "Rip Van Winkle;" and Saturday the melo-drama "Nobodys Daughter." The matinee prices are only 10 cents for children and 20 cents for adults.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE NASH.

Summons issued—In the case of Losey et al against Crane et al, on contract. In the case of Griffin against Timpson, on contract.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Noah Dove Encampment, I. O. F., will hold its regular meeting this evening.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold an important meeting tomorrow evening.

—There will be a meeting of the Camera Club next Monday evening and every member is urged to attend.

—The Epworth League of the First M. E. church will hold a literary meeting in Vincent chapel tomorrow evening.

—Two special trains passed through Plainfield this morning. One left Newark for Reading, Pa., and the other was from Elizabeth to Allentown, Pa. They will return tonight.

Stirling Man Dead.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Stirling, Nov. 17—The death of Winnet Lewis, of this place, occurred yesterday. He was a prominent citizen, and a large circle of friends mourn his loss. He was engaged in the butcher business with his father for a great many years. The funeral services will be held from the house tomorrow.

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DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 17—Mrs. Thomas Robison, of Newark, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Staats, having been called here suddenly because of the illness of her sister.

A party of young folks gathered at the home of Conductor Dodwell last night to attend a party given by his little children. There were only a few there, but they had a fine time with games and good things to eat until 11 o'clock, when their mothers came after them to take them home.

This afternoon will occur the marriage of Miss Maier, daughter of Mrs. J. Maier, to Terry J. Ronayne, the popular telegraph operator and ticket agent at the station. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Father Bogaard at the Catholic church.

Rev. E. S. Jamison, of the Methodist church, will preach to the Junior Order United American Mechanics Sunday night. Members of Lakeside and Friendship Councils will attend in a body. The sermon will be a patriotic one.

The committee on decorations finished their work in Apgar's Hall last night, and now everything is in readiness for the fair and bazaar which opens there tonight.

Mrs. Griggs, of New Brunswick, is very ill at the home of her father, ex-Postmaster Peter Staats, and fears are entertained for her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Runyon and daughter, Mrs. J. Smalley, of Plainfield, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walker, of Piscataway, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon of Washington avenue.

John Herbert has cut down two large willow trees that have stood in front of his house for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Terry have returned from Califon, where they have been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmons, of Montclair, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Brower.

J. D. DeGroff has rented a house on Washington avenue, and will move there this month.

Many loads of hay passed through here yesterday, bound for Newark and New York.

Isaac J. Stites is flagging his sidewalk and making improvements about his premises.

Miss Jennie Smalley, of Plainfield, has been visiting William Randolph, of Piscataway.

John Herbert, conductor on the Central Railroad, is taking a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Connoly will move to Port Reading in a few days.

Repairs are being made to the chimney and roof of the postoffice.

A. D. Pope, of Plainfield, visited friends in the borough yesterday.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph spent Monday with relatives in Piscataway.

Squire Luckey spent Tuesday in Plainfield visiting friends.

John Fenner has returned from a visit in Glen Gardner.

Mrs. George Huff is recovering from her illness.

S. Vermuel will soon move to Plainfield.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 17.—The Thanksgiving supper and entertainment to be given under the auspices of Friendship and Lakeside Councils Tuesday evening, promises to be a big success. The affair will be held in Friendship Hall, and supper will be served from 6 o'clock until 8:15. The proceeds will go towards papering and painting the hall.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 17—Some excitement was caused last evening about 7 o'clock at the Fanwood station. An engineer of a freight train slowed up at the station and notified the agent that a man was lying dead on the track beyond the North avenue bridge. A search was immediately made, but no trace of a body was found.

It looks as though the hoboes Judge Clark committed to Elizabeth last week will have to face an additional charge, that of highway robbery. Mrs. I. L. Jones, of Fanwood, identified the trio as the ones who recently held up her and her coachman by the water tank in Netherwood while she was out driving.

The adjourned case of the Board of Education against the seven boys charged with breaking and entering the school building Hallow'een night, comes up before Judge Clark in Excelsior Hall tomorrow evening. The general opinion is the case will be dismissed for lack of evidence.

Mrs. James A. Baker and daughter, Miss Eva, returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives in New York State.

The condition of Jacob V. Coles, who lies dangerously ill at his home on Front street, remains about the same.

The Taylor cottage on Front street is having a new roof put on. John Bornman has the contract.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 17—Irving I. Ross, the hustling representative of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Co., who has been located on Staten Island for several weeks, has been tranferred to Elizabeth, and if "Irv." has his way every merchant at the county seat will have telephone connections before he leaves.

Miss Mount, an elocutionist, a graduate of the State Normal School at Stroudsburg, Pa., will give an entertainment at the Methodist church Friday evening. "The Shaking Quakers" is the name under which the entertainment is given.

The Advance Club meets Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Rufus S. Green on the boulevard. The members will be entertained with a humorous paper by Dr. Green, on Artemus Ward.

A large number of the members of Fireside Council, Royal Arcanum, went to New York last evening to attend a big meeting of a council, which was held in Masonic Temple.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

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Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—An important meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men will be held tomorrow night.

—This evening the finance committee of the Borough Council will hold and important meeting.

—Perseverence Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will work the third rank on several candidates tomorrow night.

—Friday evening the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church will hold a consecration service. R. W. Barnes will lead.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet in regular session Friday afternoon.

—The Women's Association of the Congregational church is holding a sewing meeting in the church parlors this afternoon.

—The regular meeting of the Browning Circle will be held in the parlors of the Congregational church tomorrow evening.

—There will be a meeting at Monroe Avenue church tomorrow evening of a new club recently organized among the young people.

—The monthly meeting of the Earnest Workers of the Crescent Avenue church was held yesterday afternoon in the church parlors.

—The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will hold a sewing meeting in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon.

—A union Christian Endeavor service will be held under the auspices of the Local Union Thanksgiving morning prior to the regular Thanksgiving service.

—Robert Love led the 9:15 o'clock prayer meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening. The service was well attended, and another meeting, similar in its character, will be held tonight, and another Saturday night.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Perrine, of Orange, is visiting relatives in this city for a short time.

Mrs VanNest, of Elmwood place, has been visiting relatives at Dunellen.

Mrs. Clarence Leland, of Elmwood place, spent yesterday in Newark with friends.

C. C. Howard, of LaGrande avenue, who has been so ill, is somewhat improved.

Miss Wells is visiting her friend, Miss Mabel Pierson, of Watchung avenue.

Fred Stack has secured a position as bookkeeper at Rockfellow's grocery store.

Miss Etta Johnson has returned to this city after visiting her parents for several days.

Miss Anne Miller, of LaGrande avenue, has returned to her studies at Wellesley College.

Miss Mamie Kane and Miss Mamie O'Donnell, of this city, spent yesterday at New Brunswick.

Miss Mary Whiton, of Central avenue, has returned home from Radcliffe College for several days.

Miss Gertrude Haviland, of New York, has been a guest of Miss Helen Clark, of Crescent avenue.

Mrs. Augustus Runyon and daughter, Miss Jennie Smalley, of Lafayette place, are visiting out of town.

Miss Daisy Hagan, of Prospect avenue, who has been very ill for the past six weeks, is slowly recovering.

Miss Evelyn Lewis, of West Seventh street, has returned after spending a few days with friends in New York.

James M. Middledith, of Mercer avenue, has returned to Lehigh University after a short stay in Plainfield.

Miss Nancy Lawson, of Salem, Mass., has been a guest at the home of John M. Whiton, of Central avenue.

Dr. Zeglio, of Somerset street, is detained at home by an attack of rheumatism. His illness is not serious. Dr. J. H. Buchanan has had charge of his patients for a few days.

The home of Mr. and Mrs Theodore Smith, of Allen place, was brightened yesterday by the arrival of a ten-pound boy.

Miss Etta Johnson has accepted a lucrative position in Somerville and she will enter upon her duties very soon.

Miss Macready and her brother, Thomas Macready, of Madison avenue, have gone to New York for the winter.

Miss Laura Worthington, of New York, is visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. V. N. Talmadge, of Central avenue.

Thomas Walsh, of this city, who is a member of a New York Volunteer Regiment, is enjoying a short vacation at home.

Former Congressman John T Dunn, of, Elizabeth, has been visiting in Plainfield and he was a welcome caller at The Press office.

Howard Bennett, of East Fourth street, has been honorably discharged from a New York Regiment, and has returned to his home in this city.

Miss Carrie A. Heidt has arrived in Plainfield after a sojourn of four weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. P. J. Heidt at Kenoza Lake, N. Y.

W. R. Moore, of New street, who has been ill, is reported as being no better. He is being visited constantly by members of the G. A. R. Post, of this city.

Miss Harlow, of John Wanamaker's Sunday-school in Philadelphia, will be present this afternoon and evening at the annual meeting and institute of the Plainfield Primary Teachers' Union to be held in the First Baptist church.

Mrs John Bushnell and her daughter, Miss Helen Frances Bushnell, of 821 Central avenue, have sent out invitations for an "at home" Friday, November 25th, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Calling days will be Wednesdays, December 7th aad 14th.

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Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD
(E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)
9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)
10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
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Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

Annual Financial Statement of the Board of Education,

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1, Plainfield, N. J., for the Year ending August 31, 1898.

RECEIPTS.

September 1st, 1897, balance from August 31st, 1897—		
General account	$ 4,027.96	
Library account	9.56	
		$ 4,037.52
District tax received from the Collector of the city—		
Arrears for the year 1879	$17.20	
Arrears, including and prior to 1881	418.56	
Arrears for the year 1882	17.55	
" " " 1885	1.14	
" " " 1886	1.14	
" " " 1887	1.14	
" " " 1888	3.84	
" " " 1889	3.24	
" " " 1890	3.64	
" " " 1891	4.13	
" " " 1892	26.53	
" " " 1893	151.66	
" " " 1894	168.28	
" " " 1895	412.19	
" " " 1896	3,489.72	
	$ 4,719.96	
Current year 1897	38,940.96	
	$43,660.92	
Interest on arrears of tax	805.96	
		$44,464.88
State tax received through the City Treasurer—		
State appropriation, 1897-'98	$ 1,504.89	
State tax, 90 per ct., 1897-'98	17,497.56	
State tax, 10 per ct., 1897-'98	1,603.35	
		$20,605.80
Tuition, non-residents		$ 1,807.60
Library account		50.00
From fines, sale of books, etc		124.19
Loans		14,438.66
		$85,528.65

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries—		
Teachers	$42,256.87	
Clerk	649.96	
Janitors	4,908.00	
	$47,814.83	
Fuel	$ 2,548.17	
Gas and Electric light	168.18	
		$50,531.18
Running school expenses—		
Stationery supplies	$ 220.51	
Printing	271.20	
Insurance	570.80	
Census enumeration	174.10	
Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, percentage proportion for the assessing and collecting of school taxes	714.29	
Furniture	1,015.16	
Incidentals	2,412.54	
General supplies	611.37	
Repairs	3,579.48	
Rental of outside school rooms	620.00	
		$10,189.45
Building account		4,295.93
Betterment account		4,681.12
Library account		57.18
Discount interest		467.81
Interest on indebtedness	$ 4,030.00	
Payment on "	4,000.00	
		8,030.00
Text books and school supplies		3,561.95
		$81,784 62
September 1st, 1898—		
Cash balance in First National Bank	$ 108.54	
Cash balance in City National Bank	852.99	
	$ 961.53	
Due from Lincoln School Building account	2,782.50	3,744.03
		$85,528.65

September 1st, 1898, balance from August 31, 1898—		
General account	$ 3,741.65	
Library "	2.38	
		$ 3,744.03

Lincoln Scoool Building Account—

RECEIPTS.

September 1st, 1897, balance from August 31st, 1897	$ 475.20	
Loan from the general account	282.50	
		$ 757.70

DISBURSEMENTS.

Blackboards	$ 200.20	
Final payment, heating and ventilating	446.00	
Architect's fees	111.50	
		$ 757.70

Respectfully submitted,
J. B. PROBASCO, President.
FRED C. LOUNSBURY, Secretary.

L. N. LOVELL,
C. F. ABBOTT,
Auditing Committee.

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DIED.

COLLINS—On Tuesday, Nov. 15th, Jerome M., in his 69th year.
Funeral at residence of his son, 76 Hart street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Friday, 18th inst. at 1:30 p. m.

BAILEY—On Nov 16th, 1898, Miss Lucinda Bailey, in her 88th year.
Funeral private, at the residence of her niece, Mrs. Wm. K. McClure, 108 Crescent avenue.

MARRIED.

LORTON-NAYLOR—On Nov. 16th, by the Rev. J. W. Richardson, at the residence of the bride's parents, Eugene Victor Lorton and Sarah Elizabeth Naylor, both of Plainfield.

SMITH-PAYNE—On Nov 17th, by the Rev. F. D. Gibbon, at 7:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Mary Coleman, on Cottage place, John H. Smith and Miss Mary Payne.

WANTS AND OFFERS

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish Intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

15 TO 20 H. P. engine and boiler wanted. 153 North avenue. 11 17 3

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—Dining room furniture, cheap. 91 Mercer avenue. 11 11 6

WESTFIELD improved property, centrally located, paying 10 per cent, to exchange for Plainfield property. Address P. O. Box 301, Plainfield, N. J. 11 14 4

FOR SALE—Large bay horse. Apply 810 Central avenue. 11 14 tf

HORSE for sale, 78 Linden avenue. 11 14 4

CITY all-round butler wants place. Address Butler, care Press. 11 16 4

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED—Extra good laundress and cook. Address R., care Press.

LOST—Tuesday, on Sycamore street, a lady's silver watch. Reward at 10 Westervelt avenue, corner Manning.

WANTED—Light running, rockaway phaeton or other enclosed carriage. Must be low priced. Address G. M., care Press.

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm, Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others

With weather right, with goods right, with prices lower than you have ever seen for such

STYLISH

Jackets, Capes, Skirts and Silk Waists.

It is what throngs our garment room with pleased purchasers; all our Jackets are guaranteed as to fit and finish.

Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined $4.98
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades .. $3.98
Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout $8.75
Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair
10-4 " California Blanket ..... $3.75 pair
11-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $3.98 pair
11-4 " California Blankets ..... $4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies' Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants ..... 19c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
70-inch Bleached Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT—Twill pay you men to nose around in a dry goods for your Underwear, Hosiery and Shirt wants. You pay dry goods store prices, and you know what that means.

Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers ..... 33c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers ..... 49c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural ..... 17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 33c.
All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 13c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black ..... 69c. pair
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers 79c
Apron Ginghams ..... 3½c. yard
Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 50c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band ..... 10c. pair
Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black .. 10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 59c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 45c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 19c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 25c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths ..... 2c. each
Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes ..... 17c. box
French Plate, Hand Mirrors ..... 15c. each
Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
54 in. Dress Goods; fancy ..... 29c yard

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75.
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SPECIAL SALE!

Potatoes per bushel 57c
Eggs per dozen 19c
Creamery Butter per lb 23c
Sweet Potatoes per basket 20c
4 cans Baked Beans 25c
Hams per lb 10c

J. F. MacDonald, Uptown Grocer.
186 East Front Street.

HORSES wanted to board this winter; first-class accommodations. McIntyre, 171 North Ave. 11 12 6

FOR SALE—Fowls and small chicken houses. Address F. M., care Press. 11 15 3

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

FOR RENT—Room and board with private family. Gentleman preferred. Address W. D, care Press.

POLISH girl wants situation at general housework. 218 Park avenue.

TO LET—Farm, 50 acres, situated on North avenue, between Fanwood and Westfield; well adapted for poultry and vegetables. House 14 rooms. Also for sale, incubators and brooders, all in good order. Address P. O. Box 655, Plainfield. 11 17 3

FOR SALE—First quality fertilizer for grain and grass, best lawn dressing in market; also twenty barrels chicken manure. P. O. Box 655, Plainfield. 11 17 3

LOST—Pair gold rim eyeglasses, in Pratt case, going to Crescent Avenue church, Nov 15th. Please leave at Press office. Reward.

WANTED—To rent a furnished room. Pleasant room, convenient to Pond Tool Works. K. P., care Press. 11 17 2

FOR SALE—Cheap, two parlor stoves, also chicken house. 326 East Fifth street.

ROOMS with board. 219 East Fifth street 11 15 12

BY USING BROCK'S PORTABLE HOUSES your unprofitable vacant lots would become income paying property. Best and cheapest way of securing a home of your own. See model 7-room house 15 Mountain Avenue. Open afternoons and evenings. 11 17 6

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Monday, November 21, 1898.
MATINEES every day commencing Tuesday.

BURRILL COMEDY CO.,
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Monday, "INFATUATION"
Tuesday, "OLD GLORY."
Wednesday "TRUE AS STEEL."
Thursday, "THE OCTOROON."
Friday, "RIP VAN WINKLE."
Saturday, "NOBODY'S DAUGHTER."

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Matinee, Children, 10c., Adults, 20c.
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LOTS ON CARLTON AVENUE

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MONEY IN OLD CHIPS.

Experts Who Make Good Violins From Odds and Ends.

People in Chicago who pass the windows of a large music store are attracted by the display of baskets full of chips and fragments of the old fiddle family. These unattractive bits of wood have large money value, however, as they can be skilfully joined and reassembled to make violins that have the genuine, rich tonal qualities of age. Chicago is the only city in America where such an artistic redivivus is attempted or accomplished. These chips and fragments of former musical glory are not mere flotsam and jetsam carelessly accumulated and cast up in this show window as a mournful memory, for they represent long travel, patience, shrewdness and diplomacy. Most of the old violins or parts thereof have been collected in Italy. They had a lower pitch, and when a century ago the fad came in for instruments of high pitch the shyster repairers proceeded to graduate them by gouging out the backs. This vandal process not only weakened the instrument, but the tone was soon correspondingly repressed, and then the instrument was cast aside. Nearly all the backs of these old instruments show this gouging, and the first task is to level up this hardwood surface.

The top of the violin being of soft wood usually has its edges worn down by handling and carrying in the case. The corners are generally broken and the S holes are frequently split or frayed. This necessitates what is technically called "redoubling." This consists in matching the parts, building up by gluing on pieces, the united parts remaining in the clamps for weeks in order to set them firmly. Cracks are filled with tiny strips; small pieces are matched in so adroitly that their presence can harly be detected on the surface. Consider now that the cracked and frayed top has been bent up after long continued pressure to its original shape; the gouged back restored to its former thickness; the seamed sides filled and blocked and even the old varnish revealed in its former richness.

These important parts have been artfully restored, indeed; but the assembling of them is, after all, the matter of most vital importance, for this means a retention or revival of the tonal qualities of the instrument. No matter how beautifully the patchwork is done, the violin is comparatively valueless unless it has the tone to soothe the sensitive ear of the connoisseur. The sound post must be adjusted so that it will hold the weight of the top, for the strings bring a pressure of sixty-five pounds upon the breast of the violin, quite a weight to rest upon a thin, vibrant slab of wood.

Even more important than this pillar is the base-bar, the long, thin piece of tempered spruce that runs two-thirds the length of the breast between the S holes. This not only serves to help in carrying the weight imposed upon the breast of the instrument, but it is the back bone of the violin's nervous system. It must neither be too stiff nor too light, and must be so adjusted that it will sympathetically sustain the vibrations that come from every touch of the bow. Of course, in all this large chances are taken, but fortune generally favors art, science and skill where materials have been wisely selected.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

NO DOCTORS' BILLS IN SWEDEN.

It's a Case of "Write Your Own Ticket" When You Employ a Physician.

Do you pay your doctors' bills? some persons don't. Do you have an idea that the medicine men are in the same category with street railway companies and therefore to be "beaten" in season and out of season? Do you object to getting a bill from your physician, and object on general principles? Then go to Sweden. That's the place for you. That's the place where the doctors cease from troubling and the poor debtor is at rest. No doctors' bills go in Sweden. Who wouldn't be a Swede?

When you are ill in Sweden and require the services of a physician, all you have to do is to send for him. He is likely to be an efficient man and courteous to a degree. Your needs will be ministered to and between the times of feeling your pulse and taking your temperature he won't slip one of his professional cards in your hand and remind you that he charges $10 a visit. Nothing is said of payment, and your doctor looks after you faithfully until you have recovered. When you feel like liquidating the obligation you'll find that it is a case of write your own ticket.

If you have been holding an office under Tammany prior to your trip to Sweden, or have struck it rich in Sugar, you may fill out your check for a handsome sum. The money will be accepted and no comment made. If you have been writing on space for some years or have picked the horse races wrong end first, you may send a small donation to the doctor, and it will be just as unemotionally received.

The Swedish doctor on his native heath tends the sick and makes no rates. His wealthy patients pay him handsomely, his poorer patients give what they can afford, and the extremely poor give nothing at all. All get the same treatment.—New York Herald.

Silent Partner—What do you expect to do with all that rusty barbed wire fencing?

Hustling Merchant—Oh, I don't know. There's going to be a demand for pieces of them Cuban trochas for relics after a while, ain't there?—Chicago Tribune.

ANXIOUS FOR PEACE.

SENTIMENTS OF THE ARCHBISHOP OF MANILA.

He Expressed Great Appreciation of the American Occupation of the City—Residence of the Archbishop. His Opinion of the Insurgents.

The intense feeling by the Philippine insurgents against the Spanish priests made it seem very desirable to see the archbishop of Manila, and he informed two American priests that he would have pleasure in making an expression of his views to me to be placed before the people of the United States, says Murat Halstead, who has recently returned from Manila, in the Chicago Record. He had been charged with extreme vindictiveness and the responsibility of demanding that the city should be defended to the last extremity, when actually, in the consultation of dignitaries that took place, when the surrender of the capital was demanded by General Merritt and Admiral Dewey he declared the situation hopeless and that it was a plain duty to prevent the sacrifice of life. He was overruled by the peculiar folly that has caused Spain in the course of the war to inflict heavy losses upon herself. Indeed the war originated in the Spanish state of mind that it was necessary to open fire and shed blood wantonly for the honor of Spain.

The Spanish officers knew why they could not save Manila from the hands of the Americans with the command of the sea by our fleet indisputable and unlimited reserves to draw upon to strengthen the land forces, saying nothing of the swarms of insurgents pressing in the rear and eager to take vengeance for centuries of mismanagement and countless personal grievances. It was the acknowledgment of the Spanish captain general, when he received the peremptory summons from Merritt and Dewey to give up the city, that there was no place of refuge for the women and children, the sick and wounded, and yet it was insisted that the honor of Spain required bloodshed, not much perhaps, but enough to prove that the army of Spain was warlike.

The residence of the archbishop is within the walled city, and is a very substantial edifice, the stonework confined to the lower story and hard wood timber freely used in massive form instead of stone. His grace was seated at a small table in a broad hall, with a lamp and writing material before him. He is impressive as a man of importance, and his greeting was cordial to kindliness. He said his acknowledgments were personally due the American people for the peace of mind he had enjoyed during the occupation of the city by the army of the United States, for its establishment of order and the justice in administration that relieved good citizens from oppression and alarm. He was glad to have Americans know his sensibility on this subject.

When asked what it was that caused the insurgents to be so ferocious against the priests and resolved on their expulsion or destruction, he said the rebels were at once false, unjust and ungrateful. They had been lifted from savagery by Catholic teachers, who had not only been educators in the schools, but teachers in the fields. The same Catholic orders that were singled out for special punishment had planted in the island the very industries that were the sources of prosperity, and the leaders of the insurgents had been largely educated by the very men whom now they persecuted. Some of the persecutors had been in Europe and became revolutionists in the sense of promoting disorder as anarchists. It was the antagonism of the church to murderous anarchy that aroused the insurgents of the Philippines to become the deadly enemies of priests and church orders. It was true in Spain, as in the Philippines, that the anarchists were particularly inflamed against the chucrh. His grace did not seem to have heard of the American anarchist.

There was one thing then that he had in his heart—that his anxiety for peace and his appreciation of order as enjoyed under the American military government should be recorded and responsibly reported to the people of the United States. The American priests had informed him that I was a friend of long standing of President McKinley, and he desired and enjoined that I should declare his sentiments to the president.

His grace announced that he would return my call, and his convenience being consulted the time was fixed for him to appear at 11 o'clock the next day, Sunday, and he came accordingly, accompanied by three priests, the chaplain of the First California, Father Daugherty, who sailed with General Merritt to Manila, and Father Boyle, the superintendent of the famous observatory founded by the Jesuits.

The Pope's Vigor.

The pope, if ill, is full of pluck. According to an anecdote in the Naples papers, he was walking in the Vatican garden the other day, leaning heavily on his stick. Suddenly he turned smiling to one of the officers of his household and said: "The doctor will have it that I am not well. But look here." And, giving his stick to the guard, his holiness walked forward about 40 steps without it, almost at a run, to the astonishment of his companions.—London News.

Prayer For England at Marseilles.

The extension of the work of the Archconfraternity of Our Lady of Compassion goes on steadily in France. The latest evidence of this comes from Marseilles, the bishop of which has recently issued a pastoral letter announcing that he has erected in the Church of the Sainte-Trinite in that town a confraternity of prayer for the conversion of England affiliated to the archconfraternity established at St. Sulpice in Paris by the pope.—London Tablet.

"THE MOUTHFUL OF BREAD"

Charitable Association That Watches Over the Poor of Versailles.

There is a charitable association at Versailles, under the direction of three vice presidents, one of whom is a Catholic priest, another a Jewish rabbi and the third a Protestant minister, and all three agreed in choosing, as secretary of the work, a Freemason. For the past four years these four representatives of different religions have also agreed in doing good and rival each other only in devotion. The work is called "The Mouthful of Bread," a benevolent society, whose object is to give to the unfortunate men, women and children, without distinction of nationality or creed, with the single condition that the beneficiary presents himself in person and eats it on the spot.

Half a pound of bread is distributed every morning and evening to any person who holds out his hand for it. He is never asked whence he comes or why he is obliged to beg his bread. The only reason for making him eat it while he stays is to prevent him from trading it off for a glass of liquor. The association does not confine its activity to the dispensing of bread. Its members watch over their poor and make cautious inquiries about them. If they are men out of work they try to find occupation for them. In winter tea and coffee are sometimes added to the bread. No other eatables are ever distributed, except such as come to the society as a private donation. It is contrary to rule to purchase anything but bread.

As it is, the expense of carrying on the distribution for two hours morning and afternoon is very great. The resources of the society, appealing as it does to all without distinction of creed, are considerable. Every year a fete is organized at the Versailles theater. The Comedie Francaise, and especially the two Mounets, have been very generous.—Sacred Heart Review.

CATHOLICISM IN AMERICA.

Its History Began With the Landing on San Salvador.

The history of Catholicism in our western world began the day when the keel of the Santa Maria of Columbus grated on the beach of San Salvador. As the admiral stepped ashore he intoned the "Gloria In Excelsis Deo." His little party were all Catholics; had held Catholic services every day they were on the trackless deep; had been present at the mass and received communion the day they started; had been gathered together under Catholic auspices, through the assistance of a Catholic monk, by means of the pledged jewels of a Catholic sovereign and through the impelling motive of gaining new souls to Christ in the Catholic church. A monk, a mariner and a mother—these three, symbolic of faith, hope and charity—wrested the unknown land from the bosom of the ocean and opened a new continent where the highest providential designs of God were to be wrought out. The art of printing had been discovered 50 years before, and many other of the great instruments which produced our modern civilization had come into vogue. Martin Luther was then but a little German lad learning the catechism he was later on to repudiate.

When Columbus returned to Europe, he took with him six of the natives. These dusky savages were baptized into the church, Queen Isabella standing as their godmother. These were the first native American Catholics. These six Catholics of 1498 have become the 10,000,000 of 1898.—Frank Leslie's Monthly.

Russia's Greatest Churchman.

Constantine Pobedonostzeff, procurator general of the Church of the Holy Synod of Russia, who was recently decorated by the czar with the order of St. Andrew, is one of the notable figures in Russia. He is not only the head of the Russian church, but he stands very close to the throne and wields vast influence in the councils of state. During the reign of Alexander III he was the intimate friend and adviser of that monarch, and on the czar's death he remained in close touch with the ruling powers. The action of Emperor Nicholas in decorating him and eulogizing his work shows that the great churchman and statesman has lost none of his power.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Pope's Tomb.

Signor Marasi, the celebrated Italian sculptor, who was commissioned by the pope some years ago to execute his tomb, has at length completed his task. The tomb is of flawless white Carrara marble. Surmounting the lid of the tomb is a lion, with its paw resting on the papal tiara, while on the right hand is a statue of Faith, with a torch in one hand and the Bible in the other. On the opposite side is a statue of Truth, bearing the arms of the pope. On the tomb, beneath the lion, is carved the inscription, "Hic Leo XIII, P. M., Prelvis Est."

Back to the Fold.

Ninety and nine are asleep in the fold,
But one little lamb is abroad in the cold—
One little nursling in pitiful plight
Alone in the silence and gloom of the night.

Wandering about on the desolate plain,
Seeking its close sheltered comrades in vain,
What will become of it, tossed by the storm—
The lamb that yestreen was so safe and so warm?

But see! A light glimmers! Oh, joy, it comes near,
And a soft voice is calling—the shepherd is here;
He lifts it and cuddles it close to his breast—
The culprit forgiven, the wanderer at rest.

O, thus, Blessed Saviour, whenever we stray
From sin's darkling paths lead our footsteps away!
Thou dear, watchful Shepherd, whose love is untold,
Oh, welcome us back to the peace of thy fold!

—Sarah Frances Ashburton in Ave Maria.

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Provinz Ostpreußen.

Königsberg. Die Prüfung, der man den Königsberger Seekanal in Bezug auf Fahrbarkeit unterzog, ist trotz des heute niedrigen Wasserstandes des Pregels, der den Kanal speist, zur vollsten Zufriedenheit abgelaufen. Der Kanal soll ermöglichen, daß die Dampfer und Segler, die den Seeverkehr vermitteln, direkt bis Königsberg kommen können, um hier zu löschen beziehungsweise zu laden.

Memel. Das Memeler Schiff „Satisfaction," Kapitän Hech, mit Kohlen von Leith hier unterwegs, ist in der Nordsee gesunken. Der Kapitän, seine Frau und neun Mann der Besatzung sind ertrunken, nur ein Junge wurde durch einen Gothenburger Dampfer gerettet.

Provinz Westpreußen.

Elbing. Die Stadtverordneten beschlossen, für 125,000 Mark Aktien der projektirten Kleinbahnen des Landkreises Elbing zu übernehmen.—Bei Adlershorst ist auf der Ostsee während einer stürmischen See ein Fischerboot gekentert. Der Fischer Perleberg ertrank. Sein Stiefsohn wurde gerettet.

Thorn. Wegen Beleidigung des im Juni als Reichstagsabgeordneter gewählten Landgerichtsdirektors Graßmann durch ein von polnischer Seite während der Wahlbewegung verbreitetes Flugblatt wurde von der hiesigen Strafkammer der Redakteur der hiesigen „Gazeta Torunska," Brejski zu 150 Mark, Buchdrucker Buecynski zu 50 Mark Geldstrafe verurtheilt.

Rheinprovinz.

Köln. Im Dorfe Eichholz überfielen mehrere Buben im Hause allein anwesende Frauen, tödteten eine Greisin, verwundeten eine andere Frau schwer durch Revolverschüsse. Auch ein Kind wurde verletzt. Alsdann entflohen die Thäter. Indessen gelang es den Dorfbewohnern, einen der Räuber später festzunehmen.

St. Goar. Der hier verstorbene frühere Landrath unseres Kreises, Geheimrath Mooren, hat seinem Wohlwollen für unsere Stadt dadurch Ausdruck gegeben durch ein Vermächtniß von 13,000 Mark, das er unserem neuen Krankenhause zugewandt hat.

Provinz Sachsen.

Eisleben. Der Mansfeld'schen Gewerkschaft ist bis jetzt durch den Ankauf von Häusern, die durch die bekannten, sich noch immer wiederholenden Erdbewegungen im sogenannten Senkungsgebiet der Stadt beschädigt wurden, wie durch die Ausführung von Reparaturen ein Verlust von über 1,600,000 Mark entstanden. Weitere Entschädigungen werden noch geltend gemacht. Indeß wird nach und nach ja eine Verzinsung dieser Summen erzielt werden, denn die Gewerkschaft hat die von ihr erworbenen Häuser ausbauen lassen, um sie zu vermiethen. An Miethern aber kann es ihr bei dem hier herrschenden Wohnungsmangel nicht fehlen.

Schackensleben. Ueber 100 Personen erkrankten hier kürzlich nach dem Genuß von gehacktem Schweinefleisch.

Provinz Schlesien.

Breslau. Die Grubenverwaltungen des niederschlesischen Steinkohlenreviers bewilligten den Bergleuten eine Lohnerhöhung von 10 Prozent zur Verminderung der stetig wachsenden Auswanderung der Arbeiter nach Westfalen.

Kattowitz. Auf der Myslowitzgrube wurden sämmtliche italienischen Arbeiter entlassen.

Striegau. Aus der hiesigen Strafanstalt entsprang der Gastwirth Neumann, der wegen Mordes zu lebenslänglichem Zuchthaus verurtheilt und bereits 14 Jahre verbüßt hat. Der Verbrecher konnte bis jetzt nicht festgenommen werden.

Provinz Schleswig-Holstein.

Kiel. Neuerliche Probefahrten im Nordostseekanal ergaben, daß Torpedobooten eine Höchstgeschwindigkeit von 20 Kilometer während der Durchfahrt durch den Kanal gestattet werden könne, ohne eine Beschädigung der Böschungen herbeizuführen. Diese wesentliche Erhöhung der Fahrgeschwindigkeit ist auf Vorstellung der Marineverwaltung erfolgt.

Lokstedt. Als kürzlich der 20jährige Maurer Biesterfeld beim Ausmauern eines ziemlich tiefen Brunnens thätig war, lösten sich auf bisher unaufgeklärte Weise Sandmassen, die ihn unter einer circa 2½ Meter tiefen Schicht begruben. Obgleich der Rettungswagen der Feuerwehr auf's Schnellste zur Stelle war, gelang es nicht, den Verunglückten zu retten.

Provinz Westfalen.

Münster. Der jüngst hier verstorbene frühere Oberbürgermeister Scheffer-Boichorst hat der Stadt Münster 40,000 Mark vermacht.

Bochum. Der Andrang bei der hiesigen Bergschule, deren Unterhaltung der „Westfälischen Berggewerkschaftskasse" obliegt, ist in diesem Jahre ein äußerst großer. Die aufgenommenen 336 Bergleute, für die der Unterricht kürzlich seinen Anfang nahm, vertheilen sich mit 29 auf die Oberklasse und mit 307 auf die Unterklasse. Von den letzteren konnten vorerst nur 134 Aufnahme finden; die noch verbleibenden 173 können erst nächste Ostern nach Fertigstellung des neuen Bergschulgebäudes berücksichtigt werden.

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Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 50, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 08, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday, 2 14, 3 37, 5 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 12, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 9 30 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 15, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 20, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55, 9 45 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 27, 9 25, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 08, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 12, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 03 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 35, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 20, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 00 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 16, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 20 p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a. m.; 2 08, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 14, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 20, 4 30, 5 26, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 9 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 18, 6 35, 7 55, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 27, 5 28, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 9 05 a. m.; 2 08, 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 5 10, 5 16, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m., 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton Pangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 8 37, (5 27 for Sea Girt) 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 3 46, 6 21 p. m. Sundays, except Ocean Grove, 9 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 8 37, 8 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 48, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 5 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m.; 1 15 p. m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 8 37, 8 13 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 44, 9 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 03, 5 34*, 6 35*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m. 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 44, 9 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 44 a. m., 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 35* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 44, 9 44 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 31, 5 34*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 31, 5 09*, 6 35* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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6 25 p. m. Sunday evening local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. daily; Express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

11 02 a. m., 5 22 and 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Bound Brook.

12 02 p. m. daily except Sunday "Black Diamond Express" for Rochester and Buffalo.

2 04 p. m. daily local for Easton and Wilkes-Barre.

4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton Shamokin, L. & B. Junction and principal intermediate stations.

7 02 and 9 38 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

9 02 p. m. Daily express for Easton, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Sayre, Geneva, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, carries sleeping car passengers only, and no baggage.

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Corporation Notice.

Commissioners of Assessments report for sewerage construction on consideration before the Common Council, Plainfield, N. J.

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, N. J., held on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of October, there were presented and laid before the Common Council (the same having first been filed in the office of the City Clerk September sixth, 1898,) the report and assessments of the Commissioners of Assessments of said City heretofore appointed under the ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of Assessments under Chapter CXLI P. L. 1895," approved April 26th, 1896, containing the assessments of damages and benefits or expenses, as the case may be, for the making and constructing of sewers and appurtenances (including house connections), under and by virtue of the Act of the Legislature, entitled, "An Act to provide for drainage and sewerage in Cities of this State", approved April 7th, 1890, and acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and ordinances and other proceedings of the Common Council had under said Acts of the Legislature, said report and assessments covering the whole of said system of sewerage and appurtenances already completed, (not covered by assessments heretofore made) and particularly in and through the following described streets and parts of streets, to wit:

Steile avenue, from Plainfield avenue easterly 1148 feet to a point near Central avenue.

Plainfield avenue, from West Eighth street to Steile avenue.

Berkeley avenue, from Ravine Road southwesterly 379.7 feet to a point near Belvidere avenue.

Somerset street, from Front street northwesterly 265 feet to a point near Green brook.

Orange place, from Elm place northeasterly 291.5 feet to a point near Westervelt avenue.

Hillside avenue, from Putnam avenue southerly 379.6 feet to a point near Watchung avenue.

Watchung avenue, from East Front street northwesterly 168.6 feet to a point near Greenbrook, including house connections and including appurtenances of said sewerage system in connection therewith: the said streets and parts of streets in which the same were so made and constructed and the location and dimensions of the several lots, tracts and parcels of land and real estate so assessed being delineated on a certain set of maps numbered "1 a" and "2 a", and each map marked "Sewerage Construction Assessment Map dated August 8th, 1898" and attested by the signatures of the said Commissioners and filed in the office of the Collector of Taxes September 6th, 1898.

And it was ordered that said Common Council will proceed to consider, review, alter, ratify and confirm said report and assessments at a meeting to be held in the Common Council Chamber, 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, N. J., on the twenty-first day of November, at 8 o'clock p. m., at which meeting all persons interested in or affected by said assessments, on account of which said assessments were made, will be given ample opportunity to be heard upon the subject of said assessments.

The Character of the work and improvement for which said assessments have been made is shown by the foregoing, and in general is the construction of said sewers and appurtenances (including house connections), and said system of sewerage and appurtenances; and the streets and avenues or particular sections thereof which are included in said assessments are those hereinabove particularly set forth.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 24th, 1898.

JAMES T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

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ESTATE of Herman F. Schnellendruessler, deceased. Pursuant to the order of George T. Parrot, Surr gate of the County of Union, made, on application of the undersigned, Executor of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the sixth day of October, 1898, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

ALBERT L. FORCE,
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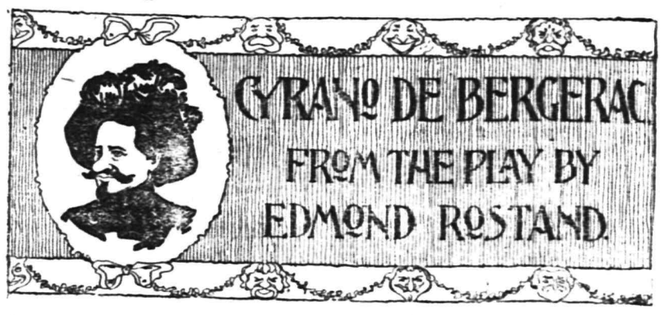

Savinien-Cyrano de Bergerac was born in Perigord in the year 1620 and died at Paris from a broken head received in one of his numerous escapades at the early age of 35. In his day he was known as a comic author, an inveterate rhymester and a writer of two plays of sufficient merit to have portions of them appropriated by Moliere. His work, however, was as odd as his character. Even as a child he was vicious and quarrelsome and was famous for his many crazy and audacious deeds. He was charged, among other things, with maiming children in his native village, persecuting any one to whom he took a dislike, and when he migrated to Paris with leading a life of unbridled dissipation. At the capital he attached himself to the turbulent Gascon company of M. Carbon Castel-Jaloux and was no sooner a soldier than he took up squabbling and dueling as a pastime. The demon of desperadoes, he liked nothing better than plunging recklessly into the greatest dangers, and his exploits became the small talk of Paris. He was seriously wounded at the siege of Arras in 1641, left the army and bullied Gassendi into making him, along with Moliere and other scholars of the time, a member of his classes for the study of philosophy.

Out of this scant biographical material Edmond Rostand has created his now justly celebrated play, which has thrilled into enthusiasm not only France, but also England and America.

CHAPTER I.

The waning twilight of Richelieu's day of power found France the mistress of Europe. Austria lay under her thumb, she dominated Catalonia, and her old enemy, England, was in the throes of revolution. National quiescence and prosperity found a diverted expression in the exuberant social life of Paris. In the capital it was a day of drama and duel, of ballad writing, love-making and little intrigues.

Pit and stage alike were dusky that afternoon in 1640 when all Paris gathered in the Hotel de Bourgogne to see produced the play to which Master Balthazar Baro looked for fame—his comedy "Clorise."

The candles were not yet lighted, but the house hummed with sounds. Now an imprecation smote through the buzzing when one of the troopers of the household of his majesty Louis XIII knocked insolently against one of the guard of the great cardinal, Armand de Richelieu. Now there was the clash of foils where two gentlemen passed the tedious time of waiting at fencing. Pages played pranks and pickpockets likewise.

Now a swaggerer seized a kiss from a pretty shopgirl, and now the foaming of wine bespoke a man about to quench his thirst.

Honest burghers made their sober way among the roisterers of the aristocracy and those of the gutters. Sometimes a ripple of laughter floated musically from the galleries where the ladies' boxes were—the ladies whose slumbrous eyes roused love their scornful lips pretended to disdain.

Now a band of young marquises burst through the doors, swords clattering at their sides. They came bent on their favorite sport—the baiting of the burghers. In the semidarkness they could not make out the crowd.

"Ah, Cuigy," cried one when his eyes had swept the dim theater, "what sport is here? Where are the good people we were to rush? Pshaw! Not a toe have we trodden upon. We come in like a band of woolen drapers. Is this your fun?"

"You should have waited at least till the candles were lighted," said Cuigy. "Ah! Here come the lighters now!"

The crowd gathered around the candle bearers. By their light the little group of nobles made one another out. The theater where the king's own players were to perform was plain in the light. Above the tapestried curtains that hid the stage the royal arms were crossed. The hall was a sort of tennis court, arranged and decorated for a theatrical performance.

On both sides of the stage were benches, and steps led from it down to the floor. On either side of these were places for the violinists. In the pit, where the men of the audience gathered, there were no seats, and in the rear of it, beneath the steps that led to the ladies' gallery, was the buffet, where a girl sold cakes, tarts and sweet drinks.

The lights showed two men, both striking and strikingly alike. Ligniere, already half drunk, though the day was young, piloted his friend Christian, the Baron de Nervilette, about the pit, presenting him to one group of nobles after another.

Christian's "delighteds" were perfunctory. His eyes ceaselessly sought the gallery. He was indifferent to the scarcely whispered comments of his new acquaintances. He heard, as from a distance, Ligniere explaining that his friend was but new come to Paris from Touraine and that the next day he was to join the guards as a cadet. He bent his head in acknowledgment of the congratulations, but his eyes were still upturned toward the boxes where the grand dames of Paris gathered to pass their pretty judgment upon Master Baro's work. Ligniere marked his abstraction.

"The lady comes not," he said. "Release me from my guidance. I will betake me to my favorite tavern."

"Stay," begged Christian. "You who know the town can tell me who she is for love of whom I die. You must stay and tell me who she is. Yet what will it boot?" he added gloomily. "I come from Touraine, and the ways of the court sit not easily upon me. I do not know its language. That they speak here today—aye, and write, too—confounds me. I am but an honest soldier—a lubberly one, if you will. What could she see in me?"

He turned gloomily toward the buffet, and when next he looked the empty box toward which his eyes had been directed was no longer empty.

"Look!" cried Christian, seizing Ligniere's arm. "Look! 'Tis she!"

Ligniere glanced toward the box. He did not even cease to sip his rivesalte as he answered.

"Ah! She is Madeline Robin—'Roxane,' they call her. She is a wit—a precieuse. Cyrano de Bergerac is her cousin. She is orphaned. There is the Count de Guiche speaking to her now, the blue ribboned nobleman there. He is enamored of her, though he has wed the cardinal's niece himself. He would marry her to M. De Valgert, a most complaisant viscount, but Roxane will none of that bargain, though De Guiche may persecute her for her obstinacy. See, she looks at you!"

It was true. The precieuse had bent her eyes upon him. He stood transfixed, the gentleman from Touraine. Ligniere, delayed beyond his wont from his favorite tavern, made his escape from the lovelorn youth's side.

The audience was growing impatient. It had been promised a rare treat—rarer than good Master Baro's "Clorise" afforded. Ragueneau, king of pastry cooks, patron of poets and playwrights, had circulated among them, telling them of the bargain of Cyrano de Bergerac.

"He has got a hate of Montfleury," said Ragueneau. "He has forbid the actor to set foot upon the stage again for a month. And today Montfleury is billed to play! Surely there will be rare sport when our Cyrano sees him!"

"Who is this Cyrano," asked Christian, "that he should dictate to the king's players?"

"The choicest of earthly beings," answered Le Bret, who had been pacing up and down the hall in search for him.

"And a poet," said Ragueneau.

"And soldier," said Cuigy.

"And philosopher," said Brissaile.

"And musician," added Le Bret.

"But," said Ligniere, "of how fantastic a presence!"

"Marry," went on Ragueneau affectionately, "'twould puzzle even our grim painter Philippe de Champaigne to portray him! Methinks, so whimsical, wild, comical is he, only Jacques Callot, now dead and gone, had succeeded better and had made of him the most valiant of all his visored crew. And proud—he is prouder than all the fierce Artabans of whom Gascony has ever been the prolific alma mater! And you should see him fence! He is a cadet in the guards, the maddest fighter of them all. You should see him with his triple plumed beaver and his six pointed doublet—his sword point out beneath his coat like a pert cock's tail! He is ruffed, and, ah, you should see his nose above his ruff! The nose of a false face it is. One must believe that he plays a joke and that it will come off. But 'tis his own, and off it will not come. And woe to you, my master, if you dare but stare at it!"

"Ah, well! He will not come today to clear the stage of Montfleury! You'll see," said one.

CHAPTER II.

The young Christian, half divided between the tale of the great Cyrano and watching Roxane, felt suddenly a hand in his pocket. Clasping it, he swung around and faced a pickpocket, but the rogue was clever.

"You sought?" he hazarded.

"A glove," said Christian. He did not add that it was his intention to throw the glove into the face of the complaisant Valvert, designed by De Guiche for Roxane's husband, and, fighting him, perhaps to rid the world of him.

"You find a hand," said the ready scoundrel. "Let me go, and I shall deliver you a secret. Your friend Ligniere there, who has just left you, is being plotted against. His life is in peril. A song written by him has given offense in high places. A hundred men lie in wait for him. He has offended the great nobleman, De Guiche, who married the cardinal's niece. I am one of the hundred, but I have no stomach for the job. Go you and warn him!"

So Christian, easily put off, hastened from the theater and missed, not Master Balthazar Baro's comedy of "Clorise," but the play between Cyrano de Bergerac and Montfleury.

The laughter, talk and tumult keeps up. The pages in the upper gallery fish for the wigs of the burghers in the pit with slings and bent pins. When a wig is drawn up on the end of a string, leaving the embarrassed burgher uncovered, cries of delight resound through the hall.

Montfleury had come upon the stage and had mouthed his opening lines. The nobles whispered one to another, "De Bergerac not here?" Ragueneau, the pastry cook, breathlessly loyal, had wagered a fowl, a La Ragueneau, upon his coming. Suddenly from the center of the pit there came a voice:

"Villain! And did I not forbid you to set foot upon this stage for a month?"

Montfleury broke off in his mouthings. The crowd stood dazed for a second. Then came a shout. The nobles recognized De Bergerac. Montfleury, interrupted, stammered wildly.

"Dare you defy me?" cried the voice.

"On, Montfleury, on!" cried the nobles.

Montfleury stammered another line.

"So you itch for a taste of my cane?" said the voice, and in the pit a hand lifted above the heads of the spectators waved a cane.

"Hap-happy he," began Montfleury, for the third time.

Then Cyrano sprang upon a chair, a terrible figure to see, with his crossed arms, his cocked beaver, his bristling mustache and his great nose.

"Go!" he cried fiercely. "Go!"

"Help, help!" begged the actor.

"Go on, Montfleury," advised the nobles indifferently. "We will protect you."

"Another moment!" cried Cyrano, "and I must even slit his ears off. My anger rises."

He left his chair and stood in the middle of a circle.

"Your protectors," he said politely, "I will meet first—one after the other. Gentlemen, come on! What, none? Ah, then, to you alone I will devote myself. Thrice will I clap my hands, thus. At the third clap get you gone. One!"

Montfleury wavered. "He'll stay!" shouted the crowd.

"Two!"

"Gentlemen," begged Montfleury, "'twere discreet, methinks"—

"Three!"

Amid the jeers and cries of the whole house the enormously fat actor disappears on the instant. Cyrano, center of a circle, bandied jests. Jodelet, the manager, mourned over entrance fees to be returned.

"Here, take that," called Cyrano, and tossed him a bag of gold.

And all the while the eyes of his cousin, the dainty wit Roxane, were bent upon him from her box.

Jodelet weighed in his hand the purse that Cyrano had just thrown to him on the stage and told him that at this price he was welcome to stop a play every night.

The audience rose and prepared to leave the theater. The ladies in the galleries stopped in adjusting their mantles and scarfs to listen to Cyrano, who again had the floor.

"It's shameful! Montfleury is protected by the Duke of Candal. Have you a patron?" demanded a bore of Cyrano.

"No patron or protector," answers Cyrano, grasping his sword, "but I have a protectress here."

"You'll have to leave town. The duke has a long arm."

"Not so long as mine when it's lengthened out," retorted Cyrano, holding out his sword. "Show your heels now or tell me why you stare so at my nose."

"Your grace mistakes," apologized the bore, drawing back.

"Come, now," said Cyrano, "what amuses you? Is it that it's dangling like an elephant's trunk or crooked like an owl's beak? Or is it the fly that takes the air on the tip?"

"I—I—did not look. I was careful—I knew better."

"Then why did you look at my nose, sir? Does it disgust you? Is its hue unwholesome to you or its proportions too large?"

"No, no!" gasped the bore. "It is small, quite minute, in fact. Heaven help me!"

"It's enormous," said Cyrano, "and I am proud to possess it. Every meddler knows that a big nose is indicative of an affable soul." And to illustrate his point he soundly cuffed the bore, and, having taken him by the shoulders, turned him round, that he might administer a parting kick.

The bore ran away, calling to the guards for help, and Cyrano, having convinced the audience that he was a man of his word, warned them that the next who finds amusement in his nose shall have a taste of his sword and not his boot.

Down from the stage came De Guiche, with his friend, the Viscount de Valvert, their swords clattering at their

THE REAL CYRANO.

sides and both annoyed at the turn events had taken, disappointed at not having seen the play and jealous perhaps of Cyrano, hero of the evening, who had sprung into sudden popularity with the facetious Parisian audience.

"This fellow becomes a nuisance," said De Guiche, shrugging his shoulders.

"A swaggerer," said De Valvert. "Will no one put him down?"

"I," answered the viscount, "will treat him to one of my quips. See here, sir, your nose is—h'm—very big!"

"Very," answered Cyrano gravely, who was as great a master of his tongue as he was of his sword. "Is that all you can say, young blade? Your repartee is a trifle short. You might have said at least a hundred things. Aggressively you might have said, sir, if I had such a nose I'd amputate it; or it must fill your cup when you drink, you ought to have a drinking trough of special shape; or when you smoke your pipe do not the neighbors cry, 'The chimney's afire!' or pray have an umbrella made that the sun may not destroy its color; or this useful crook is the latest thing to hang your hat on, friend; or, as a rustic, 'tis a dwarf pumpkin or a prize turnip; or behold the nose that wears the harmony of its master's phiz, blushing its treachery!

"Such, my dear sir, is what you might have said if you had wit or letters, but the only letters that you have are three, and they spell ass! Had you the wit to serve me these pleasantries I quote—you would not have been let to quote one—I take them from myself in good part, but not from any other man that breathes."

De Guiche, alarmed at the turn of affairs, tried to draw away the viscount, who, choking with rage, cried out, "A country lout who has no gloves and goes without sleeve knots, ribbons or lace."

"True," said Cyrano snarkily, "I wear no gloves. But what of that? I had one once and, not knowing what to do with it, threw it in the face of a young fool!"

"Base scoundrel! Rascally, flat footed lout!"

Cyrano took off his hat and bowed low, as if the viscount had introduced himself.

"And my name is Cyrano Savinien Hercule de Bergerac."

TO BE CONTINUED

RARE OFFHAND SPEECHES.

Not so Spontaneous as They Appeared, Even Lincoln's Were Written.

A group of literary men were discussing the other day the rarity of spontaneous eloquence or wit.

"I was at a dinner once in New York," said one, "and was seated next to Major Hay, who, you know, had been Lincoln's secretary. Somebody making a speech exclaimed:

"'In genuine eloquence the words come hot from the heart. No nobler speech was ever uttered in America than Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, and I am assured it was wholly spontaneous. He had not given it a thought before he rose to speak.'

"'While he was delivering it,' said Major Hay to me, aside, 'I had the fifth copy of it in my pocket.'

"I, too, remember a dinner in New York," said another, 'at which all the foremost men in journalism and literature were present. The speech of the evening was made by George W. Curtis. It sparkled with wit and apt allusions to the men present, evidently inspired by the moment. Once he stopped, interrupting himself, and exclaimed:

"'I see my friend, Judge D., looking at me doubtfully, but I must remind him that he, too,'—going on with some brilliant raillery that brought down peals of laughter. As we rose to go out I said to the editor of a Boston paper:

"'Who but Curtis could pour out impromptu wit like that?'

"'Impromptu?' said the newspaper man. 'I had the proofs of all the speeches given to me this afternoon to send to Boston to-night. Let us look at his.' We looked, and there it all was, word for word, even to the 'I see my friend, Judge D. looking at me doubtfully,' etc."

"I knew Artemus Ward," said a third man, "when he was a reporter on a Cleveland paper. One evening in the office he told a story, apparently a mere trifle, the flash of a moment.

"'Browne,' said the chief, 'how can you say such clever things offhand?'

"'Offhand!' muttered Browne. 'I told that to myself fifteen times this afternoon!' Ten years afterward I heard him tell the same story to a brilliant London audience, without the alteration of a comma.

"Even to make a good joke," remarked a listener, "work apparently is needed as well as genius."—Youth's Companion.

THE GREAT STRENGTH OF BEARS.

One Seen to Carry a Heifer, Weighing 200 Pounds, Three Miles.

An old hunter, speaking about bears, declares that grizzlies have strength almost beyond belief, and cites some instances to prove it.

"I have read," he says, "about the powerful muscles in the arms of African gorillas, but none compare with those in the arms and shoulders of big grizzly bears. I have seen a grizzly bear with one forepaw shot into uselessness pull its own eleven hundred pounds of flesh and bone up precipices and perform feats of muscle that trained athletes could not do. I have seen grizzly bears carrying the carcasses of pigs that must have weighed seventy pounds several miles across a mountain side to their lair, and I have heard hunters tell of having seen cows knocked down as if by a thunderbolt with one blow from the forepaw of a bear.

"Three summers ago I spent the season in the coast mountains in Monterey county, and one moonlight night I saw a big grizzly bear in the act of carrying a dead yearling heifer home to her cub. I had a position on the mountain side where I could see every movement of the bear in the sparsely timbered valley below me. The animal carried the heifer in her forepaws for at least three miles, across jagged, sharp rocks ten feet high, over fallen logs, around the rocky mountain sides, where even a donkey could not get a foothold, to a narrow trail up the steep mountain. She never stopped to rest a moment, but went right along. I followed, and just about half a mile from the beast's lair I laid her low. The heifer weighed at least two hundred pounds, and the bear some four hundred and fifty pounds."

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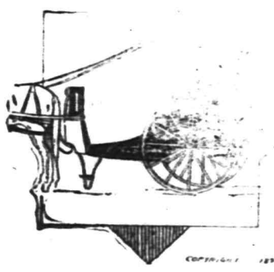

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Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year
Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,
are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the
Twentieth Day of December
next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL
in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the
Fourth Tuesday of November
next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

J. A. MARTIN,
Collector.

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year

The decision of the management of the Plainfield eleven to hold the Thanksgiving Day game in the morning is very satisfactory to both players and audience. It will not interfere with the Thanksgiving dinners of those who turn out to witness it.

The Plainfield eleven met last evening on the Westervelt avenue grounds. It was the first practice since the election day game, but much interest was manifested and there is every prospect that Plainfield will have a strong team to represent her on Thanksgiving Day.

Saturday afternoon, the crack elevens of Yale and Harvard will meet at New Haven for their annual game. It will be impossible this year to tell which of the great college teams has really won the championship as Harvard and Princeton will not meet. Another year, it is hoped, a triangular league will be formed.

The Plainfield eleven is going to play again on the morning of Thanksgiving Day. The San Remos of the New York Athletic Club will be the visitors and their excellent reputation is to well known here to need repeating. They are as gentlemenly a lot of young men as ever gathered on the gridiron and their actions in Plainfield have always been all that could be desired.

Edgar I. Serrell will play end on the Plainfield eleven Thanksgiving Day. In the Election day game he was held in reserve for use back of the line to take the place of any of the backs should they be injured. He is too valuable to be left out of the game, however, and he will now be played at end, for there will be material enough to substitute behind the line should any of the regular men meet with accidents.

The Plainfield team will be much strengthened in its next game by the return of Louis Waring. There is something in the personality of that young man that seems to infuse new life in the team whenever he makes his appearance. He was away on a business trip Election Day and so could not play, but he will be here Thanksgiving and probably play quarter. If not there he will be found at end and Hallock will be moved in to tackle.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

F. O. Ball, captain of the Park Club bowling team, is trying to arrange a game with the N. J. A. C. to be rolled some time in December. This game will take the place of the game which was to have been rolled Monday night.

"Doc" Charles R. Thiers will wind up for the Park Club team this year as formerly. He is too valuable a man to be lost. At first, he thought that he had better give up the game this season but much pressure was brought to bear and he will be out at the first match in his accustomed form.

The bowling season will open at the Catholic Club by a match game tonight between the regular club team and the Bound Brook Bowling Club. The Catholic Club team is composed of Messrs. Moran, Carty, Shannon, McInery and Higgins. The team has been practicing for some time and expect to be in tip-top shape.

There is a marked increase in the activity on the Park Club alleys these days and all the members are trying their hand at the game. Of the youngsters, William J. Roome, Jr., has made the most rapid strides to the front. It is probable that he will be tried on the league team of the club and if he can show the same form there that he does in practice games, he will remain there as a permanent feature.

F. O. Ball will captain the bowling team of the Park Club again this season. His success last year was very satisfactory and his interest in the game keeps him up to the top notch. It has always been the fault of the Park Club that the bowlers lost interest toward the end of the season and became easy prey for the other teams, thus loosing all chances of being at the top of the heap. This year, Captain Ball is going to make extra efforts to keep up the interest and carry the team on to victory.

GOLF.

A large number of golf enthusiasts visited the links of the Park Golf Club yesterday and went over the course for practice.

There will be open handicap play for members on the links of the Park Golf Club Thanksgiving Day. A tea will be served in the afternoon.

A handicap tournament, open to members, will be played on the Park Golf Club links Thanksgiving Day. A prize for gentleman, also one for ladies, will be awarded for the best scores. Rules and conditions governinfl the tournament will be posted at the club house. All wishing to enter must send their names and best scores for 9 holes to the secretay on or before Monday, November 21st, 1898. Meredith Dryden, Secretary.

ROD AND GUN.

Harry Snyder and Richard Scott, of this city, have returned from a successful hunting trip.

Samuel Goff, Fred Willibald and Ben. Potts, of this city, have returned from a hunting trip. They captured eight rabbits, one woodcock and a pair of quail. Fred Willibald had the distinction of killing a cat with the load in one barrel of his gun and a rabbit with the load in the other. The cat was in the brush chasing the rabbit.

WHIST

The Park Club Whist team will play a game with the Elizabeth Chess and Whist Club team in this city Wednesday evening, Nov. 23d, and Dec. 7th the New Jersey Athletic Club team will come to Plainfield and play a match game with the Parks.

BICYCLIST TO BLAME.

By His Reckless Riding He May Make a Girl a Cripple for Life

The young daughter of Warren C. Squier, of 38 Clinton avenue, is now confined to her home with severe injuries which may possibly result in her being a cripple for life. The girl was walking along Clinton avenue Tuesday morning when a young man named Kelly, who resides on West Third street, came up behind her on his wheel and ran into her. The cyclist was on the sidewalk, where he had no business to ride, and knocked the girl down.

She was assisted to her home not far away and Dr. Long was called. He examined the girl and found that in addition to several bruises she had a very bad sprain of the left knee and joint. The latter injury is the most serious and may cause trouble for life. The outcome of the case will be watched with much interest.

BAD LITTLE BOYS.

They Admitted Taking Shoes From Morris Abrams' Stand.

Edward and Willie Howe, and Augustus Nier, of the borough, who were arrested yesterday on complaint of Morris Abrms, the shoe dealer, who charged them with stealing a pair of shoes from his stand Monday night, were arraigned before Justice Nash this morning.

When first accused of the act all three lads denied it, but when they were taken before the justice they admitted taking the shoes. As they were so small, being from ten to twelve years of age, they were given a severe reprimand and allowed to go.

Attempted Burglary.

An attempt was made to burglarize the home of Henry Windham, of Somerset place, Tuesday night, but was baffled by a dog belonging to Marshal Campbell who lives next door. The man ran away when the dog began to bark, and Mrs. Campbell saw him as he vaulted over the piazza rail. The piazza had been freshly printed and the footprints and marks of his hands were visible.

Active Work of Monday Afternoon Club.

Next Monday afternoon the Monday Afternoon Club will continue the study of England from the accession of Elizabeth to the restoration. Miss Elizabeth R. Cock will present the paper on current events, and Miss Florence Tweedy will read a paper on "The Intellectual Movement of the Times."

Electric Wire to go Under Ground.

Patsy Christmas, the contractor, received the contract today from the Plainfield Electric Light Company, to place their wires under ground. The papers will be signed tonight and the work will be commenced next Monday morning

Marriage Last Night.

The marriage of Mary Payne to John H. Smith was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Mary Coleman on Cottage place last evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. F. D. Tildon performed the ceremonies.

New Master Mechanic.

N. E. Sprawl, of Jersey City, has been appointed Chief Master Mechanic of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

FEW DRESSES

or wraps are really worn out. They fade a little or get spotted and rusty looking—color goes out of style, maybe—and the dress is discarded. It's a woeful waste In nine cases out of ten a couple of dollars spent for cleaning or dyeing will give you a new garment, especially if the material was good in the first place.

HILLIER & CO.,
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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—The husband and sons of the late Mrs. Mary Vanderweg wish to thank all of their faiends and neighbors who so kindly aided them in their time of affliction and so sincerely sympathized with them in their sad loss.

—The store of Woodhull & Martin is thronged every day with out-of-town people, who are attracted by the superior quality of goods they offer at their special sales. Friday specials promise to be one of the best of the week.

—The week of prayer is being observed this week in Warren chapel. The meetings are well attended and much interest is being shown in them. Last evening Rev. G. Kennedy Newell was the leader. and tonight Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D, will have charge.

Commodore Phillips to Speak.

The annual meeting and dinner of the International Y. M. C. A. committee will be held this evening at the Windsor Hotel, New York, and among the prominent speakers is Commodore Phillips. Councilman F. H. Andrews, of this city, will also attend.

The condition of J. W. Yates, of East Seventh street, is practically changed, but is still very critical.

BUY ALL THE MEDICINES.

People Who Like to Try Everything That Comes Along.

"You have heard of opium fiends, and all the other so-called fiends who buy narcotics or poisons and dose themselves with them," said the druggist, "but did you ever know that there was a class of all around drug fiends?"

"I mean," continued the druggist, "the persons who make a habit of sampling all the new patent medicines as they come on the market, and also think up combinations of their own. Every long established druggist has a score of such customers. It is like this. A man will come in, take a stroll around the store, looking at the sponges and tooth brushes in a vacant way, and then say, as if the thought had just occured to him: 'Say, I hear there's a new remedy for the liver. I've forgot the name—begins with a B.' I get down the bottle. He asks me if it is any good. I reply that it has a great many testimonials and he walks off with it. The next week he comes in and buys a bottle of something for the kidneys, and the next week a sovereign remedy for consumption.

"Now this man is only one in twenty or more, and some of them bring in the most remarkable home made prescriptions—the Lord knows where they get them—and I fill them, although I can't imagine what ailment they can be good for. Do I ever remonstrate with these fiends? Not now; I used to talk to them mildly in my early days, but I only sent them to another store, so I quit. No: I don't think it does them any particular harm. Like that ancient king who fed on poisons until he got immune, these fiends are impervious to drugs, and the only danger in the practice is that they may some day become really ill, and then ordinary remedies will have no effect on them. If the physician they call in has no knowledge of their habit his prescriptions will have no more effect than so much water."—Chicago Herald.

FIDDLED HIS WAY TO VICTORY.

How the Candidate Got on the Good Side of the Voters.

"The last time I was nominated I was with the minority party, and had little hope of election. The highest flight of my ambition was to make a good showing. In the river district along the docks there was a dense population, and as the voters there went, so went the district. I was told there was no chance of making any inroads there, but I wanted to satisfy myself by personal inquiry. I happened there on the night of a little dance at the house of a rough but influential giant among the river men, and dropped in to have a talk with some of those present. My opponent had been invited, but sent his regrets. My reception was a chilling one, and I was figuring on getting away as gracefully as possible when it was discovered that the fiddler was prematurely under the influence of refreshments and could not play. A canvass of the invited guests showed that no one could supply the vital accomplishment to the festivities, and the entertainment began to assume the appearance of a dismal failure.

"'Perhaps I can help you out, gentlemen,' I volunteered with inward tremblings, for I had not touched a fiddle since I used to saw away in the kitchen at the old farm home.

"In no time they had me on the top of a barrel, fiddle, bow and resin in my hands. Their enthusiasm was an inspiration, for it meant votes. Merrily and vigorously I rendered such classics as 'Money Musk,' 'We Kept the Pig in the Parlor,' and 'O'Reilly's Reel' while the dancers shook the house and shouted approval. 'More power to his elbow,' and 'It's him as will be the nixt jidge' was the music that I heard on every hand till I gave the 'Home, Sweet Home' at 4 o'clock in the morning. I went in with a whoop and have been going in ever since."—Detroit Free Press.

STILL ANOTHER MONTH

The $1.50 Mattress

cotton top, all sizes, will be sold by us.

Mattresses made over.
Feathers steam dressed. Renovo Carpet Cleaning.

A. F. NAYLOR.

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Factory and Store. 23 SOMERSET ST

Wear Royal Worcester Corsets.
FOR SALE BY LEADING DEALERS.

L. A. HUMMER'S

VARIETY MARKET.

Meats, Fruits, Vegetables, Poultry, Eggs, etc. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.
220 Park Ave. Telephone Call, 29 A.

New Employment Office.

115 East Front street, upstairs.
MRS. E. SCHORB.
Only first-class help furnished. 10 7 3m

GOOD MEAT CUTS WELL,

but you can only tell good meat by that plan after it is cooked. You want a more previous plan of being sure of your meat. The best way we know is to buy of us, for we guarantee our meat. We buy good meat and we sell it in the pink of condition.

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Illustrated Lecture,

"Peter the Great and the Making of Russia,"

AT THE CASINO.

Thursday, Nov. 17,

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Branch stores in all Principal Cities.
Headquarters 156, 158, 160, 162, 164 Water St.' 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69 Pearl St., Brooklyn Borough, Greater New York.

Why Not Have Good Teeth?

Do not go around with dyspepsia as a result of neglected and decayed teeth. Your mouth can be made to look as good as anybody's. Save your teeth. They are worth more than ten times what it will cost.

Free consultation invited.

Best Plate	$8.00
Bridge-work	5.00
Gold Crown	5.00
Gold Filling	$1.00 and up
Silver Filling	.50 and .75
Cleaning	.75
Extracting	.25
Painless Extracting	.50

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

MEATS	Choice Young Chickens,	per lb	12c
	Choice Young Turkeys,	"	16c
	Legs of Choice Spring Lamb	"	12c
	Fresh Jersey Pork	"	10c
	Fresh Pork Sausage	"	10c
	New California Prunes,	per lb	6c
	New Dried Peaches,	"	9c
	2 lb Package Hominy, regular 9c,		5c
	3 lb Can Boston Baked Beans		6c
	3 lb Can New Tomatoes		6c
	American Sardines, (in oil)	per box	2c
FLOUR	Best Minnesota Patent Flour per Bbl. 24½ Lb. Bag		$4.43
	Best Family Flour per Bbl. 24½ Lb. Bag		$3 90
	3 lb Package Prepared Flour,		8c
	2 lb Package Hecker's Flap Jack		8c
	Best Full Cream Cheese, per lb		12c
	American Club-House Cheese, per jar		10c
	Philadelphia Cream Cheese, per pkge		10c
	Neufchatel Cream Cheese, "		3c
	Best Limburger Cheese, per lb		12c
CRACKERS	Fresh Nic Nac,	per lb	4c
	Fresh Ginger Snaps,	"	4c
	Cream Lemon Crackers,	"	7c
	Sultana Fruit " reg 13c,	"	10c
	Fine Fruit Cake,	"	13c

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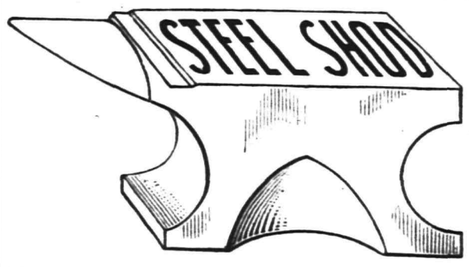

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M. C. VAN ARSDALE, 127 East Front St.

Shoes for Everybody at Lowest Cash Prices.

THE LARGEST OVERCOAT AND SUIT SALE

of the season now going on.

Do not miss the opportunity of a life time and don't buy a dollar's worth of clothing anywhere else until you have been here first of all. Everything will sell fast so come at once and don't delay. Secure yourself with an overcoat or a suit at this great sale at one third its value. Be on hand early and get the first pick.

You can see more clothing at this sale and there is more clothing sold here than in any two stores in Plainfield, and is it any wonder? When you can get the finest goods here at one third the prices you have to pay in any store in the world for goods far inferior to the clothing sold at this sale.

We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale.

Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3 75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7.25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00. Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18.00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19 00.

Dawyer or Harriss' cassimere suits at $8 90 worth $18.00. Imported melton and covert cloth overcoats at $7 50 worth $16 75. Scotch cheviot sack suits at $4.50 worth $12 00. Boys' school suits at $1 60 worth $2 75. Childrens' suits, age 3 to 8 years, at $1.00. $1.25 and $1 50 worth double. Working pants, 75c.

Men's and boys' winter suits, overcoats, ulsters and reefers by the hundred. Suits, overcoats and pants as large as 50 inches in size.

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Carfare paid to all buyers of clothing. Come early and avoid the rush.

Friday and Saturday -BARGAIN : DAYS-

The following goods are all of standard quality and offered at prices to be appreciated by bargain seekers.

10 yds. Fruit of the Loom Muslin, 36 in. wide	55c
10 yds. Dwight Anchor " " "	55c
10 yds. Atlantic A. " " "	45c
10-4 Bleached Sheets	39c
Bleached Pillow Cases	9c
Flannelettes, 10 yds	79c
Satine Covered Comfortables, filled with best White Cotton	$1.25
Silkaline Covered Comfortables, filled with finest White Cotton, extra size	$1.49
S. H & M. Velveteen Binding	22c
Lily Dress Shields	21c
Canfield Dress Shields	20c
"Triumph" Hook Eye, card	2c
"Rapid" " " "	5c
"Triumph" Dress Stays	8c
"Carmen" " "	15c
All the 25c and 30c Veilings, newest styles, at	21c
Chesebrough Vaseline	4c
Royal Bersted Talcum Powder	8c
Glycerine, Oatmeal and Turkish Bath Soap	3c

The above prices are for Friday and Saturday only, and will not be given on any other day.

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CARLOAD FRESH FISH

This afternoon and tomorrow morning, at the "Fish Car," located at the Grant Avenue Freight Station of the C. R. R., Plainfield avenue and South Second street.

Live Jersey Codfish	5c lb
" " " Steak	7c lb (4 lbs. for 25c.)
Fine Flounders	6c lb
Weakfish, fancy large stock	7c lb
Striped Bass	8c lb
Sunfish	8c lb
Fine Pickerel	8c lb
Eels	8c lb
Coscoes or Whitefish 7c lb., 4 lbs	25c
Whole Salmon	10c lb
Centre cuts and slices	12c lb
Finnan Haddies	7c lb
(Our own curing and smoking.)	
Oysters	20c and 25c qt
Clams	50c for 100
Rockaway Oysters in shell	55c for 100

Long Branch Fish Co.

CYCLISTS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:50 a. m.
Sun Sets 4:40 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 5.40 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Unsettled Weather with Rain This Afternoon and Tonight, followed by Fair Saturday; Stationary Temperature. Thermometer 58.

ESTABLISHED MAY 10, 1887. PLAINFIELD, N. J., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1898. TWO CENTS A COPY—$5 A YEAR.

A "HARVEST HOME" FOR THE HOSPITAL.

Gigantic Donation Party Bringing All Kinds of Articles.

LADIES WERE IN CHARGE.

TEA WAS SERVED AND PLEASANT SOCIAL CHATS ENJOYED.

Notwithstanding the Disagreeable Weather There Was a Large Attendance—A Large Amount of Fruit and Vegetables Were Sent, Besides Much Needlework — Everyone's Services Given.

Yesterday afternoon was the time set for holding the harvest home at the Muhlenberg Hospital, and in spite of the rain and disagreeable weather, the affair was more of a success than the ladies had anticipated. The harvest home was nothing more than a gigantic domestic party, at which tea was served, and a good social time enjoyed. As for the donations, they found places in the cellar, in the hallway and all over the building, and were so plentiful that it will take some time to distribute them fully.

The harvest home was held in the nurses' home, which was prettily decorated with autumn products of the fields and gardens. In one room a daity tea table was presided over by the ladies, who served tea, cake and crackers with generous hospitality.

The Woman's Auxiliary Board had charge of the harvest home, and the officers, Mrs. Daniel T. VanBuren, president; Miss Elizabeth Cock, Mrs. Samuel Huntington, Mrs. George M. Randall, Miss Emilie Schipper, Miss Henrietta Haviland, Mrs. William E. Lowe and Miss Mary Eleanor Tweedy, received the people as they came and tried to personally thank each one for what they brought.

Everybody was supposed to bring a donation of some kind with them, either in the shape of vegetables, fruit, canned goods, provisions, jelly, clothing or money, and as they were brought in the officers of the auxiliary, assisted by the associate members, all of whom were distinguished by the absence of their hats and a large white badge, bearing on it a red cross conspicuously displayed, disposed of them in their proper places.

Ever since early yesterday morning until late at night the expressmen of the city, all of whom gave their services gratuitously, were busy carting goods from this part of the city and the other to the hospital. By 7 o'clock, when the harvest home was over, the cellar was a mass of barrels, boxes and baskets, containing apples, potatoes, sugar, flour, pumpkins, squashes and everything in that line. One room upstairs contained 175 articles of underclothing, linen, towels, etc., given by the members of the City Needle Work Guild.

In another room was a great pile of jellies and canned goods, 200 glasses of which had been given by small children through Mrs. O. T. Waring, who canvassed for it.

The committee in charge of the harvest home consisted of Mrs. D. T. VanBuren, chairman; Mrs. A. W. Kleinecke, chairman of the committee on decorations and private schools; Mrs Guion, chairman of the committee to solicit from the churches; Mrs. E. Johnson, public schools, and Mrs. E. T. Barrows and Mrs. W. A. Pinto on the tea table and the refreshments.

The supper rooms were thrown open to inspection, and many of the visitors availed themselves of this chance to inspect for the first time the snug apartments of the nurses. Several members of the board of governors were present, as were also Drs. Hedges and Murray. The harvest home proved such a success that it is the intention of the ladies to repeat it annually hereafter.

Borough Realty Changes.

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the Somerset County Clerk's office last week: Catherine A. Kenney and husband to Mary R. Loomis, North Plainfield, $1; Mary R. Loomis to David D. Kenney, North Plainfield, $1; Harriet Stafford to Thomas H Stafford, North Plainfield, $; Isaac J. Stites et ux to Saron D. Stites, North Plainfield, $1,600.

Secretary McCall to Lead.

Donald McCall, State secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will lead the 4:15 meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday. Mr. McCall, when in this city a month ago, was well received. During the anniversary exercises he spoke in two churches and addressed a Gospel meeting. Miss Louella C. Harris, of the First Baptist church choir, will sing, and there will also be the male choir.

—Press want ads bring results.

DROVE THREE ABREAST.

CITY JUDGE DEMEZA SAID THAT WASN'T RIGHT.

So He Found Wm. Baldwin, N. B. Smalley and C. V. D. Corle Guilty of Reckless Driving—Policemen Made the Complaint.

After various delays three prominent horsemen of this city were arraigned this morning before City Judge Demeza for trial on the charge of fast and reckless driving. They were William Baldwin, Newton B. Smalley and C. V. D. Corle.

The circumstances that led to their arrest occurred October 28th. Chief Grant and Roundsman Flynn were out on their wheels looking over the city. They were riding townward on Park avenue and had just passed the Cedar brook bridge when they met the three horsemen approaching. According to the statements of the officers they were driving three abreast and at a three-minute clip. The Chief and his companion hailed them and notified them to appear before the City Judge.

This morning they appeared and protested to the Judge that they were driving at an ordinary gait and were not racing. The Judge held that they should not have been driving three abreast, as they admitted they were, even if they were not speeding their horses. He decided that they were guilty of reckless driving, and reserved his sentence until a week from tomorrow morning.

ELEVEN LABORERS KILLED.

Run Down By a Train on the Hackensack Meadows.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New York, Nov. 18—Eleven men were killed, two probably fatally injured, and four seriously hurt, by being run down by the Millstone local train of the Pennsylvania Road, on the Hackensack Meadows, just west of the Hackensack river, at 8:15 o'clock this morning.

The men were laborers at work repairing the railroad tracks on the outskirts of the town of Harrison. William Quirk, of 182 Steuben street, Jersey City, the foreman in charge of the men, escaped injury, but nearly everybody was either killed outright or injured.

FOURTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hoagland Celebrate an Auspicious Event.

The fourth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin E. Hoagland, of West Front street, was celebrated last evening in a pleasant manner, and in a way that was a surprise to the celebrants. About 8 o'clock, twenty-two intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hoagland called at their home and found them in an unexpected mood. They were wholly unaware of the intended invasion, but in their usual happy manner, they cordially received their guests and made them feel at home.

The evening was marked with many pleasant features, and the guests participated in many amusements to pass the time enjoyably. There was vocal and instrumental music, games, etc., and at a late hour a bountiful supper was served by the host and hostess. Everyone present wished the host and hostess many happy returns of the day, and when the guests departed for home they all agreed that the evening had been pleasantly and profitably spent.

Mr. Serrell Denies.

To the Editor of The Daily Press.—I wish to deny the exclusive news published in your columns last night, attributed to me, that the Plainfield Street Railway Company would apply once more for a franchise to Scotch Plains, if they could get the Board of Trade to back them up. Such is not the case, and I wish when you take the trouble to attribute any statements to me hereafter you would first ask my permission and verification of such news as you propose to publish. L. Wm. Serrell.

[The authority for the statement made in The Daily Press yesterday, in which Mr. Serrell's name was used, was Harry C. Runyon, secretary of the Board of Trade.—EDITOR.]

Entertained at Whist.

The Thursday Night Whist Club was entertained Wednesday night by Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue, and the entire membership was present. The first prize for the women was won by Miss May MacLoughlin. Miss Charlotte Messersmith and Miss Force also won prizes, and the men's prize was won by Edward Clark. After the play the members indulged in dancing, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

POLITICAL.

ROCKFELLOW STILL REPUBLICAN CHOICE.

Most Prominent Candidate for Mayoralty Nomination.

WAS MAYOR ONCE BEFORE.

ELECTED SUCCESSIVELY ON DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN TICKETS.

It is Understood That he Will Accept the Nomination if Tendered to Him—Is Not Gunning for it, However—Marion S. Ackerman Out of it—Councilman Buckle Proposed by His Friends.

Who is going to be Plainfield's next mayor? It is an interesting subject but no one knows the answer as yet. It is not quite as difficult to name the Republican candidate for that office. It is too early in the campaign to make any definite predictions but, from present appearances, the choice of the G. O. P. will probably devolve on George W. Rockfellow. The Daily Press was the first to note his growing popularity for the office and to point him out as a likely candidate. While Mr. Rockfellow is in no sense gunning after the nomination, it is understood by those in power that he will not refuse the nomination if tendered to him. Of that fact, they are quite certain.

Mr. Rockfellow has had experience in that line having been chief executive for two terms. In the early '80's he was elected at the head of the Democratic ticket. His affiliations changed, however, and the next term he ran successfully for Mayor on the Republican ticket. He is in no sense a politician, but has devoted his time to his business and built up a large trade for his grocery at the corner of Park avenue and West Fourth street. A few years ago, he was made a member of the Plainfield Board of Health and was elected president of it. Not believing in all the methods pursued he resigned and has since had nothing to do with city affairs.

Other men have been mentioned for the mayoralty nomination on the Republican side, but none of the booms have shown much strength as yet.

Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, was mentioned for the place but he utterly declined to allow his friends to do anything in his behalf, saying that he would not take it under any circumstances. Councilman J. F. Buckle, of Westervelt avenue, has also been spoken of. Mr. Buckle is not after it and it is doubtful whether his business duties would allow him to take it. He has the advantages of being a local business man who is quite popular with all. Last year he was the only Republican Councilman-at-large elected on the ticket against the Citizens' candidate.

THE DEVIL'S TOOLS.

Commences With a Cigarette and Ends With a Bottle of Rum.

"The Devil in the Box," was the unique subject of the meeting in Reform Hall last night. J. H. Sayers was the speaker, and illustrated his talk with different articles which he drew out of the box, and made his address and object lesson.

The first thing was a paper cigarette, which, Mr Sayers said, was the devil's first tool. Then came a clay pipe, a yellow-covered border novel, a pack of cards and what usually accompanies it, so Mr Sayers said, sweet cider, the "Devil's kindling wood." Last of all came a bottle of whiskey, and in this way the speaker illustrated a young man's downfall, beginning with the cigarette and ending a confirmed sot.

A Missionary Circle.

A meeting was held at Monroe Avenue church Wednesday evening for the purpose of organizing a missionary circle. Several addresses were made by people interested in missionary work, and the probability is that a circle will be organized at an early date.

Taxes Not all Paid.

The item that appeared in the News regarding the delinquent taxes of the borough is wholly unture. All of the 1897 taxes are now due and are unpaid and it is the desire of the Mayor and Council that they be paid as quickly as possible.

To Attend Divine Services.

The members of Somerset Council, No. 104, and Franklin Council, No. 31, Jr. O. U. A M., will attend divine services in the First M. E. church next Sunday evening, and listen to a sermon by Rev. W. C. Snodgrass.

DEMOCRATS WILL NOT ASSERT THEMSELVES.

Deemed "Unwise" to Have a Straight Party Ticket.

THINK THEY ARE TOO WEAK.

DECISION ONLY ARRIVED AT AFTER LIVELY DISCUSSION.

Resolutions Introduced Urging a Party Ticket, But it was Defeated by a Large Delegation of Citizens' Movement Men—Councilman Hetfield Spokesman for the Citizens' Party People of Plainfield.

The meeting of the Democratic Association in Councilman Moffet's office on North avenue last night was largely attended and typically Democratic in that everyone had his say concerning a straight party ticket, though the result was slightly incongruous in the fact that the Citizens' movement was tacitly endorsed by the decision that it was deemed unwise at this time to put up a straight party ticket

The meeting was called to order by President John H. Hillman, and the routine association business quickly dispensed with. Under the head of new business, W. W. St. John presented the following resolution:

"Resolved, That it is the duty of the Democratic party to lead in the movement for an honest and fair administration of city government and we deem it wise and proper that complete ward and city nominations for the various officers to be elected at the approaching election be made by the Democratic voters of Plainfield, and to that end we urge that the proper authorities issue a call for the holding of ward primaries and the city convention as soon as a favorable date is settled upon."

After the resolutions had been read and seconded, James E. Martine arose and supported them in an enthusiastic speech. Mr. Martine referred to the fact that the Democratic party was the party of the people, and that as the present city government had become distasteful to the people it was the duty of the Democrats to carry the fight successfully against the Republicans. This Mr. Martine thought was possible in view of the fact that a thorough organization had been undertaken and was willing and ready to go into the campaign it would be highly inconsistent for the party to lose their identity and leave the members to affiliate with a movement that had started with a lot of disgrunted Republicans who were unable to get satisfaction from their political associates, but instead were now trying to use the Democrats as catspaws to accomplish their purposes. If the Citizens' win this year, Mr. Martine said, the Republicans who were now pleading for non-partisanship would, when once elected to office, if they should be so fortunate, become the bitter partisians and the Democrats would find little consolation in such an outcome. Mr Martine said that he was emphatically in favor of a straight Democratic ticket.

F. M. Bacon spoke a few words against the straight Democratic ticket, and then Councilman W. L. Hetfield, as the principal spokesman for the faction that opposed a Democratic ticket, spoke at some length concerning the local situation as he viewed it. He did not think think the Democrats could win alone, and he considered thet the Republicans who were in the Citizens' movement were the best element of the party and would act in a perfectly fair and honest spirit with the Democrats. He believed that a Citizens' ticket would sweep the city on election day.

After remarks had been made by a number of others for and against the resolutions, Mr. Hetfield moved as an amendment that the resolutions be made to read that "we deem it unwise at this time to nominate complete ward and city nominations." More discussion of a lively kind ensued on the amendment, and when the question was called W. W. St. John moved that a recess of five minutes be taken for the enrollment of names as members of the Association, and that none but members be allowed to vote. This was declared out of order, and then Mr. St. John moved that the vote be taken by ballot, and when this was also defeated he moved that the roll of members be called on the vote.

Inasmuch as a majority of the Citi-

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CITIZENS' WILL GO STRAIGHT AHEAD NOW.

They Will Make Their Organization Formal Tonight.

DEPEND ON DEMOCRATS.

ADMITTED THAT DEMOCRATS HELD THE KEY TO SUCCESS.

And Now That the Democrats Have Decided to Lose Their Identity and Go in and Help the Dissatisfied Republicans the Citizens' Movement is Expected to Accomplish Wonders.

The dissatisfied ones in the Second ward fell into line last evening. They decided to give their support to a Citizens' ticket provided the Democrats agreed not to place a straight ticket in the field. The Democrats complied and the action of those who gathered last evening will be ratified by a much larger meeting this evening.

The meeting in the Second ward was held at the Bird mill and was attended by nearly a score of well known business men and property owners of the ward together with some of the prominent workers in the Citizens' movement from other parts of the city. It was entirely informal and no organization was made. The general sentiment was against the present administration and a wish that it might be defeated at the primaries or at the polls.

It was believed that a citizens' ticket would run well in the ward, provided that there was no Democratic split in the movement. All seemed confident of winning by uniting all the opposition against the G. O. P. It was decided to wait the result of the meeting of the Democrats and if they decided to join the Citizens' movement, to hold another meeting at the Bird mill this evening when the regular Citizens' organization will be completed and a committee of ten appointed to confer with the similar committees from other wards. As the Democrats withdrew from the fight as a party, the meeting will be held tonight.

REMEMBER THE POOR.

Relief Association's Annual Appeal for Thanksgiving Dinners.

The Relief Association makes its annual appeal to the people of Plainfield for Thanksgiving dinners to be given to its beneficiaries. Contributions of money, poultry, vegetables and groceries, will be most gratefully received. In the way of poultry, small turkeys and chickens are most acceptable.

To avoid duplication it is earnestly requested that the churches and King's Daughters circles send their lists of beneficiaries to Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, 544 West Front street. These names will be held in confidence. If the donations can be sent to the rooms, 544 West Front street, Tuesday, so far as possible, or early Wednesday morning, it will be greatly appreciated by the association.

Marion S. Dumont,
Secretary.

Mr. Grigg's Kind Offer.

Many will be pleased to learn that William T. Grigg, who for a number of years has so ably managed and illustrated the lectures of Garret P. Serviss, has kindly offered his services to the McCall Auxiliary, and will take charge of the pictorial part of the lecture to be delivered by Mrs. Mitchell Tyng, in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church tomorrow evening. Mrs. Tyng is an accomplished speaker, and will tell of the work among the porcelain workers of of Leinoges, in St. Etienne.

To Facilitate Work.

The United States Express Company are about to put a speaking tube from their office to the platform outside. This will put the office in direct communication with what is going on outside. The men on the platform can "call off" without coming inside, and when some one on the platform is wanted inside the office, he can be made acquainted with that fact much more easily then than now.

Broke Arm and Leg.

James Brown, of Glen Gardiner, was brought to Plainfield on the 2:07 train this afternoon. Wednesday he fell from a door and broke his left arm and leg. The accident occurred at the steel works at High Bridge. He was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital in the ambulance.

The Watchung Euchre Club will meet tomorrow evening and be entertained by once of its members.

MAY ABOLISH HANGING.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS PREPARES MEMORIAL FOR LEGISLATURE.

The Shrewsbury and Plainfield Half-Yearly Meeting Held at Watchung Avenue Meeting House Yesterday—Last Attendance.

The Shrewsbury and Plainfield half-yearly meeting of the Society of Friends opened in the Friends' meeting house on Watchung avenue Wednesday afternoon and closed this morning. Some eighty-five members of the local Friends were present with a dozen visitors. Most prominent were the members of the visiting committee of the New York yearly meeting. Two members of the meeting in California, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bariglit, were present. Joel Borton, of Woodstown, N. J., was the prominent visiting minister.

The meeting began Wednesday afternoon with a gathering of the ministers and deacons at the meeting house for a brief service. In the evening a youth's meeting was held. It was of a religious character.

Yesterday morning a service for worship began at 11 o'clock and continued until after 12 o'clock. Then followed the business session of the meeting. The meeting was under the direction of the clerk, J. Edward Borden, of Eatontown, this State. The clerk, Mr Borden, and the assistant clerk, Margaret F. Vail, were reappointed to their respective offices.

A memorial was prepared by several of the members and presented to the business session. It was decided to bring it before the State Legislature. It asked for the abolition of the death penalty. A greeting was also extended to the general conference of the Young Friends' Association at Westchester, the 19th. At the close of the business meeting luncheon was served to the members on the upper floor of the meeting house. A committee of the local Friends, composed of Marietta V. Adams, Clara S. Rushmore, Catherine R. Webster, Ephraim M. Vail, Adelbert Vail, Edith G. Vail and others, was in charge.

At the meeting in the afternoon, reports were heard from the Friends' conferences held during the past summer at Richmond, Indiana. The work of the philanthropic conference was especially noticed in the reports. The principal speakers were Mr. and Mrs. William M. Jackson, of New York and Phoebe C. Wright, of Manasquan. The meeting was held under the direction of the Philanthropic committee of which Margaret F. Vail is the clerk.

The evening session was in the interest of the work done in the colored schools in South Carolina. The methods of work and something of what has been accomplished in the education of the colored children was interestingly told by Anna M. Jackson, of New York. Her remarks were illustrated with views from a stereopticon.

The half-yearly meeting closed this morning with a service for worship which began at 11 o'clock. The attendance at the meetings was very good.

DEATH OF MRS. CRITTENDEN.

Occurred Last Evening After an Illness of Two Months.

The death of Mrs. Eliza A. Crittenden, of No. 90 Grove street, mother of Mrs. John H. Carman, of Watchung avenue, occurred last evening after an illness lasting about two months. She was the widow of the late Joseph H. Crittenden, who was a very prominent leather merchant in Cleveland, O., for nearly forty years. Mrs. Crittenden was a native of New York State. She moved to Plainfield five years ago, where she resided until her death. She was a member of the Crescent Avenue church of this city, and while her health would not permit her being actively engaged in Christian work, she gave largely of her means. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. J. H. Carman, Mrs. Palmer, of this city, and Miss Minnie Crittenden. The funeral services will be held from the late home, No. 90 Grove street, Sunday afternoon next at 2:30 o'clock.

Divorce Proceedings.

Divorce proceedings have been started by Mrs. Lizzie Wilson, of Plainfield avenue, against her husband, John Wilson, of Raritan, on the ground of desertion. They were married in November 1894, at Perth Amboy. In July, 1895, Mrs. Wilson claims her husband left her and has not since contributed toward her support. The papers were filed at Trenton this morning by Judge DeMeza, lawer for the petitioner.

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Annual Institute of the Primary Teachers' Union.

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PAPER READ BY A WORKER IN JOHN WANAMAKER'S SCHOOL.

An Afternoon and Evening Session—Greetings Received From the State and County Unions—Miss Harlow's Address was Full of Original and Practical Ideas and Very Entertaining.

The annual institute and third anniversary of the Plainfield Primary Sunday-school Teachers' Union, was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the lecture room of the First Baptist church, and was very largely attended by members of the union and teachers from many neighboring places, including Westfield, Elizabeth, Somerville, Cranford and Scotch Plains.

The services were opened at 3 o'clock in the afternoon with a song and praise service under the direction of Mrs. Powlison, of the Plainfield union. This was followed with greetings from the unions, city, county and State. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church, spoke for the city, and his remarks were full of good cheer and help. The county was represented by Rev. J. S. Braker, of Scotch Plains, president of the Union County Sunday-school Association, and he brought good tidings from all parts of the county. He told of how favorably the work of the Sunday-school was progressing and he bid all God speed. The last greeting was from Rev. E. M. Fergusson, of Trenton, General Secretary of the New Jersey Sunday-school Association. His remarks were along the line of work being accomplished in all parts of the State, and from what he said every Sunday-school worker has reason to feel encouraged.

Miss Nettie Beeching, president of the local union, was in charge of the services, and at this time she introduced Miss Anna S. Harlow, superintendent of the primary department of Bethany Sunday-school, of Philadelphia. Miss Harlow taught the lesson for next Sunday which is "Manasseh's Sin and Repentance." Miss Harlow is an exceedingly interesting and talented speaker, and she held the closest attention of all during her talk. She made use of practical illustrations, and this interested the large number of boys and girls present.

Following the lesson a highly interesting paper was read by Mrs. F. R. Baker, of the local union. The paper was prepared by Miss Himes, and the subject was "Child Study." It was brimful of practical suggestions, and proved very helpful to every teacher present. The afternoon session was closed with prayer, after which supper was served in the rooms connecting with the lecture room. The members of the local union were in charge and bountifully provided for all.

In the evening following the devotional exercises, the large audience had the pleasure of listening to "Echoes from the Summer School," by Wm. D. Murray. This talk was thoroughly enjoyable and proved interesting as well as helpful This part of the programme was followed with a solo by Miss Nancy Randolph, after which an intensely interesting address was delivered by Miss Harlow, of Philadelphia, on the subject "As Iron Sharpeneth Iron." The address was a unique one from the fact that so many new and original ideas were presented for consideration. The power of Sunday-school teaching and work was shown in a forcible manner, and every word was listened to with the deepest interest. Following this address the benediction was pronounced and a short time was passed socially by those present.

Donation Party for Pastor.

A pleasant surprise party, in the shape of a donation, was tendered to Rev. James E. Groves, of Mt. Zion A. M. E. church, last night. The pastor was invited by one of his church people to accompany him to another member's house to spend the evening. Instead he was taken to the church, where the members awaited him. The donations were large, and will keep the pastor without want for several months. Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

Inspected a G. A. R. Post.

Last evening Department Commander Wm. C Smith and staff, together with a large delegation from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., went to Somerville to attend Wadsworth Post. The occasion was the annual inspection by the Department officers.

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SPAIN MUST ACCEPT TERMS

Washington Authorities Are Confident as to the Outcome at Paris. Spain Looks for Arbitration to Decide Whether the Disposition of the Philippines is Within the Scope of the Present Commission.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—While the administration authorities plainly state that they have received no official advices from Paris since the Spanish answer was submitted Wednesday, they express the utmost satisfaction, which apparently amounts to confidence, over the outcome.

They will not admit that any unofficial advices giving the purport of the Spanish communication, have been received, but apparently some intimation, to put it mildly, has been conveyed to the administration that the Spaniards realize that they cannot resist the demands of the United States and are preparing to submit.

They do not express surprise that such a proposal has been submitted, and it is plain from the guarded remarks made that such a contingency had already been considered and a decision reached as to the course to be pursued by the United States should the Spaniards refuse to do so.

It may be accepted as final that this government will adhere strictly to the demands made known to the Spanish commissioners when the discussion of the Philippine question was reached in the negotiations.

Spain must agree to relinquish claim to sovereignty in the entire archipelago, and then the United States government will agree to discuss the amount of money to be paid to Spain to indemnify her for permanent "pacific" improvements in the islands.

Beyond that the United States will make no concession.

It is a case of Spanish acquiescence in the American conditions or a resumption of hostilities.

So earnest are the president and his cabinet in the demand, that the instructions to the American commissioners concerning the Philippines have been emphasized in several dispatches sent to Mr. Day last week and this week.

A high officer of the government said recently, when it was suggested to him that Spain might offer to arbitrate:

"You may make it as emphatic as you please that under no circumstances will the United States agree to submit to the arbitration of any outside power or person the question involved in the American demands to the Spaniards."

No surprise is expressed in official circles that the American commissioners have not informed this government of the contents of the Spanish note.

It is a long document, and the time consumed in its translation from Spanish into English and then into the state department cipher, and its transmission over the wires to Washington could very well extend over the twenty-four hours that have elapsed since its presentation to the American commissioners.

Spain's Latest Demand.

Madrid, Nov. 18.—The decision of the Spanish peace commissioners to demand the arbitration of the matter of the sovereignty of the Philippines is announced here.

The Spanish peace commissioners at Wednesday's joint session of the commission, submitted a long reply to the demands of the United States respecting the Philippines.

Incidentally the Spaniards reiterated their refusal to consider the American demand for the cession of the archipelago.

But the important part of the Spanish document is a proposal to submit to arbitration the point whether or not the question of the sovereignty of the Philippines is within the scope of the decision of the present commission at Paris.

The Spaniards, in the document, assert that although the Spanish and American constructions of the scope of the protocol are so divergent that an agreement is practically impossible, Spain earnestly desires to avoid a rupture of the negotiations.

The Spanish government fully recognizes that the United States is urging its present demands in perfect good faith, and in the full belief that it had reserved the right to make them in drawing the terms of the protocol.

Spain was also sincere in her confidence when she signed the protocol that the sovereignty of her Philippines was not imperilled thereby.

The point of difference is honest and vital. It is also irreconcilable as between the opposing sides.

The situation calls, say the Spaniards in their reply, for the submission of the dispute to some impartial mind whose decision shall be binding.

Spain therefore proposes that the protocol and the preliminary correspondence and circumstances be placed before some mutually agreed neutral person, who shall decide whether the question of the sovereignty of the Philippines is within the scope of the decision of the present commission or not.

Madrid, Nov. 18.—Almost all the papers deprecate the dilatory proceedings at Paris, expressing their belief that the United States will decline arbitration, and urging the government to yield quickly, since it is impossible for Spain to renew the struggle or to expect European assistance, and furthermore, because it would be better to cease wasting money and to concentrate attention on Spain's domestic affairs, and the restoration of her finances.

A Chinese Town Looted.

Shanghai, Nov. 18.—The rebels have attacked and looted the town of Kwei-Fu, in the Upper Yang-Tse-Kiang valley, and have burned the Catholic mission there.

INSURGENTS SURROUND ILOILO.

Situation in the Visayas Islands is Considered Critical.

Manila, Nov. 18.—The United States cruiser Charleston and the gunboat Concord have returned here from Iloilo. They report the situation of the Spanish there as critical in the extreme.

The insurgents are attacking Molo and Jaro, large villages adjacent to Iloilo, where are located the Spanish outworks for the defence of the capital.

The insurgents completely surround Iloilo, stopping all traffic with the interior of the island of Panay.

The negroes have risen and the revolution is gaining strength daily throughout the Visayas.

There is more trouble for Aguinaldo in the northern part of the island of Luzon. Two provinces are in revolt against the Tagallo governors and demand that Aguinaldo appoint officers from their tribes. Six thousand men, armed with insurgent rifles, are supporting the revolt.

The revenue cutter McCulloch, the first ship of Admiral Dewey's battle squadron to leave, started for home yesterday.

The other ships gave her a great send off. As the McCulloch steamed through the squadron flying a homeward bound pennant over two hundred feet long, every ship called all hands to cheer.

Each ship manned her rigging and the bands played "Auld Lang Syne," "The Girl I Left Behind Me," and other tunes.

The McCulloch will call at many Chinese and Japanese ports to show her flag. It is expected that she will reach San Francisco in February.

Madrid, Nov. 18.—A dispatch from General Rios, governor of the Visayas Islands, dated at Iloilo, says that the situation there is unchanged. The insurrection is still spreading and the Spanish troops maintain a defensive attitude.

Dr. Stephen H. Tyng Dead.

Paris, Nov. 18.—Dr. Stephen H. Tyng, formerly president of the American Chamber of Commerce in this city, is dead.

New York, Nov. 18.—Dr. Stephen Higginson Tyng was formerly rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, in Forty-second street, this city. He was the son of the Rev. Dr. Stephen Higginson Tyng, the late distinguished rector of St. George's church. The son was born in Philadelphia on June 28, 1839.

Dr. Tyng, in 1865 organized the Church of the Holy Trinity, and erected a church building in Forty-second street.

Dr. Tyng resigned his pastorate in 1881 and went to Paris as the agent of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association.

He became the association's director general for Continental Europe in 1867 and retained this office up to the time of his death.

Dr. Tyng was tried in 1867, while rector of Holy Trinity, for preaching in a Methodist church in New Jersey, this being an offense under canon law.

He was found guilty and was censured by the Bishop of New York. He took a prominent part in the Moody and Sankey revival in 1875.

The Formidable Launched.

Portsmouth, Eng., Nov. 18.—Thousands of people yesterday witnessed the launching of the ram battleship Formidable at the dock yard here.

She is said to be the largest warship in the world, being of fifteen thousand tons displacement.

She is a twin screw vessel, four hundred feet long, has seventy-five feet beam, and draws twenty-six feet nine inches of water. She cost more than one million pounds, and is estimated to steam at a speed of eighteen knots an hour.

She will be armed with four twelve-inch guns in hooded barbettes, twelve six-inch quick firing guns, eighteen twelve-pounders, twelve three-pounders, and eight Maxim guns, and is intended to carry seven hundred and fifty men.

Rival for Bailey.

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 18.—The Alabama congressional delegation met here and decided to put forward Representative John H. Bankhead for the Democratic leadership of the next House.

This means that the contest for the complimentary vote for speaker to be given by the Democrats will be between Mr. Bankhead and Mr. Bailey of Texas.

Mr. Bankhead's friends say that he will get the votes of all eastern Democrats and a majority from the South Atlantic and Gulf states.

Phya Visuddha Sees Chicago.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—Phya Visuddha, the newly accredited minister plenipotentiary from Siam to this country, is in Chicago.

He is accompanied by his private secretary, L. C. Bateman.

Mr. Visuddha is accredited to the court of St. James as well as to this country. He presented his credentials to President McKinley last Saturday. His visit to Chicago is part of a tour of the country to acquaint himself with its general character and resources. He probably will remain here several days.

Lawyers Want Choate to Succeed Hay.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 18.—Members of the Cleveland Bench and Bar have sent a petition to President McKinley asking for the appointment of Joseph H. Choate of New York as ambassador to the court of St. James.

The same influences are said to be at work to secure for Congressman T. E. Burton of this city the appointment of chairman of the committee on rivers and harbors, in place of Warren B. Hooker of New York.

Capt. Joseph B. Foraker Out.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—Captain Joseph B. Foraker, Jr., assistant adjutant general, volunteers, is honorably discharged, to take effect December 31, 1898, his services being no longer required.

He is a son of Senator Foraker and has been for some time, until lately, in Cuba.

LIFE AT CAMP WIKOFF

Testimony of Dr. Forwood About Its Conditions.

SUPPLIES WERE PLENTIFUL

Claim that Medical Supplies Were Abundant. The Typhoid Fever Cases. Critics of the Camp Accused. Many Killed by Kindness.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—Dr. W. H. Forwood, colonel and assistant surgeon general in the regular army, continued his testimony before the war inquiry commission yesterday concerning conditions at Montauk Point, where he was chief army surgeon.

He said that from the beginning to the end of the history of the general hospital at Camp Wikoff there was never a time when there were not from fifty to five hundred vacant beds.

Many patients soon after arriving, were sent away to hospitals in neighboring cities, largely in response to public clamor. The patients taken away were largely typhoid cases, and were selected chiefly because it was believed not wise to allow typhoid cases to accumulate at Montauk.

Speaking of the nurses he said that there was a considerable number of hospital corps men who had been trained in the post hospitals before the female nurses arrived. This was limited training, but it rendered the men much more efficient than they otherwise would have been.

Dr. Forwood said that he had expected that typhoid fever would break out in the hospital, but he never had expected that the troops would remain there long enough to cause an epidemic of this disease. As it was, he did not believe that there had been a case originating in Camp Wikoff.

He declared that there had been a sufficiency of medicines and medical supplies at all times, a wasteful abundance, in fact. Notwithstanding this fact there was complaint of the scarcity of medical supplies and medicines, due largely to the fact that the doctors often required proprietary medicines, which were not kept in hand. No requisitions were required in getting medicines.

Dr. Conner read a letter from Major M. W. Wood, a regular army surgeon, dated at Montauk, in August, complaining that there was a pressing want of medical supplies, and that the camp was in a deplorable condition.

Dr. Forwood said Dr. Wood was disappointed because he did not get a leave of absence immediately after arriving from Cuba, which he had asked for, although his services were needed. General Wheeler had refused to grant this request.

"From that time," said Dr. Forwood, "he was constantly kicking and bucking. He was disgruntled and disloyal, and found fault with everything. For instance, he said that the well water was polluted, declaring he would not take a drink of it for $5."

A dispatch was read from General Wheeler saying that Dr. Wood had failed to secure medicines only because he had not sent for them.

Dr. Forwood declared that the complaints concerning the purity of the water at Montauk had originated with men who had filters and distilling apparatus for sale. The water was pure and plentiful. The transportation facilities of the camp were poor and that often the vehicles received were not complete in their equipment.

He had annulled the contracts of two or three contract surgeons because of incompetency, but he knew of no case of neglect on the part of physicians or nurses of a character to compromise the welfare of the patients.

Many physicians had come to the camp at the instance of the newspapers, generally for a compensation of about 50. Among these was Dr. Lee, who was a personal friend of his, and he had told the doctor to look the camp over and criticise whenever he found occasion for criticism. The doctor had written his article, making parts of it very flattering, but he was very much disgusted, after the appearance of the matter, to find that all the complimentary portion of it had been expunged.

Dr. Edson's predictions as to the camp had not been realized. Dr. Stimpson had spoken of the conduct of the kitchens. As a matter of fact the kitchens were in the most expert hands.

Miss Helen Gould had supplied a number of chefs, and most of these were from the kitchens of the wealthiest people of New York city. He had talked with one of them who had been with W. H. Vanderbilt for more than three years. As a matter of fact the hospitals never were so abundantly supplied. The army rations were supplemented by everything that could be found in the larder of the Waldorf-Astoria, including roast turkey, pheasants, squabs, lambs, sheep, pigs, game of all kinds, pate de foie gras, mineral waters, the finest champagnes and liquors.

At one time he had noticed eight barrels of brandy, and a large number of cases of wine. There was so much apollinaris water that it was in the way, and when a nurse came for a bottle they would offer her a case instead.

He said that the newspaper men at the camp were gentlemen, but they appeared to be under orders to criticise the camp.

He knew of two instances in which the reporters had received orders to "roast everything." He had told them not to spare where they found criticism justified.

In conclusion Dr. Forwood said that many patients who had been removed by their friends, had died, and that in many instances their deaths were due to the kindness of those who had taken them in charge.

Prairies in a Blaze.

Sioux City, Nov. 18.—In Brown, Rock and Dixon counties, Nebraska, thousands of acres have been swept by prairie fires, and grain, barns and several houses have been destroyed by the flames.

In Gregory, Todd and Tripp counties, South Dakota, the range is on fire and many cattle are reported lost.

A PECULIAR REMEDY.

Something About the New Discovery for Curing Dyspepsia.

The Rev. F. I. Bell, a highly esteemed minister residing in Weedsport, Cayuga Co., N. Y., in a recent letter writes as follows: "There has never been anything that I have taken that has relieved the Dyspepsia from which I have suffered for ten years except the new remedy called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Since taking them I have had no distress at all after eating and again after long years CAN SLEEP WELL. Rev. F. I. Bell, Weedsport, N. Y., formerly, Idalia, Colo."

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TO CHECK YELLOW FEVER.

Important Investigations in Cuba and the South that Promise Well.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The yellow fever problem has been receiving attention from the authorities here, particularly the Marine Hospital service and the war department, owing to the important new relations established with Cuba and other fever localities to the south of us, and because of the recurrence of the disease within this country during the last summer.

The purpose is to prepare during the coming winter months for such an efficient cordon of protection around the country that the chances of a reintroduction of the disease will be reduced to a minimum, while the points of infection in Cuba and elsewhere will be so improved by sanitation and guarded by quarantine that the main sources of danger will be removed.

Already the Marine Hospital service has begun its work of establishing a cordon of quarantine around Cuba. A large floating disinfecting plant is in operation in Havana harbor and a similar plant is at Santiago, although not in operation.

The work of Messrs. Wasdin and Geddings is considered particularly important, as they were especially appointed by the president to ascertain the causes of yellow fever.

Their preliminary report to the surgeon general is said to be one of the most important contributions to medical science made in recent years, as it practically sustains the Sanarelli theory that yellow fever is the outgrowth of a certain organism.

This is not yet the positive conclusion of the United States commissioners, but Surgeon Geddings reports that in his experiments he found that 76 per cent. of the yellow fever cultures had the organisms described by Sanarelli, while Surgeon Wasdin identified 42 per cent. of cases as showing the Sanarelli organisms.

The work already done by these experts gives promise to the officials here that the complete investigation will make a marked contribution to the problem of preventing and curing yellow fever.

The Wrecked Maria Teresa.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 18.—The Merritt Wrecking Company has information that both of its powerful tugs, the Merritt and Chapman, are at the scene of the Maria Teresa wreck at Cat island.

On board are about eighty wreckers and divers and the most powerful wrecking machinery in use.

Now that the government has abandoned the vessel, it may be that the Merritt Company will try and float her on their own responsibility.

At the local office it was said yesterday that nothing would be done until Captain Chittenden, who was in charge of the wreckers, was heard from.

President Dwight Resigns

New Haven, Nov. 18.—The halls of Yale University are filled with astonishment at the announcement, made public last evening, at the close of a meeting of the university corporation, to the effect that President Timothy Dwight, for twelve years the head of the institution, had presented his resignation to take effect at the end of the present academic year.

Among the friends of this great educator it has been no secret for a long time that the president contemplated his resignation before age weighed too heavily upon him.

Emperor William Going Home.

Berlin, Nov. 18.—An official telegram received here from Valetta, Island of Malta, says that the Emperor and Empress of Germany have sailed for Pola, at the northern part of the Adriatic sea, from which port they will travel overland direct for home.

It is explained that the emperor decided upon this course because the temperature of the Mediterranean has become considerably cooler, and the danger to the health of the empress by a sudden change from a northern to a southern climate is thus lessened.

Tolbert Will Not Go Home.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—James W. Tolbert regards Governor Ellerbee's answer to his telegram as a practical admission that the governor cannot afford him protection.

It is not likely, therefore, that he will return home at present.

Assistant United States Attorney Cochran, from the Tolbert district, has been ordered to Washington for conference with the officials of the department of justice, and upon his arrival here to-day the whole South Carolina situation will be gone over.

Indians Who Are Aristocrats.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The Osage Indians probably are the wealthiest people per capita on earth.

They are aristocrats, and scorn manual labor, according to Agent Pollock's annual report to the interior department.

They own over eight hundred acres of land for each man, woman and child each receiving an annuity of over two hundred dollars in cash. As an illustration, if an Indian and his wife have eight children the annual cash income of the family is over $2,000.

The Shoe-workers Strike.

Marlborough, Mass., Nov. 18.—Reports from the seven factories involved in the general strike of shoe workers showed that the situation was practically unchanged yesterday.

The Middlesex factory was again in operation and the work on the samples is proceeding satisfactorily, according to the superintendents.

The other factories, six in number, remain idle.

The strikers appear as confident of winning as on the day they struck, and the leaders predict a long contest.

Orders Twelve New Cruisers.

Washington, Nov. 18—The government of the Argentine Republic has just given orders and concluded contracts with the shipbuilding firm of Ansaldo & Co. of Genoa, Italy, for the construction of twelve new cruisers. The new vessels will all be of the first class, with the exception of three which will be second class cruisers.

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MUCH MONEY CIRCULATING

Excess So Far Over Exportations of Gold is $129,596,246. Enormous Balance of Trade in Our Favor. Big Gold Balance in the Treasury.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The importations of gold into the United States in the year 1898 are by far the largest in the history of the country, and the exportations the smallest in many years, while the production of gold from our own mines will prove the largest in many years, if not the largest in the history of the country.

The October statement of imports and exports, just issued by the treasury bureau of statistics, shows that the total imports of gold in the ten months ending October 31, 1898, are $143,658,095, which is more than fifty per cent. in excess of the amount imported in the corresponding period of any preceding year.

The exports during that time have been but $14,061,849, which is less than in the corresponding months of any preceding year for more than a decade.

This gives the enormous balance of $129,596,246 of gold importations in excess of gold exportations.

In only one other year in the decade have the ten months ending with October shown an excess of imports of gold over the exports, that occasion being in 1896, when the excess of imports was $37,085,851. In all other years from 1888 to 1898 the October returns showed for the ten months of the calendar year an excess of exports of gold over the imports of that article, that of 1895 being $43,247,360, and of 1894 $72,808,322.

This unprecedented flow of gold into the United States is accounted for in part, at least, by the enormous balance of trade in our favor, which the ten months of the year afford.

In these ten months the total imports of merchandise amounted to but $527,757,554, while the total export was $987,964,356, a balance of trade in our favor of $460,206,802.

The total exports of merchandise for the month of October, 1898, amounted amounted to $118,686,232, a sum larger than in any preceding October in the history of the country, the figures for October, 1897, being $111,744,517, and those for October, 1896, $113,516,586.

The enormous importation of gold in excess of the exportation of this article is plainly perceptible in the increased circulation shown by the figures of the treasury department. The latest statement of the gold in the treasury shows a gold balance of $242,805,604, while the gold in circulation on November 1, was $649,846,727, being $110,000,000 greater than on November 1 of last year, and nearly $200,000,000 more than on July 1, 1896, in which month it touched its lowest point in several years.

The total money in circulation at the beginning of the present month is shown by the treasury figures to have been $1,866,575,782, against $1,706,732,904 at the corresponding date last year, and $1,509,725,200 on July 1, 1896, the increase in circulation in the past year having been $159,842,878, and since July 1, 1896, $356,850,582.

Reports of the Health of Our Men.

Vancouver, B. C., Nov. 18.—Advices received by the steamer Empress of China, from China and Japan, include disquieting news as to the health of the American troops at Manila.

In addition to the malarial and typhoid fever prevailing, smallpox is reported to have appeared.

There is also a leper alarm in Manila.

Through the neglect of the Spanish officials, nearly two hundred lepers are reported to have escaped from confinement.

For a time this was unknown to the American authorities, and the outcasts were allowed to wander at large. Orders have been issued that all lepers shall be arrested and sent to a small uninhabited island southeast of Luzon, where they will be fed and cared for at the expense of the United States government.

As far as can be ascertained about sixty lepers are still at large.

Wasching the Carlists.

Madrid, via Biarritz, France, Nov. 18.—The government is greatly alarmed over the imminence of a Carlist rising in the north of Spain and has adopted strong measures to prevent it.

The Carlists, however, are as greatly encouraged as the ministers are anxious over the actual situation, which is ripe for revolt.

The government has taken measures to cope with possible Carlist movements.

The military authorities in various parts of the kingdom have been instructed how to act in case of a Carlist rising, and the movements of all prominent partisans of Don Carlos are being carefully watched.

Shortage of $200,000.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—A telegram received by Mr. Dawes, comptroller of the currency, from the receiver in charge of the First National Bank of Emporia, Kan., says his investigation has developed irregularities in the reserve agents 'accounts of $50,000. $15,000 in the cash accounts, and that the bank had invested in doubtful enterprises controlled by President Cross, approximately one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

It is thought by officials in the comptroller's office that although the capital and surplus of the bank are entirely wiped out, the depositors will suffer little if any loss.

Trade Restrictions in Corea.

Yokohama, Nov. 18.—Advices received here from Seoul say that the Corean government has issued orders that foreigners are to be stopped from trading in the interior.

THE NEW FEDERATION.

The Military Situation in Central America a Menace.

Mangua, Nicaragua, Nov. 18.—Everything is quiet, thus giving hope for the peaceful and successful continuation of the new Central American republic, formed by the union of Nicaragua, Salvador and Honduras, which began its course as a nation yesterday under the name of the United States of Central America.

It is claimed, however, that the commissioners who organized the new government have dodged present great difficulties and shifted them to the future for disentanglement and solution, and that they have ignored a fundamental part of the constitution by the understanding said to exist between the commissioners and the governors of the three states that the government of the new republic will not enforce the constitutional provision demanding from the governors the munitions of war now belonging to each state.

It is understood that the generals in active command of the armies of each state will be merely changed and instructed nominally to report to the new government, while actually they will remain under the control of the governor of each state.

This action is taken, it is asserted, because the governors cannot retain their positions and power without a comparatively large army at their command.

The army of Nicaragua has been very largely increased in order that it may be ready for any emergency that may arise.

FORWARD TOWARD HAVANA.

United States Troops Will Begin the March Within Ten Days.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—The movement of United States troops to Havana province will begin within ten days. The exact date of their arrival will be determined by the reports of Major General Greene of the Seventh Corps, now in Havana on business connected with garrisoning that province, and of General Charles F. Humphrey and Colonel Hecker of the quartermaster's department.

These officers have authority to complete arrangements for the reception of the troops, the quartermaster's officers being engaged in supervising the construction of wharves and depots.

In the occupation of Cienfuegos General Snyder will command the first brigade to land. He will be followed soon afterward by Major General Wilson and the First Corps.

Nothing has been heard of the detachments of the Eighth Cavalry, which sailed for Nuevitas and Puerto Principe, but as there is no telegraphic communication with that part of the island, no surprise is manifested at the war department.

The conduct of the volunteer regiments in Santiago province may result in a transfer of some of these troops to corps where a more rigid discipline can be enforced, and where regiments under command of general officers can be used to quell any disturbances of immune regiments.

The Rev. Dr. S. C. Bartlett Dead:

Hanover, N. H., Nov. 18.—The Rev. Dr. Samuel Colcord Bartlett, formerly president of Dartmouth College, died here yesterday evening, aged 81 years. He was born in Salisbury, this state, near the home of Daniel Webster, and once had the honor of preaching to that distinguished statesman.

He prepared for college at Pinkerton Academy, at Derry, was graduated in 1836 from Dartmouth, and a year later received the degree of A. M.

For nineteen years he was a professor in the Chicago Theological Seminary, and in 1877 accepted the presidency of Dartmouth College.

Dr. Bartlett had listened to addresses by Rufus Choate, heard Daniel Webster's celebrated Bunker Hill monument address, Choate's eulogy on Webster, John Adams's historical address in Boston fifty years ago, and Alexander H. Stephens's speech in the House of Representatives upon the presentation to that body of the picture "Reception of the Emancipation Proclamation by Congress."

Army and Navy Orders.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 18.—By the army orders published yesterday morning a board of medical officers is convened to meet at the Army building in New York for the examination of acting assistant surgeons and candidates for appointment to that position.

The board will consist of Major William H. Arthur, chief surgeon of volunteers; Major Nathan S. Jarvis, brigade surgeon of volunteers; and Captain D. C. Howard, assistant surgeon, United States army.

Lieutenant Colonel Louis M. Maus, chief surgeon of volunteers, is relieved from further duty at Fort Hamilton.

Among the naval orders issued yesterday is one by which Surgeon H. Wells is detached from duty at the naval laboratory and department of instruction at Brooklyn and ordered home, and on waiting orders, to be ready for orders to the Chicago.

New Coast Survey Steamer.

Washington, Nov. 18.—The new United States coast survey steamer Pathfinder, which was especially designed for work in Alaskan waters, but which will be used also in the survey of the coasts of the islands which have lately come into the possession of the United States, will be launched on December 7 at the Crescent ship yards of Lewis Nixon, at Elizabethport, N. J.

The Pathfinder is 196 feet over all, 32 1-2 feet beam, with a depth of about twenty feet and a displacement of 875 tons.

The available speed will be twelve knots, and her regular complement of officers and crew will number seventy. She will be the finest vessel ever built for the purpose.

A New Hebrew Colony.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 18.—A new Hebrew colony sent out from Europe by the Baron Hirsch fund is to be established at Chesterfield, this state, in New London county.

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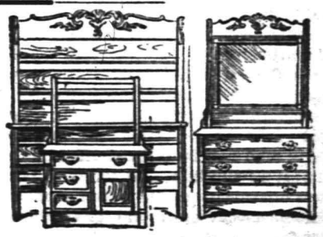

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COMING EVENTS.

November 18 and 19—Meetings in connection with the week of prayer for young men at the Y. M. C. A. building, at 9:15 p. m.

November 20—Donald MacColl, State secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of New Jersey, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Miss Harris, of the First Baptist church choir, and a mixed choir will sing.

November 21—Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

The Democrats.

LOST, strayed or stolen—A political party known as the Democratic. Last seen and heard of on Tuesday, November 8th. Not considered worth while to offer a reward for its return in proper condition.

Briefly, that describes the result of the meeting of the Democratic Association of Plainfield last night.

Organized for the purpose of becoming an active factor in local affairs and arousing an interest that would be reflected beneficially throughout the party at all times, the Democratic Association was swooped down upon last night by an army of Citizens' party men and its light snuffed out in almost a twinkling, and today it is a bare organization with about as much influence as it moribond predecessor was for several years.

Those who were in favor of the Democratic Association becoming something more than an empty title in the city campaign had one gratifying thought anyway, and that was that that through their endeavors the most interesting meeting of Democrats that has been held in Plainfield in some years was the result of the effort to have a straight party ticket in the field.

Presumably, the Democrats are now expected to support the Citizens' candidates when they are nominated by petition. On the part of those Democrats who are inclined to be loyal to their own party at all times and under all circumstances, the support that the Citizens' will secure will depend largely, no doubt, about how the ticket is made up.

Crane Ahead of Assemblymen.

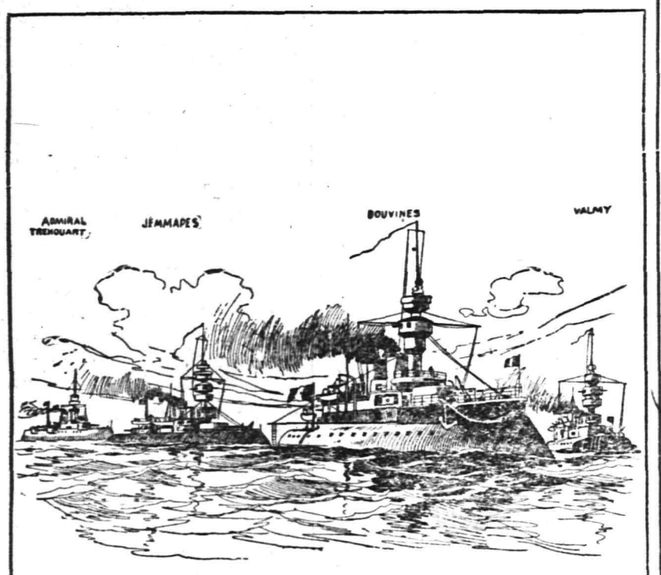
All the counties in the State have completed their canvass on the vote for Governor and the figures show a plurality for Foster M. Voorhees, the Republican candidate, of 5,573.

While the plurality against Mr. Crane, the Gubernatorial candidate of the Democrats, was 5,573, the plurality in the State against the Democratic Assemblymen, taken on the average vote, was 9,137, a difference of 3 564 in favor of the Gubernatorial candidate. The net Republican majority on the Congressional vote in the State was 10,429.

May Irwin, fair, fat and forty, being a funny woman on the stage, is possessed of the intention to drive ticket speculators away from the theatre in which she appears in New York. She has determined to do this, she says, even if it costs lots of money. We hope that the buxon May has a large-sized bank book to resolutely pursue her intentions. Ticket speculators are the most aggravating nuisance found around the New York playhouses.

Miss Kate Lunden, State lecturer for the W. C. T. U., appeared before the Raritan election officials and asked to be registered as a voter, but that privilege was denied her. Now she threatens to carry the matter to the high courts. Her course will be watched with interest in Plainfield where there are lots of women who will applaud her for her stand.

Middlesex county glories over the fact that tramps now give that bailiwick a wide berth. The chain gang and the stone cracker is said to have accomplished suddenly what years of diet on homemade cakes and pies failed to do in driving the genus hobo from that section.



THE FRENCH FLEET AT TOULON.

Like England, France has been getting ready for war right along, regardless of peace negotiations. Some of the formidable vessels of the French fleet, of which the illustration shows four, have been overhauled at Toulon and put into shape for immediate action should the necessity arise.

At the home of a prominent Republican in the Third ward last night there was a small gathering of the leading men of the party. The exact result of the conference is still a mystery, but it is understood that great pressure was brought to bear on Marion S. Ackerman to have him stand for the Mayoralty nomination.

Fred W. Bird announced today that ho was no longer a candidate for the nomination of City Collector on the Citizens' ticket.

The wise merchant now seeks big advertising space in The Daily Press to capture the holiday trade.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

As long as Plainfield and North Plainfield are in two different counties The Press will have hard work to unite them. The best and most feasible plan is to make a new county, embracing Lincoln, Bound Brook, Dunellen, New Market and the Plainfields. Then with Lincoln as the county seat The Press might secure the union it desires.—Real Estate News.

Now is the time to commence agitating the matter of bringing before the next Legislature the project of consolidating Plainfield and North Plainfield into one municipality. There is a similar plan on foot to consolidate all the municipalities in Hudson county into one city. It is urged that if such action was taken it would reduce the taxes by the elimination of unnecessary officers and the reduction of other expenses that each town now has to maintain separately. What is true of Hudson county is true of the Plainfields.—The Press.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

When you go to the theatre you want to be amused, don't you? You also want to be sure that the entertainment will be free from all coarseness, eh? Well, then, go to see "The Girl from 'Frisco" at Music Hall tonight and enjoy one of the funniest, most interesting comedies that has ever been here. The entertainment is breezy, bright and full of music "The Golden Gate Quartette," which renders all the latest songs, has a national reputation, and it can be heard only in "The Girl from 'Frisco." The company engaged to play the principal parts in the piece are stars in their respective roles.

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The Burrill Comedy Company, which plays a week engagement at Stillman Music Hall commencing Monday, November 21st, is a great organization. Miss Laura Hulbert is the leading lady of the company, and she has appeared in this city a year ago as the star of the farce with the Lee Company. The opening play is the beautiful society drama "Infatuation. Following is the list of specialty artists: Miss Nellie DeVan, the famous buck and wing dancer; Paul Hudson, the great operatic baritone, formerly of the Lillian Russell Opera Company; Spaulding and Bortram, sketch artists, and Miss Marie Blair, chanteuse-international, singing in five different languages. In fact the company is the best on the road that plays at these extreme low prices of 10, 20 and 30 cents.

—We are here every day and our stock is fresh every day. We clean and deliver our seafood for you Fridays. Make order early. Rogers.

—"Joy and Strength" is the subject for the Christian Endeavor meeting at the Park Avenue Baptist church tonight. Nelson VanWinkle will lead.

—There was no meeting of the Borough Council finance committee last evening, as previously arranged. The meeting will be held next Monday evening.

THE MAKING OF RUSSIA.

GARRETT P. SERVISS TELLS OF PETER THE GREAT'S PART.

He Was a Man Powerful in Body, Mind and Control—One Great Element of His Success Was His Self Control.

A fair-sized audience gathered at the Casino last evening to attend the third and last illustrated lecture given by Garrett P. Serviss, of New York. Like the other two lectures, this one was superb as to illustration, and the lecture by Mr. Serviss was fully up to the standard of the others. The subject was "Peter the Great and the Making of Russia."

The first part of the lecture was devoted to the land where Peter lived and the people of that country. In those days all Europe had her eyes on Russia, for she was rapidly spreading out and the great effort was to keep her from covering the earth. Peter in shaping the people had trouble with the religion of the country. Many people looked upon the Czar as a God, and it was strongly noted as a land of devotion.

Mr. Serviss devoted a portion of his talk to the dark ages of Russia, when women were slaves, and when people by the hundreds were murdered, and how perfectly crazy certain people acted. It was occasioned by the fact that it was a matter of dispute as to who should rule the country. Peter contested in the political arena, and during his early life he learned the great art of self-control, and later he learned to control a nation. He was great in strength and statue, being nearly seven feet tall. He would often approach his enemies or friends and knock them down, one for hatred and the other as a mark of friendship. He studied persistently all the well-known arts, and especially that of ship building. He also became acquainted with the art of war. In early life he was much opposed to display or title, and he went about the country in the plainest sort of dress. He detested to have people follow him and thereby make him conspicuous.

The last part of the lecture was devoted to a sad part of history in Peter's life, when he practiced such cruelties on his people by having them put to death, when a man had to take out a license to wear a beard, and when the custom of wearing long sleeves and long coat tails was abolished by Peter.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Settled—The case of Butcher against Laughlan settled out of court.

JUSTICE MOFFETT.

Summons issued—In the case of Clark against Vinets, on contract, returnable November 22.

Judgment rendered—In the case of Brunson against Vaughn, for full amount of the claim and costs.

—Press want ads pay—try one.

—Sebring's special sale of men's low-priced suits is attracting the attention of all close buyers.

—Doane & Edsall say that their November trade this year so far has been more than for several years past. They have been exceedingly fortunate this year in their purchases.

—Mark Twain in speaking of Polk Miller who appears in the Y. M. C. A. star course Thanksgiving night says, "The stories I have heard him tell are the best I have ever heard."

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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An Interesting List.

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Lonsdale Cambric - 7¾c yd
All our soft finish Cambric 2½c yd
" " 15c Black Percaline, moried - - 10c yd
Heavy Twill Cotton Crash 3c yd
Outing Flannel Skirts, embr'ed 25c
Pure silk black Taffeta Ribbon, No 30, 14c; No 40, 16c; No 50, 19c
No 1 Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors - 13c per 10 yds
No 1² Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors - 20c per 10 yds
Ladies' Black Hose, 3 pairs in box, regular 89c - 69c box
Ladies' Black Hose, 15c 10c pair
Pear's Unscented Soap 11c cake
Packer's Tar Soap - 15c "
Cuticura Soap - 20c "
Cosmo Buttermilk Soap 6c "

Down Stairs.

$15.00 Antique Oak Bedroom Suit, $10.75
All our $3 and $3.50 Parlor Rockers, imitation Mahogany or Oak - 2.49
6 styles solid Oak Extension Table 4.98
Our $2.25 Bissels Carpet Sweepers 1.49
Our 19c. Brooms - - 12c
Our 15c. Wood Pails - - 10c
Our 35c. Wood Fibre Pails - 25c
Nickle Crumb Trays with Brush - 25c
Zinc Washboards - - 10c

PRICES
For Saturday Only

MANY other good things to be found here and there throughout the store.

Our New Books are Proving a Great Attraction.

PRICES ON THEM VERY LOW.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,
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The Best Specimen of Effective Oratory is the very favorable expression of the

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Extra Heavy Cream DOMET FLANNEL, the 6c. quality, FOR SATURDAY ONLY at 3½c. yd.

LADIES' TAN COATS, box front, piped velvet seams, silk lined, regular value $7.50, FOR SATURDAY ONLY at - - - $4.98

Men's White Unlaundered SHIRTS, sizes 14 to 17½, linen bosom and Cuffs, regular price, 39c., FOR SATURDAY ONLY at - - 25c.

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"J. & M." MEN'S SHOES!

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GOOD TRUNKS CHEAP.

DOANE & EDSALL.

OPENING OF FALL AND WINTER
CLOTHING.

We extend to the people of Plainfield and vicinity a cordial invitation to visit our store and inspect our Fall and Winter Clothing for men and boys before purchasing elsewhere.

WE ONLY SELL RELIABLE GOODS,

the prices of which are lower than any other store in this city. Our window display and prices speak for themselves.

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210 West Front Street.

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The New
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The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 18.—St. John's Roman Catholic church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon when Miss Annie Maier, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Maier, was united in marriage to Terrace J. Ronayne, of Rahway, the affable telegraph operator and ticket agent at the station. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Bogaard, of Somerville, in the presence of a church full of relatives and friends of the two parties. The wedding took place at 3 o'clock. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mr. Noonan, the organist, the bridal party, attended by Miss Lena Maier, a sister to the bride, as bridemaid, and William Ronayne, a brother to the groom, as best man, moved up the aisle and stood before the priest who joined the couple for life. The bride wore a grey traveling dress with hat to match and carried yellow roses. She looked remarkably well and endured the stares of the spectators as she and her husband left the church without a change of countenance. The bridemaid was dressed in a dark blue dress and hat and carried pink roses. After the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's house after which they left for Washington where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will take up their residence in the borough.

The long-talked-of fair and bazaar, given under the auspices of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, opened last night and will continue tonight and tomorrow night. Apgar's Hall, where the fair is being held, was crowded. Judging from the crowd last night the fair will be a big success. Booths and tables are placed about the hall in the upper as well as the lower rooms, where things to wear and things to eat are displayed for sale. The quilt table last night was in charge of Mrs. F. H. Gise; Miss Grace Vail presided over the lemonade table; Miss Emma Apgar over the fruit and nut table; Miss Sydney Williams, candy; Miss Carrie Fisher, fancy table; Miss Mabel Jamison and her class juniors, the table of small articles; Miss May Apgar and Miss Ethel Jamison the gypsy booth; Mrs. H. L. Terry, flowers, and George Schenck, grocery department. Besides these booths Will Reynolds has a department where one can hear delicious music from the phonograph, and another where A. Drake, of Plainfield, has pictures to sell. One of the features last night was a Japanese tea. The waitresses were all dressed in Oriental costume, and each one who took a cup of tea was presented with the cup and saucer as a souvenir. The Queen City Band, of Plainfield, dispensed music all the evening.

Miss Nellie Dodwell gave a party Wednesday night to which a number of her young friends were invited. The evening was passed in a pleasant way with dancing, games and refreshments. Ernest Peters, who was among those present, furnished music for the dancing. Among those present were Abner Coriell, Fred Wilcox, Willie Dealaman, Hudson Wilcox, Fred Warden, Charles Vail, Willie Giles, Ernest Peters, Edna Coriell, Maude Wilcox, Edna Vail and Pearl Dodwell.

S. S. Vermule, the tailor, has moved to Plainfield, as he claims business is so dull he cannot make any money.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray, who have been visiting friends here, have returned to their home in Easton.

N. C. Sears and family, of New York, have taken up their residence on Grove street.

Mrs. Josephine Dunham is visiting her brother, Silas Hunt, of Brooklyn, who is seriously ill.

Miss Martha Sirisky, of Raritan, has been visiting her brother, Bernard Sirisky.

Mrs. James, of Jersey City, has been visiting friends on Washington avenue.

Mrs. H. A. Adams, of Newark, spent yesterday with Mrs. Webster.

Miss Annie Ferris, of Bayonne, spent yesterday with friends here.

John Harris, of Flemington, spent yesterday with Theodore Harris.

Miss Alice Pettit, of New York, spent Wednesday in town.

Fred Nelson, of Basking Ridge, has been visiting friends here.

Miss Mabel Jamison spent Wednesday visiting in Plainfield.

Harry Dodwell has returned from a short visit in New York.

William J. Winges has returned from a visit to Paterson.

Bon Ami

The Finest Cleaner

MADE, IS A METAL POLISH, A WINDOW POLISH, AND DOES THE WORK OF ANY SCOURING SOAP.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, November 18.—The poorhouse in Piscataway township harbors a remarkable old man who claims to have passed 126 years upon this earth and hopes to live well into the next century. His name is Noah Raby, and he has now been an inmate of the poorhouse for thirty-two years. Raby says he was born in Virginia or the Carolinas, April 1st, 1782. His father was an Indian and his mother a white woman. His long hair, jet black still, testifies to the fact of his Indian blood, which may be responsible for his longevity. Raby drifted to New Market forty years ago or so, and after awhile, becoming feeble, applied for admission to the poorhouse. He was taken in, no one expecting he would live long, but to the surprise of every one he grew better, and has continued to be active and healthy to this day. When the weather is fine Raby sits outside the poorhouse and regales the other inmates with tales of long ago. He claims to have seen General Washington, and to have been a partaker in the scenes of those troubled times just prior to and following the Revolution. Raby's only affliction is blindness, which has gradually crept over him, but for all that he does chores around the poorhouse as well as any one there. The man says he was never married, and to this he partly attributes his old age.

A disastrous fire was prevented Wednesday night by the prompt action of the fire department. A henhouse on the old Ryder place took fire from an overturned lamp in an incubator, and soon the chicken house was in a blaze. A large barn close to the henhouse was threatened, and an alarm was turned in to which the firemen responded nobly, and by their efforts the barn was saved. The fire occurred about 7 o'clock just after the chickens had gone to roost, but most of them were gotten out. Captain Thompson and family live on the place.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nelson have been entertaining their son from over the mountains.

Miss Lillian Gunther, of Metuchen, is stopping with Mrs. William Giles.

Joseph E. Meeker has returned from a visit in Franklin Park.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 18—The local football eleven have a game scheduled for tomorrow afternoon with the Alis first team of Plainfield. Scotch Plains is to be strengthened by several out-of-town players and the Plainfield boys may meet with a surprise. The game will be played on the new gridiron on John R. Marsh's property.

Quite a number of Scotch Plains people attended the entertainment in the Fanwood Hall Wednesday evening. The proceeds were for the benefit of the basket ball team recently organized.

Mrs. George Stillger and daughter, Mrs. Frederick Clark, were the guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stillger, of Roselle.

William Lake's house on Bartle avenue presents a very pretty appearance with its new coat of paint.

Thomas Coles, who has been visiting relatives in town, has returned to his home in Jersey City.

Miss Sadie Reger attended the funeral of an uncle in Morristown Wednesday.

John Wade has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Lyons Farms.

Anthony Schwalback has accepted a position with the Cranford Gas Company.

E. H. Hand spent Wednesday in Elizabeth on important business.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 19.—The Township Committee will meet this evening, and, it is expected that something will be done in regard to calling a meeting of the citizens to see how they stand on the question of the township building and owning its own water system.

The following new members have been taken into the Westfield Club: Messrs. J. H. Norris, C. S. Hinchman, J. W. Devean, Frank T. Okell, Fred Smith, A. E. Waterhouse, W. H. Gomes, H. E Ferris, H. Cotterill, H. E. Warncke C. H. Denman, William Hendrickson, Adolph Ganzell, N. B. Arnold, C Brenesholtz, H. R. Forster, G. F. Marsh, J. S. Foster, W. N. Hackett, Harold M. Winsor,

All members of the Junior O. U. A. M. in this vicinity are invited to meet at the lodge rooms of Central Council Sunday evening at 7:15 and accompany the members to the Methodist church where Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will deliver a special sermon.

Miss Mount, of Stroudsburg, Pa., will give an entertainment in the Methodist church this evening for the benefit of the fund for the refurnishing of the infant Sunday-school room.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Charles Rath, of Elizabeth, has been the guest of Plainfield friends.

George Sisco, of Morristown, is spending a few days in this city.

Mrs. Wm. N. Tier, of Bank place, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Among those who are on the sick list is Charles Lister, of Fifth street.

Patrolman Higgins, who has been quite ill at his home, is on the road to recovery.

Miss Mary Whiton, of Central avenue, has returned to her studies at Radcliffe, Boston.

Miss Grace Cooley, of Rockview avenue, has returned after a trip through the west.

Bradford Smalley, of Netherwood, is reported as improving from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

A baby daughter has arrived to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Manning, of Sixth street.

Col. Scott, who is confined at Muhlenberg Hospital with an attack of pneumonia, is improving, and his friends are hopeful.

Rev. Dr. Taylor and Rev. Dr. Rodman have returned from Trenton, where they have been attending an Episcopal convocation.

Allan Laing, of Craig place, who is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of typhoid fever, is now able to walk about the house a little each day.

Mrs. Anesta Corwin, of this city, who is detained at the hospital under treatment for illness, has almost recovered and will be able to leave that institution before long.

Mrs. J. H. Knowles, of New York, and Miss Strong, of Mt. Vernon, secretaries of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist churches, spoke at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church Wednesday evening.

Miss Hortense Bardash, of Galveston, Texas, who has been spending several weeks as the guest of Mrs. B. O. Bowers, of Franklin place, went to New York yesterday, where she will visit her aunt a short time before returning home.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Tomorrow Sebring will display another line of those fine trouserings, to measure.

—VanArsdale report a good business on winter shoes and rubbers. This is just the kind of weather to wear good shoes, too.

—Christmas gifts of Japanese goods will be sold at the auction sale commencing at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow at 314 West Front street.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

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—A telephone has been placed in the City Industrial Home.

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—There will be special Thanksgiving services in the public schools Wednesday.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., will hold an important meeting this evening.

—It is reported that a new trading stamp store is to be opened in this city at an early date.

—Thomas Graham will speak to the boys at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock.

—The Browning Circle of the Congregational church will meet tonight in the church parlors.

—The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet this afternoon in the church

—R. W. Barnes will lead the Christian Endeavor consecration service at the First Baptist church this evening.

—Lowney's candies and bon-bons at Randolph's pharmacy are just the thing. Their popularity increases constantly.

—The American Club of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will hold its regular meeting this evening in Epworth House.

—A fair will be held in Grace M. E. church December 15th and 16th under the auspices of the Queen Esther Band of the church.

—A new timetable on the Central Railroad will go into effect next Sunday. A number of important changes have been made.

—There will be a large number of applications to be acted upon at the meeting of Miantonomoh Tribe of Red Men this evening.

—This evening Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor of Monroe Avenue church, will give a talk in the church on the subject "Our Country."

—A four-foot crosswalk is being laid across Pearl street on Somerset street, and hereafter all crosswalks laid in the borough will be of that dimension.

—Workmen are busily engaged in completing the new enginehouse in the West End. It is expected that possession will be taken the first of next month.

—Gen. T. J. Morgan, of the American Baptist Home Mission, will give a talk at the First Baptist church next Sunday morning on the work in which he is engaged.

—It will probably be the last of January or the first of February before the local telephone office is changed from North avenue to Park avenue where F. L. C. Martin's cycle store is now located.

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THE KEYNOTE

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THE SUNDAY LESSON.

INTERNATIONAL SERIES, WITH COMMENTARY BY DR. STEARNS.

Golden Text.—If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.—1 John i: 9. Nov. 20, 1898.

9. "So Manasseh made Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem to err and to do worse than the heathen whom the Lord had destroyed before the children of Israel." This is a summary of the previous part of this chapter concerning the sins of Manasseh, who began to reign when he was 12 years old and reigned 55 years in Jerusalem. He shed innocent blood very much until he had filled Jerusalem from one end to another (II Kings xxi, 16). He wrought much evil in the sight of the Lord to provoke Him to anger. Then think of the people of God acting worse than the heathen who knew not God, and even worshiping an idol, a carved image, in the house of God, where He had put His name and His glory! What a contrast to the conduct of his father, Hezekiah, who for the most part wrought good and right and truth before the Lord his God (chapter xxxi, 20). How could such a good father have such a bad son? But it is not an uncommon story. Consider the sons of Eli and of Samuel and of David. How could sinful King Ahaz, because of whose sins the Lord brought Judah low (chapter xxviii, 19), have such a good son as Hezekiah? His mother's name was Abi, the daughter of Zachariah (II Kings, xviii, 2), and to her possibly much is due. But Manasseh's mother was Hephzibah (my delight is in her), and if there is anything in a name he, too, may have had a good mother (II Kings xxi, 1). Our heavenly Father knows what it is to have rebellious children (Isa. i, 2), and when He permits us to have rebellious children it is a ground of fellowship with Him.

10. "And the Lord spake to Manasseh, and to his people, but they would not hearken:" Oh, how often the Lord has to say concerning those whom He would love to bless that they would not let Him, they would not listen to Him, they would not come to Him (Isa. xxx. 15; Math. xxiii, 37; John v, 40). If we only would receive His word with meekness, yield fully to Him and be willing and obedient, how much of heaven we might have upon the earth! How earnestly God cries to His people by His servants, the prophets, as, for example, in Jer. iii, 13, 14. "Only acknowledge thine iniquity: turn, O back-sliding children, saith the Lord, for I am married unto you." See also Ezek. xviii, 30-32; xxxiii, 11, etc.

11. "Wherefore the Lord brought upon them the captains of the host of the king of Assyria, which took Manasseh among the thorns and bound him with fetters and carried him to Babylon." Thus he found some reaping, for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap, and they who sow the wind may reap the whirlwind (Gal. vi, 7; Hos. viii, 7). Affliction is often the best thing that can come to one who is wandering from God. God is not willing that any should perish, and if sinners will not listen to gracious words of love He will seek to win them by chastening, as He has said in Job xxxiii, 29, 30.

12. "And when he was in affliction he besought the Lord His God and humbled himself greatly before the God of His fathers." It is often the case that only in affliction will a soul turn to the Lord, even as it is written in Hos. v, 15, "In their affliction they will seek me early." It will be seen on a larger scale some day, for it is written in Isa. xxvi, 9. "When Thy judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world will learn righteousness." Even the fearful judgments of Rev. ix and xvi are intended, if possible, to bring men to repentance. See Rev. ix, 20, 21; xvi, 9, 11. Pride and self will are born in us as the results of Adam's sin, the work of the devil, and all people are either Cains or Abels, the former proudly resisting God and His salvation, and the latter humbly confessing their sins and accepting His way of redemption. The Pharisees when our Lord was on earth were of the line of Cain, religious, but proud and hating God and His way.

13. "And prayed unto Him and He was entreated of him and heard his supplication and brought him again to Jerusalem into his kingdom. Then Manasseh knew that the Lord He was God." Manasseh was evidently a true penitent, and God's ear is ever open to such. It is always true for such on God's part. "Him that cometh unto me I will in no wise cast out" (John vi, 37). It is written in I Chron. v, 20, concerning some of Israel that they cried to God in the battle and He was entreated of them, because they put their trust in Him. Ezra says in chapter viii, 23, "So we fasted and besought our God for this and He was entreated of us." As to the mercy which is with God for the greatest sinner who with true penitence turns to Him we need only consider the case of the penitent thief or of Saul of Tarsus. But who could be greater in sin than this son of Hezekiah?

14. "Now after this he built a wall without the city of David." The building of this wall and the placing of captains of war in the fenced cities does not imply any lack of trust in God, but is rather suggestive of keeping the Lord's property for the Lord.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 20—Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.—Topic, Praise and Thanksgiving.

Scripture Reading.—Ps. ciii.—"Bless the Lord, all His works, in all places of His dominion! Bless the Lord, O my soul!"

To receive benefits and not express appreciation is universally condemned. The old adage "One good turn deserves another" shows the general sense of the people that a kindness given should be reciprocated. The obligation goes deeper than the mere outward act. As a deed of love outwardly expresses the inner feeling of affection, so the person receiving it should not only show outward signs of gratitude, but is under obligation to regard the benefactor with thankfulness and affection. Nothing so fully reveals an evil heart as ingratitude. It is the basest of sins and leads to the foulest crimes. Gratitude is the safeguard of the soul. One who finds himself lacking in real hearty gratitude for benefits received should be alarmed and set about correcting his condition. To receive attentions and gifts as a matter of course and right does not indicate a royal soul, as some seem to think, but does show the spirit of the pauper and perhaps the thief.

The person who chafes under the reception of gifts and is restless until an exact equivalent has been returned also exhibits a mean and essentially unthankful disposition. True nobility of nature finds joy in receiving attentions, gifts and expressions of regard, conscious that they are outward signs of inner friendliness. All genuine worthiness rejoices to receive tokens of regard, but finds greater pleasure in giving. It is natural, indeed inevitable, that a full fountain should overflow. So all generous natures spontaneously gush out with helpfulness to others, and are happiest when making others happy. So, when they receive from others they are pleased, because they recognized in others the same blessed springs of action they possess themselves and share in the happiness of mutual possession.

The devout soul sees God in all he has of goods and blessings. He recognizes the Divine One as everywhere present in the world in power and merciful kindness. He recognizes his obligation to the Lord for life and all its benefits. Gratitude springs up, and the more he knows of God in Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit the more freely does he come to believe in and trust the Father all holy, and in equal measure the inner life is filled with praise and the mouth is filled with thanksgiving.

At this season of the year the ingathering of harvests leads to formal expressions of gratitude to God the Giver. The public service is valuable. The national thanksgiving with all its time honored festivities should be kept, but personal gratitude should lead to more than this. It requires complete enlistment of all powers in the service of Him who is "the giver of every good and perfect gift."

City Road Chapel.

Beyond question the most noted church building in Methodism is the Wesley chapel, City Road, London. The parish church at Epworth is not now and never was the property of Methodists, but always belonged to the church of England. The "Old Foundry" was the first preaching house of the denomination in London, but has long since disappeared. At City Road chapel was the favorite residence of John Wesley. His house is still occupied by the superintendent of the circuit and by a museum of Wesley mementos recently collected there for preservation. The interior of the chapel remains in much the same condition as it was when Wesley preached there. It stands back quite a distance from the street. On the opposite side of the street is Bunhill Fields burying ground, where Susannah Wesley, the mother of John, lies buried. The body of John Wesley lies in a tomb behind the chapel. Ten others are buried in the same tomb, and 5,000 Methodists lie buried near their great leader.

CITY ROAD CHAPEL.

The Inscription.

For many hundreds of years the meaning of the picture writing on the obelisks and temple walls of Egypt was unknown. In the latter part of the last century the key to the mystery was found, and now the multitude can read the message of the monuments. One of the most ancient of inscriptions in the land is that written on the obelisk of On. The translation of it reads: "The Horus, the living from his birth; the king of upper and lower Egypt, Ra Kheper Ka; lord of the two diadems, son of the sun, Usertesen, the loved of the god of Heliopolis from his birth, ever living. The golden Horus, the good god, Ra Kheper Ka, to the celebration of the panegyry. He (has) made (this obelisk) the eternal generator."

More things are wrought by prayer
Than this world dreams of, wherefore let thy voice
Rise like a fountain for me night and day.
For what are men better than sheep or goats
That nourish a blind life within the brain
If, knowing God, they lift not hands in prayer
Both for themselves and those who call them friends?
For so the whole round world is every way
Bound by gold chains about the feet of God.

—Henry Elliott Mott.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Nov. 20—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"Praise the Lord."—Ps. cxlvii, 1-20. (A Thanksgiving meeting.)

It is probable that this psalm was an anthem written for use in the second tempie. It praises God for various attributes, but especially commemorates His goodness in bringing back His people from their captivity and rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem. "The Lord doth built up Jerusalem; He gathereth together the outcasts of Israel." This psalm suggests that we should—

1. Praise the Lord for spiritual blessings (verses 1-6). The greatest blessings that came as a result of the return from the captivity were the spiritual blessings, and the psalmist gives directly as a cause for praise to the Lord that "He healeth the broken in heart and bindeth up the wounds." God has given us great spiritual blessings in the past year, for which we should render thanks and praise unto Him. Skepticism and rationalism are on the decline, and an unusual interest is manifested in various ways in the highest and truest forms of spirituality. Today in the religious life of the world is pre-eminently the day of the Holy Ghost.

2. Praise the Lord for temporal blessings (verses 7-11). "Sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving * * * who covereth the heaven with clouds, who prepareth rain for the earth, who maketh the grass to grow upon the mountains. He giveth to the beast his food, and to the young ravens, which cry." God's providential care of both man and beast calls for our continual thanksgiving. Our country has been especially and wonderfully blessed in temporal blessing the past year. While some nations have suffered recently from failure of crops, our barns have been full and overflowing. This year has been no exception. Fruits abundant have been borne by our trees, and our fields have yielded unusual crops—causes of thanksgiving to God.

3. Praise the Lord for ecclesiastical blessings (verses 12-15). For protection, for blessing, for peace and plenty the church is called upon to praise the Lord. The church today richly and abundantly enjoys all these blessings. It has protection. It never was more secure from danger and harm. The children of the church have been abundantly blessed. The church has peace. It never had a more desirable peace. Ecclesiastical strifes and contentions have almost disappeared. It is the era of ecclesiastical good feeling, and Christian endeavor has done much to make it so.

4. Praise the Lord for national blessings (verse 20). "He hath not dealt so with any nation." The history of the past year again applies these words to our beloved nation. He hath given us a wonderful victory over our enemies at an unusually small cost, in an unexpectedly short time. For what greater blessings could we thank God as a nation than for decisive victory in war and a speedy peace?

Bible Readings. — Ps. xxxiv, 1-8; xlviii, 1; l, 14, 23; lxvi, 1, 2; lxxv, 1; lxxxi, 1-3; lxxxix, 1-7; xcii, 1-5; xcv, 1, 2; c, 1-5; ciii, 1-5; cvii, 1-8; II Cor. ix, 10-12; Phil. iv, 6; Col. ii, 6, 7; iv, 2; Rev. vii, 11, 12.

Not Under Control.

Sometimes at sea a ship is found flying the signal, "Not under control." That is a very terrible signal. So long as the machinery and rudder and the rigging are sound and the ship is under complete control she may weather the strongest gale, but now she lies helpless at the mercy of wind and wave. No rescuing ship even dare come very near, for "not under control" means that she is a menace to others as well as herself. So in life we find far too often a man whose conduct indicates that the forces of his life are not under control. That is a sad and dangerous condition, dangerous for himself and for those about him. Safely lies in keeping the elements of character so adjusted that they are always under control, that thus we may keep our manhood true to its divine course.—Universalist Leader.

Laziness of Mind.

There is a laziness of the mind as well as of the body. People loaf mentally as well as physically. One is to be despised quite as much as the other. The man or boy who sits about on street corners and in stores telling idle tales is no more a social nuisance than is he who dawdles over his studies or dreams away the hours wool gathering which should be employed in planning and thinking about the serious problems of life. The mind should be held quite as rigidly to discipline as the body, for an aimless, wandering, unappliable mind will destroy one's usefulness quite as much as a slothful, flabby, unskilled body.—Churchman.

Swearing.

General Washington, it is said, once uttered an oath, and his example is presented as an excuse for the profanity of other men, but with the statement General Washington's opinion of swearing should always be joined. He said, "This is a vice so mean and low, without any temptation, that every man of sense and character detests and despises it."—Congregationalist.

Mistakes.

People who make mistakes are those who quarrel with one another before their children or who allow the latter to grow up in idleness, those who talk about their troubles before strangers, the father who tells his children to go the way he does not go himself and the young woman who does not make a confidant of her mother.—Lutheran Observer.

Only One Design.

A sculptor has many models from which he chisels various statues, though one may be his masterpiece, but when I come into the Lord's studio I find only one design—that we should be made in the likeness of Jesus Christ.—Bishop Baldwin.

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Sachsen.

Dresden. Hier bestand einige Jahre ein „Institut für Realkredit- und Wechseldiskont," das sich angeblich mit Vermittelung von Hypotheken- und anderen Geldern befaßte. In Wahrheit hat es nur Geldsuchende in zahllosen Fällen um die zu zahlenden Gebühren betrogen, ohne daran zu denken, ihnen zu helfen. Die Betrogenen wohnen in allen Gauen des deutschen Reiches. Die Inhaber dieses Schwindelunternehmens, Alwin Guido Schmieder und Alfred Ewald Matschke, wurden zu je vier Jahren Gefängniß, 3000 Mark Geldstrafe und fünf Jahren Ehrverlust vom Landgericht in Dresden verurtheilt.

Chemnitz. Das hiesige Landgericht verurtheilte den 13 Jahre alten, bisher noch unbestraften Schulknaben Schulze aus Neudorf zu zwei Jahren Gefängniß! Der Knabe hat zweimal faustgroße Steine auf die Eisenbahnschienen gelegt und mit Steinen eine Warnungstafel der Bahn herabgeworfen. Die Steine wurden von der Lokomotive bei Seite geschoben.

Leipzig. Der hiesige Zoologische Garten, bisher unter großen Opfern durch Herrn Ernst Pinkert unterhalten, ist in eine Aktiengesellschaft umgewandelt worden, welcher im Interesse der Gemeinnützigkeit des Unternehmens durch die städtischen Behörden sehr große Vortheile gewährt wurden. Die Stadt behält sich nach Ablauf von 70 Jahren das Ankaufrecht vor.

Pirna. Dieser Tage wurden an der sächsisch-böhmischen Grenze in Bodenbach zwei Engländer verhaftet, von denen der eine vor mehreren Monaten einen größeren Diebstahl in einem englischen Bankhause, wo er angestellt war, verübt hatte. In Gemeinschaft mit einem Studenten sich der Beamte nach Deutschland. Im Besitz der Beiden wurden noch 500 Gulden vorgefunden; die unterschlagene Summe gibt der Beamte selbst mit 20,000 Mark an.

Plauen. Wegen Ueberschreitung seiner Amtsgewalt verurtheilte das hiesige Landgericht den Ortspolizisten Haase aus Brunn zu einem Jahr Gefängniß und dreijährigem Ehrverlust. Haase wurde nach Schluß der Verhandlung verhaftet. Er hatte einen die Ruhe störenden Zimmermann mit seinem Seitengewehr heftig geschlagen.

Thüringische Staaten.

Eisenach. Der hiesige Gemeinderath setzte die Lehrergehälter auf 1400 Mark Anfangsgehalt bis zu 3000 Mark Höchstgehalt nach 25 Dienstjahren steigend fest. Die hiesigen Lehrerstellen sind demnach die bestbesoldeten im Großherzogthum. Der Mehraufwand, welcher dem Stadtsäckel durch die vorgenommene Gehaltserhöhung erwächst, beziffert sich auf 16,300 Mark.

Jena. Der Verein für Feuerbestattung dahier hat seit der verhältnißmäßig kurzen Zeit von der Inbetriebsetzung seines Verbrennungsofens an, also etwa innerhalb acht Monaten, bereits 15 Leichenverbrennungen vorgenommen.

Koburg. Ein alter 95er Veteran von 1870, der nicht genannt sein will, hat für hilfsbedürftige Veteranen des dahier liegenden dritten Bataillons des 6. thüringischen Infanterie-Regiments Nr. 95 und für deren hilfsbedürftige Hinterbliebene eine Stiftung von 10,000 Mark gemacht. Die Vertheilung der Zinsen soll jährlich am Jahrestage der Schlacht bei Wörth erfolgen.

Freie Städte.

Hamburg. Der Senat hat bei der Bürgerschaft die Anlage eines neuen an die Hamburg-Amerikalinie zu verpachtenden Hafens auf Kuhwärder beantragt, dessen Kosten sich auf 20,500,000 Mark belaufen; die jährliche Pacht beläuft sich auf 800,000 Mark, die Pachtdauer auf 25 Jahre.

Bremen. Der aus Moabit entsprungene Raubmörder Schiffer Erpel ist in dem benachbarten Dorfe Hastedt durch einen Bremischen Landdragoner festgenommen worden. Erpel, der sehr heruntergekommen in seinem Aeußeren war, hatte sich dadurch verdächtig gemacht, daß er ein werthvolles neues Fahrrad zu veräußern suchte. Bei seiner Festnahme wurden viele Goldsachen in den Taschen seiner Kleidung gefunden.

Lübeck. Die Uebelthäter, die kürzlich das große Hünengrab bei Waldhusen stark verwüsteten und auf deren Ermittelung die Behörde eine Belohnung von 100 Mark aussetzte, sind jetzt ermittelt. Es sind drei Schüler des hiesigen Katharineums (höhere Lehranstalt) und ein Kaufmannslehrling, die einer strengen Bestrafung um so mehr entgegensehen, als die drei angehenden Studenten sich des Werthes des Alterthums bewußt sein mußten.

Oldenburg.

Sande. Bei der Wahl von fünf Kirchenvertretern wurden die Anhänger der sozialdemokratischen Partei sämmtlich gewählt. Der Grund für diese Wahl mag darin zu finden sein, daß in der letzten Zeit erhebliche Kosten für die neue Kirche und namentlich für ein neues Pfarrhaus bewilligt sind, die Gemeinde aber nicht reich ist.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 a. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at † 10, † 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 30, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00, 8 37, 9 05, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05, 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 45, 6 15, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 25, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 01 a. m. 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03, 5 25, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06, 9 05, a.m. 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 06, 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 18, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01, 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 48, 8 06 a. m.; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 20 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m, way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

6 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 34, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 48, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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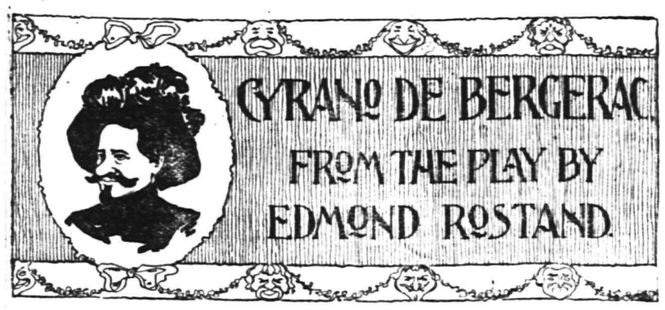

CHAPTER III.

The audience, delighted with Cyrano's wit, roared with laughter, and the viscount turned his back and started to leave.

Cyrano doubled up as if seized with sudden cramps and called out, "Aie, aie!"

"What is he saying?" said the viscount, turning back.

"The cramp in my sword," said Cyrano. "It comes of leaving it in idleness; it is getting stiff, I vow."

"Good!" and the viscount drew his sword for answer, exclaiming contemptuously, "Poet!"

"In proof of which I'll compose a ballade while we fence," said Cyrano, and then he went on in a singsong voice as if he had been reciting a lesson, that a ballade should contain three eight verse couplets and an envoi of four lines. "I'll make one while we fight and touch you at the final line."

"No!" exclaimed the viscount.

"No?" said Cyrano, and he began to declaim:

"The duel in Hotel of Burgundy—fought by De Bergerac and a good for naught."

Marquises and officers mingled in the pit with the common people. Pages climbed on one another's shoulders, the ladies leaned over from the galleries to see the better. "Give room! Great sport!" called out the audience as a space was hastily cleared in the center.

Roxane, pale as a lily, leaned forward to watch her cousin and her suitor fight. Cyrano as he fought, composed, suiting every act to the word. And this was his ballade of the duel:

I gayly doff my beaver low,
And, freeing hand and heel,
My heavy mantle off I throw
And draw my polished steel.
Graceful as Phœbus, round I wheel,
Alert as Scaramouch.
A word in your ear, sir spark, I steal,
At the envoi's end, I touch!
[They engage.]

Better for you had you lain low.
Where skewer my cock? In the heel?
In the heart? Your ribbon blue below?
In the hip and make you kneel?
Ho for the music of clashing steel!
What now? A hit? Not much!
'Twill be in the paunch, the stroke I steal,
When, at the envoi's end, I touch!

Oh, for a rhyme, for a rhyme in O!
You wriggle, starch white, my eel.
A rhyme, a rhyme! The white feather you show!
Jac, I parry the point of your steel!
The point you hoped I should feel!
I open the line, so now clutch
Your spit, sir scullion—show your zeal!
At the envoi's end, I touch!

He declaims solemnly:

Prince, pray heaven for your soul's weal!
I move a pace—lo, such and such!
Cut over—feint! [Thrusting] What ho, you reel?
[The viscount staggers. Cyrano salutes.]
At the envoi's end, I touch!

And with the word he pierced the viscount. All was confusion in an instant. Ragueneau danced about the hero of the hour. Cyrano's bosom friend, Le Bret, hovered near him, anxious in his happiness. Valvert's friends bore him away. Women applauded. Noblemen congratulated the fighter. Roxane's eyes looked down upon him. The buffet girl pressed the great man to eat.

"Ah," cried he, "I have no money!"

Blushing, she put all the contents of the buffet at his service.

"I could not take them from you, child," he said, "so keen is our Gascon pride. But fear of hurting you outweighs the pride. There, these few grapes, this water, a half a macaroon—and leave to kiss your hand for dessert."

Deeper grew the little maid's blushes.

"I thank you, sir," she said and courtesied out of sight.

"She admired you," said Le Bret.

"She? Ah! Admired me—but another does not. How could I hope it? Look you on my nose. Where'er I go it is still a quarter of a mile ahead of me—ridiculous, hideous. And I—of course I love the fairest, the most brilliant, most refined, most golden haired—a sweet perfumed rose, full of unconscious charms. Ah me!"

"Your cousin, Madeline?" cried Le Bret.

"My cousin Madeline, Roxane—the beauty and the wit—Roxane."

"She was death white the duel through."

"Pale at my danger? She?" cried Cyrano. And he himself grew pale at the thought. He trembled now.

And while he trembled and whitened the duenna of fair Roxane came gliding to his side.

"My lady goes to mass at St. Roch tomorrow," she whispered. "On the way there she craves speech with her most valiant cousin."

"My God, with me?" cried Cyrano, faint with rapture.

"Will you be there?"

"Will I be there? Oh, madame, without fail!"

He arranges a rendezvous at the pastry house of Ragueneau for 7 in the evening. In his ecstasy of delight Cyrano falls into Le Bret's arms and cries: "Le Bret, Le Bret! You heard what yonder departing lady said? Roxane, Roxane knows I live!"

"You are sad no more," jested Le Bret.

"Let the world go burn!" cried Cyrano in a passion of valor. "I've ten hearts in my breast now and a score of arms!"

Had Cyrano had time to dream, that night would have passed in ecstasy of hope, but there was other work cut out for him. He might not spend the hours of darkness tormenting himself with whimsical imaginings about his deformity and with golden anticipations roused by the beloved Roxane's message. His sword had work to do, and, though that work might lay him low and close his eyes forever before they rested on the face of his beloved, he must do it. A hundred men threatened Ligniere, the drunkard, the balladist, the man whose verse had stung the great De Guiche, the man whom Cyrano de Bergerac named friend.

RICHARD MANSFIELD AS CYRANO.

"But, prithee, why embroil yourself for him?" demanded Le Bret when Cyrano, forgetful of the roseate Roxane, had gripped his sword to use upon the hundred cutthroat hirelings of De Guiche. "He's but a wine cask at the best."

"He is my friend, and for this reason is he dear to me. His love was a lady of devout ways—and Ligniere, whom water poisons, saw her white fingers touch a font of holy water—little lilies ruffling a clear pond. Swiftly he seized the stoup and drained to the last drop the water her finger tips had sanctified. Was it not a pretty thing? Shall I not be proud to name him friend? And shall I not lead the charge upon those who seek to do him harm? Bear me no aid, I pray you, gentlemen, when I fall—fall upon them. Come you, if you will, but watchers be, not actors. Ahead of you at 20 paces I, all alone, shall dare them. Come on!"

They followed him to see the sport—those gay Parisians, to whom all things were but a spectacle. And the sight they witnessed drove them mad with delight. Cyrano bore down upon the thugs like an avalanche. Before his fury they fled away. Those who would have withstood him fell beneath his sword. There was no resisting him. The joy of battle against fearful odds was upon him. The message from Roxane sang itself in his heart. No man could hold his own against the strong son of Gascony.

How he escaped the crowd that pressed upon him, eager to touch his hand, eager to felicitate him, it is hard telling. But somehow he managed it. When the last flying form of his foes had sped through the nebulous moonlight, before the nobles and the officers who had witnessed the affair could seize Cyrano to bear him to his lodgings in triumph, he was gone. Hurrying to his house, they did not find him.

He walked deserted streets and quays while the moon traveled mistily down the sky and the sun rose up through a ruddy smoke in the east. A thousand times he addressed Roxane in fancy. The blood that rushed swiftly through his veins after the fight throbbed to her name now that battle was done. In lines that wove themselves together like the tendrils of a vine he addressed her. The lilt of birds' songs, the sobbing of the sea, colors like gems, perfumes as of flowers, all mingled in his senses as he framed the speech in which he would address her. Then, silhouetted on a gray wall, he would catch sight of his reflection. Grotesque, ungainly, monstrous, his nose was cut in the black shadow. His words took wing and his heart sank at the memory of that fatal nose.

Long before St. Roch's worshipers had left the chapel, he was at the pastry cook's. He paced up and down. His eyes took in the burnished brightness of the copper pans, the sputtering flames where from a fowl revolving on a spit a drop of grease would fall. He looked upon the plates high heaped with tarts and cakes. He saw a swaggering musketeer pay compliments to Lise, the buxom wife of Ragueneau. He saw Ragueneau, connoisseur of cakes and couplets, composer of tarts and triolets, adept at poetry and at pies, bustling about his shop, blind to the musketeer, keenly alive to the hungry poets whom he fed—at so many verses a meal.

CHAPTER IV.

But though Cyrano's eyes saw all the scene, but one thought filled his mind—Roxane. Would she never come? Would the slow minutes never drag themselves by? He whiled away the tedious time by writing her a love letter. Words ran like liquid fire from his pen, and, looking up, he saw that she had come. He bowed low to her duenna.

"Love von sweets, madame?" he asked. "Yes? Take then these cream cakes—see, I put them in a sonnet of M. Benserade, and here are little puffs—six of them, done up in a poem by St. Armant—and here are hot cakes. Go, I beg, and eat them and come not back until the last crumb is eaten."

Laden with her sweet spoils, the duenna withdrew.

"And now," said he, turning to Roxane and uncovering, "I bless the hour when you remembered that I lived. You come to tell me"—

"That I thank you first of all. Your brave blade yesterday at the play smote down the man a great lord seeks to make my husband.

"Aye—husband a la mode," said Cyrano. "I thank my destiny that I fought not for my ugliness alone, but for your beauty also."

"And—more than that have I to say. But be again my cousin of old days. Play we were once again two children frolicking at Bergerac. So shall I speak with better grace and surer courage. Your sword was then of reeds, and all I bade you do you did."

"Aye, for my cousin Madeline that's now Roxane the beauty."

"Was I fair then?"

"Not altogether ill to see."

"Remember you how all your scratches I would bind, but scold you, motherwise, at first? Give me your hand so, now. What, cousin! Here's a scratch indeed! When got you that?"

Cyrano tugged his hand away.

"A game last night," he answered. "I got it playing at the Porte de Nesle."

"Now I will bind your wounds again as in the old days there at Bergerac. With my own kerchief, see, I wipe away the blood. How many fought you?"

"Oh, a hundred!"

"Tell me true. You jest with me."

"Nay, what of that? Tell you what is the other thing you came to speak to me."

"Draw not your hand away, dear cousin. Be but the Cyrano I knew long since in Bergerac and I am bold to speak. Bend low and listen. I—I love."

"Ah!" breathed Cyrano.

"And he—knows not—guesses not!"

The room swam before Cyrano's eyes. He held his breath.

"He knows not yet, but soon he shall learn it. Bend lower. Listen. He—has loved me from afar. I saw. He dares not speak."

There was a cloud of rose and amethyst before Cyrano's dazzled eyes. He scarce could bear his happiness—his hand in hers, her words in his ear, her whisper on his cheek.

"Draw not your hand away, dear cousin. Hear me still. He—a chance—he is of your regiment—cadet of your own company!"

It was as though she rained spirit kisses on his lips. He half fainted with ecstasy.

"His brow," she went on—"his brow bears genius' stamp. He is noble, proud, valorous—and fair."

"Fair!" cried Cyrano, springing to his feet.

In a copper pan his face was reflected—misshapen. Cyrano had awakened from his dream.

"Why, cousin, what is it? What ails you?" begged Roxane.

"The—scratch—your hands had dressed, my gentle cousin. It stung again," he smiled. "But—tell me now his name. How can I serve you?"

"He is Baron Christian de Neuvillette. This day he joins the guards. I know he loves me. Eyes are eloquent—aye, and gossips, too."

"But you, my cousin, how know you that you love him? You delight in wit. Suppose his wit were slow? You love fancy. What were his fancy dull?"

"It is not. I know it is not!" cried Roxane, stamping her foot. Cyrano paused.

"How may I serve you?" he asked.

"Cousin, he joins your Gascon regiment, and I hear that you provoke all but pure Gascons who are admitted there. I trembled for him—till I saw you—invincible, all conquering. Then said I, 'If my cousin would' "—

"I will befriend your little baron," said Cyrano, the soul of generosity.

"You promise you'll do this for me? You'll be his friend? You'll let him fight no duels? They'll put no affront upon your protege?"

"I swear," said Cyrano.

Roxane paused. She took her veil, her mask.

"I've always held my cousin tenderly," she said. "How good you are!"

She blew him a kiss airily from her finger tips.

"Tell me of last night's fray?" she pressed him politely. "A hundred men, you said? You'll bid my Christian write? What odds against you, bravest coz? Another time you'll tell me all. How well you fought, how well!"

"I have fought better since," he answered and bowed low to let her pass. Roxane did not catch his meaning.

When she, veiled and masked again, had glided from the pastry cook's, Cyrano stood erect and stiff. Sorrow's shaft had transfixed him where he stood. He was blind and deaf to all about him for a few seconds. Then a door flung open. Pellmell a crowd rushed in.

"Cyrano!" cried voices.

"Hero!"

"Cyrano, Cyrano!"

Ragueneau, upset by the excitement, dashed hither and thither. Half of Cyrano's regiment crowded about him. Nobles and actors, poets and artists pushed and shoved to get nearer the hero of the last night's fray. The captain of the Gascon company, Carbon de Castel-Jaloux, was at the head of his men.

"They seek you, Cyrano, to call you brother, to embrace you, to hear"—

"I would not see—I am not—I desire not"— began Cyrano, sick at heart.

"The hero has the sulks, my Gascons!" cried Carbon. But, regardless of the feelings of the hero, the men crowded around, saluting and embracing their comrade. Nobles who the day before had not known the Gascon fighter begged to present him to fair and haughty dames who waited but to know him. Rich men tried to patronize him. The great De Guiche himself entered the pastry shop to congratulate the man who had overcome his own hirelings. Versifiers begged permission to make rhymes upon his exploit. Interviewers sought the privilege of writing of his exploit for The Court Gazette. But Cyrano to all was curt and spurned the flatteries.

De Guiche, whose manners were a little too fine to be good, expressed his admiration rather badly:

"So marvelous a feat I could not credit had I not heard these gentlemen swear they saw it. You are brave, sir. And you serve in that company of hotheads, the Gascons?"

"With the cadets," said Cyrano.

"My company is here assembled," said Carbon de Castel-Jaloux. "Cyrano, present them to the count, if you please."

TO BE CONTINUED.

COL. HAY'S LAWSUIT.

The New Secretary of State Fighting About Lake Sunapee.

John Hay, the new Secretary of State, is the leading plaintiff in an important case, the facts in which are now being ascertained by a referee appointed by the New Hampshire Supreme Court.

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But for land owners upon its shores there is one black cloud in Sunapee's blue sky. By an old grant of the New Hampshire Legislature a corporation known as the Sunapee Dam Co. was given power to regulate the flow of the lake through its principal outlet, Sugar River. This stream furnishes water power for several large manufactories and the Sunapee Dam Company keeps the water in the lake at a convenient height for that purpose. The result is that the summer residents, whose boathouses, wharves and grounds line the lake shore, find their property submerged for a part of the time, and, again, separated from the water's edge by a stretch of unsightly beach.

In fact, the corporation has caused so much complaint that the inhabitants around the lake frequently transpose the first two words of the company's title, in referring to it.

Other means of redressing their grievances having been tried and found wanting, the summer residents decided to take their case into court. Its decision will establish an important legal principle as to the riparian rights throughout New Hampshire, and perhaps in other states as well.

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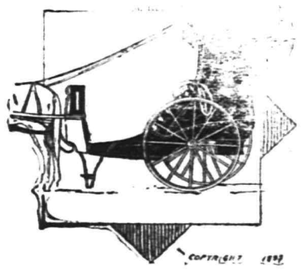

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Golden Text.—If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.—1 John i: 9. Nov. 20, 1898.

9. "So Manasseh made Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem to err and to do worse than the heathen whom the Lord had destroyed before the children of Israel." This is a summary of the previous part of this chapter concerning the sins of Manasseh, who began to reign when he was 12 years old and reigned 55 years in Jerusalem. He shed innocent blood very much until he had filled Jerusalem from one end to another (II Kings xxi, 16). He wrought much evil in the sight of the Lord to provoke Him to anger. Then think of the people of God acting worse than the heathen who knew not God, and even worshiping an idol, a carved image, in the house of God, where He had put His name and His glory! What a contrast to the conduct of his father, Hezekiah, who for the most part wrought good and right and truth before the Lord his God (chapter xxxi, 20). How could such a good father have such a bad son? But it is not an uncommon story. Consider the sons of Eli and of Samuel and of David. How could sinful King Ahaz, because of whose sins the Lord brought Judah low (chapter xxviii, 19), have such a good son as Hezekiah? His mother's name was Abi, the daughter of Zacharlah (II Kings, xviii, 2), and to her possibly much is due. But Manasseh's mother was Hephzibah (my delight is in her), and if there is anything in a name he, too, may have had a good mother (II Kings xxi, 1). Our heavenly Father knows what it is to have rebellious children (Isa. i, 2), and when He permits us to have rebellious children it is a ground of fellowship with Him.

10. "And the Lord spake to Manasseh, and to his people, but they would not hearken." Oh, how often the Lord has to say concerning those whom He would love to bless that they would not let Him, they would not listen to Him, they would not come to Him (Isa. xxx, 15; Math. xxiii, 37; John v, 40). If we only would receive His word with meekness, yield fully to Him and be willing and obedient, how much of heaven we might have upon the earth! How earnestly God cries to His people by His servants, the prophets, as, for example, in Jer. iii, 13, 14. "Only acknowledge thine iniquity; turn, O back-sliding children, saith the Lord, for I am married unto you." See also Ezek. xviii, 30-32; xxxiii, 11, etc.

11. "Wherefore the Lord brought upon them the captains of the host of the king of Assyria, which took Manasseh among the thorns and bound him with fetters and carried him to Babylon." Thus he found some reaping, for whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap, and they who sow the wind may reap the whirlwind (Gal. vi, 7; Hos. viii, 7). Affliction is often the best thing that can come to one who is wandering from God. God is not willing that any should perish, and if sinners will not listen to gracious words of love He will seek to win them by chastening, as He has said in Job xxxiii, 29, 30.

12. "And when he was in affliction he besought the Lord His God and humbled himself greatly before the God of His fathers." It is often the case that only in affliction will a soul turn to the Lord, even as it is written in Hos. v, 15, "In their affliction they will seek me early." It will be seen on a larger scale some day, for it is written in Isa. xxvi, 9, "When Thy judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world will learn righteousness." Even the fearful judgments of Rev. ix and xvi are intended, if possible, to bring men to repentance. See Rev. ix, 20, 21; xvi, 9, 11. Pride and self will are born in us as the results of Adam's sin, the work of the devil, and all people are either Cains or Abels, the former proudly resisting God and His salvation, and the latter humbly confessing their sins and accepting His way of redemption. The Pharisees when our Lord was on earth were of the line of Cain, religious, but proud and hating God and His way.

13. "And prayed unto Him and He was entreated of him and heard his supplication and brought him again to Jerusalem into his kingdom. Then Manasseh knew that the Lord He was God." Manasseh was evidently a true penitent, and God's ear is ever open to such. It is always true for such on God's part. "Him that cometh unto me I will in no wise cast out" (John vi, 37). It is written in I Chron. v, 20, concerning some of Israel that they cried to God in the battle and He was entreated of them, because they put their trust in Him. Ezra says in chapter viii, 23, "So we fasted and besought our God for this and He was entreated of us." As to the mercy which is with God for the greatest sinner who with true penitence turns to Him we need only consider the case of the penitent thief or of Saul of Tarsus. But who could be greater in sin than this son of Hezekiah?

14. "Now after this he built a wall without the city of David." The building of this wall and the placing of captains of war in the fenced cities does not imply any lack of trust in God, but is rather suggestive of keeping the Lord's property for the Lord.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 20—Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.—Topic, Praise and Thanksgiving.

Scripture Reading.—Ps. ciii.—"Bless the Lord, all His works, in all places of His dominion! Bless the Lord, O my soul!"

To receive benefits and not express appreciation is universally condemned. The old adage "One good turn deserves another" shows the general sense of the people that a kindness given should be reciprocated. The obligation goes deeper than the mere outward act. As a deed of love outwardly expresses the inner feeling of affection, so the person receiving it should not only show outward signs of gratitude, but is under obligation to regard the benefactor with thankfulness and affection. Nothing so fully reveals an evil heart as ingratitude. It is the basest of sins and leads to the foulest crimes. Gratitude is the safeguard of the soul. One who finds himself lacking in real hearty gratitude for benefits received should be alarmed and set about correcting his condition. To receive attentions and gifts as a matter of course and right does not indicate a royal soul, as some seem to think, but does show the spirit of the pauper and perhaps the thief.

The person who chafes under the reception of gifts and is restless until an exact equivalent has been returned also exhibits a mean and essentially unthankful disposition. True nobility of nature finds joy in receiving attentions, gifts and expressions of regard, conscious that they are outward signs of inner friendliness. All genuine worthiness rejoices to receive tokens of regard, but finds greater pleasure in giving. It is natural, indeed inevitable, that a full fountain should overflow. So all generous natures spontaneously gush out with helpfulness to others, and are happiest when making others happy. So, when they receive from others they are pleased, because they recognized in others the same blessed springs of action they possess themselves and share in the happiness of mutual posession.

The devout soul sees God in all he has of goods and blessings. He recognizes the Divine One as everywhere present in the world in power and merciful kindness. He recognizes his obligation to the Lord for life and all its benefits. Gratitude springs up, and the more he knows of God in Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit the more freely does he come to believe in and trust the Father all holy, and in equal measure the inner life is filled with praise and the mouth is filled with thanksgiving.

At this season of the year the ingathering of harvests leads to formal expressions of gratitude to God the Giver. The public service is valuable. The national thanksgiving with all its time honored festivities should be kept, but personal gratitude should lead to more than this. It requires complete enlistment of all powers in the service of Him who is "the giver of every good and perfect gift."

City Road Chapel.

Beyond question the most noted church building in Methodism is the Wesley chapel, City Road, London. The parish church at Epworth is not now and never was the property of Methodists, but always belonged to the church of England. The "Old Foundry" was the first preaching house of the denomination in London, but has long since disappeared. At City Road chapel was the favorite residence of John Wesley. His house is still occupied by the super-

CITY ROAD CHAPEL.

intendent of the circuit and by a museum of Wesley mementos recently collected there for preservation. The interior of the chapel remains in much the same condition as it was when Wesley preached there. It stands back quite a distance from the street. On the opposite side of the street is Bunhill Fields burying ground, where Susannah Wesley, the mother of John, lies buried. The body of John Wesley lies in a tomb behind the chapel. Ten others are buried in the same tomb, and 5,000 Methodists lie buried near their great leader.

The Inscription.

For many hundreds of years the meaning of the picture writing on the obelisks and temple walls of Egypt was unknown. In the latter part of the last century the key to the mystery was found, and now the multitude can read the message of the monuments. One of the most ancient of inscriptions in the land is that written on the obelisk of On. The translation of it reads: "The Horus, the living from his birth; the king of upper and lower Egypt, Ra Kheper Ka; lord of the two diadems, son of the sun, Usertesen, the loved of the god of Heliopolis from his birth, ever living. The golden Horus, the good god, Ra Kheper Ka, to the celebration of the panegyry. He (has) made (this obelisk) the eternal generator."

More things are wrought by prayer
Than this world dreams of, wherefore let thy voice
Rise like a fountain for me night and day.
For what are men better than sheep or goats
That nourish a blind life within the brain
If, knowing God, they lift not hands in prayer
Both for themselves and those who call them friends?
For so the whole round world is every way
Bound by gold chains about the feet of God.

—Henry Elliott Mott.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Nov. 20—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—"Praise the Lord."—Ps. cxlvii, 1-20. (A Thanksgiving meeting.)

It is probable that this psalm was an anthem written for use in the second temple. It praises God for various attributes, but especially commemorates His goodness in bringing back His people from their captivity and rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem. "The Lord doth built up Jerusalem; He gathereth together the outcasts of Israel." This psalm suggests that we should—

1. Praise the Lord for spiritual blessings (verses 1-6). The greatest blessings that came as a result of the return from the captivity were the spiritual blessings, and the psalmist gives directly as a cause for praise to the Lord that "He healeth the broken in heart and bindeth up the wounds." God has given us great spiritual blessings in the past year, for which we should render thanks and praise unto Him. Skepticism and rationalism are on the decline, and an unusual interest is manifested in various ways in the highest and truest forms of spirituality. Today in the religious life of the world is pre-eminently the day of the Holy Ghost.

2. Praise the Lord for temporal blessings (verses 7-11). "Sing unto the Lord with thanksgiving * * * who covereth the heaven with clouds, who prepareth rain for the earth, who maketh the grass to grow upon the mountains. He giveth to the beast his food, and to the young ravens, which cry." God's providential care of both man and beast calls for our continual thanksgiving. Our country has been especially and wonderfully blessed in temporal blessing the past year. While some nations have suffered recently from failure of crops, our barns have been full and overflowing. This year has been no exception. Fruits abundant have been borne by our trees, and our fields have yielded unusual crops—causes of thanksgiving to God.

3. Praise the Lord for ecclesiastical blessings (verses 12-15). For protection, for blessing, for peace and plenty the church is called upon to praise the Lord. The church today richly and abundantly enjoys all these blessings. It has protection. It never was more secure from danger and harm. The children of the church have been abundantly blessed. The church has peace. It never had a more desirable peace. Ecclesiastical strifes and contentions have almost disappeared. It is the era of ecclesiastical good feeling, and Christian endeavor has done much to make it so.

4. Praise the Lord for national blessings (verse 20). "He hath not dealt so with any nation." The history of the past year again applies these words to our beloved nation. He hath given us a wonderful victory over our enemies at an unusually small cost, in an unexpectedly short time. For what greater blessings could we thank God as a nation than for decisive victory in war and a speedy peace?

Bible Readings. — Ps. xxxiv, 1-8; xlviii, 1; l, 14, 23; lxvi, 1, 2; lxxv, 1; lxxxi, 1-3; lxxxix, 1-7; xcii, 1-5; xcv, 1, 2; c, 1-5; ciii, 1-5; cvii, 1-8; II Cor. ix, 10-12; Phil. iv, 6; Col. ii, 6, 7; iv, 2; Rev. vii, 11, 12.

Not Under Control.

Sometimes at sea a ship is found flying the signal, "Not under control." That is a very terrible signal. So long as the machinery and rudder and the rigging are sound and the ship is under complete control she may weather the strongest gale, but now she lies helpless at the mercy of wind and wave. No rescuing ship even dare come very near, for "not under control" means that she is a menace to others as well as herself. So in life we find far too often a man whose conduct indicates that the forces of his life are not under control. That is a sad and dangerous condition, dangerous for himself and for those about him. Safely lies in keeping the elements of character so adjusted that they are always under control, that thus we may keep our manhood true to its divine course.—Universalist Leader.

Laziness of Mind.

There is a laziness of the mind as well as of the body. People loaf mentally as well as physically. One is to be despised quite as much as the other. The man or boy who sits about on street corners and in stores telling idle tales is no more a social nuisance than is he who dawdles over his studies or dreams away the hours wool gathering which should be employed in planning and thinking about the serious problems of life. The mind should be held quite as rigidly to discipline as the body, for an aimless, wandering, unappliable mind will destroy one's usefulness quite as much as a slothful, flabby, unskilled body.—Churchman.

Swearing.

General Washington, it is said, once uttered an oath, and his example is presented as an excuse for the profanity of other men, but with the statement General Washington's opinion of swearing should always be joined. He said, "This is a vice so mean and low, without any temptation, that every man of sense and character detests and despises it."—Congregationalist.

Mistakes.

People who make mistakes are those who quarrel with one another before their children or who allow the latter to grow up in idleness, those who talk about their troubles before strangers, the father who tells his children to go the way he does not go himself and the young woman who does not make a confidant of her mother.—Lutheran Observer.

Only One Design.

A sculptor has many models from which he chisels various statues, though one may be his masterpiece, but when I come into the Lord's studio I find only one design—that we should be made in the likeness of Jesus Christ.—Bishop Baldwin.

Local-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Sachsen.

Dresden. Hier bestand einige Jahre ein „Institut für Realkredit- und Wechseldiskont," das sich angeblich mit Vermittelung von Hypotheken- und anderen Geldern befaßte. In Wahrheit hat es nur Geldsuchende in zahllosen Fällen um die zu zahlenden Gebühren betrogen, ohne daran zu denken, ihnen zu helfen. Die Betrogenen wohnen in allen Gauen des deutschen Reiches. Die Inhaber dieses Schwindelunternehmens, Alwin Guido Schmieder und Alfred Ewald Matschke, wurden zu je vier Jahren Gefängniß, 3000 Mark Geldstrafe und fünf Jahren Ehrverlust vom Landgericht in Dresden verurtheilt.

Chemnitz. Das hiesige Landgericht verurtheilte den 13 Jahre alten, bisher noch unbestraften Schulknaben Schulze aus Neudorf zu zwei Jahren Gefängniß! Der Knabe hat zweimal faustgroße Steine auf die Eisenbahnschienen gelegt und mit Steinen eine Warnungstafel der Bahn herabgeworfen. Die Steine wurden von der Lokomotive bei Seite geschoben.

Leipzig. Der hiesige Zoologische Garten, bisher unter großen Opfern durch Herrn Ernst Pinkert unterhalten, ist in eine Aktiengesellschaft umgewandelt worden, welcher im Interesse der Gemeinnützigkeit des Unternehmens durch die städtischen Behörden sehr große Vortheile gewährt wurden. Die Stadt behält sich nach Ablauf von 70 Jahren das Ankaufrecht vor.

Pirna. Dieser Tage wurden an der sächsisch-böhmischen Grenze in Bodenbach zwei Engländer verhaftet, von denen der eine vor mehreren Monaten einen größeren Diebstahl in einem englischen Bankhause, wo er angestellt war, verübt hatte. In Gemeinschaft mit einem Studenten sich der Beamte nach Deutschland. Im Besitz der Beiden wurden noch 500 Gulden vorgefunden; die unterschlagene Summe gibt der Beamte selbst mit 20,000 Mark an.

Plauen. Wegen Ueberschreitung seiner Amtsgewalt verurtheilte das hiesige Landgericht den Ortspolizisten Haase aus Brunn zu einem Jahr Gefängniß und dreijährigem Ehrverlust. Haase wurde nach Schluß der Verhandlung verhaftet. Er hatte einen die Ruhe störenden Zimmermann mit seinem Seitengewehr heftig geschlagen.

Thüringische Staaten.

Eisenach. Der hiesige Gemeinderath setzte die Lehrerachälter auf 1400 Mark Anfangsgehalt bis zu 3000 Mark Höchstgehalt nach 25 Dienstjahren steigend fest. Die hiesigen Lehrerstellen sind demnach die bestbesoldeten im Großherzogthum. Der Mehraufwand, welcher dem Stadtsäckel durch die vorgenommene Gehaltserhöhung erwächst, beziffert sich auf 16,300 Mark.

Jena. Der Verein für Feuerbestattung dahier hat seit der verhältnißmäßig kurzen Zeit von der Inbetriebsetzung seines Verbrennungsofens an, also etwa innerhalb acht Monaten, bereits 15 Leichenverbrennungen vorgenommen.

Koburg. Ein alter 95er Veteran von 1870, der nicht genannt sein will, hat für hilfsbedürftige Veteranen des dahier liegenden dritten Bataillons des 6. thüringischen Infanterie-Regiments Nr. 95 und für deren hilfsbedürftige Hinterbliebene eine Stiftung von 10,000 Mark gemacht. Die Vertheilung der Zinsen soll jährlich am Jahrestage der Schlacht bei Wörth erfolgen.

Freie Städte.

Hamburg. Der Senat hat bei der Bürgerschaft die Anlage eines neuen an die Hamburg-Amerikalinie zu verpachtenden Hafens auf Kuhwärder beantragt, dessen Kosten sich auf 20,500,000 Mark belaufen; die jährliche Pacht beläuft sich auf 800,000 Mark, die Pachtdauer auf 25 Jahre.

Bremen. Der aus Moabit entsprungene Raubmörder Schiffer Erpel ist in dem benachbarten Dorfe Hastedt durch einen Bremischen Landdragoner festgenommen worden. Erpel, der sehr heruntergekommen in seinem Aeußeren war, hatte sich dadurch verdächtig gemacht, daß er ein werthvolles neues Fahrrad zu veräußern suchte. Bei seiner Festnahme wurden viele Goldsachen in den Taschen seiner Kleidung gefunden.

Lübeck. Die Uebelthäter, die kürzlich das große Hünengrab bei Waldhusen stark verwüsteten und auf deren Ermittelung die Behörde eine Belohnung von 100 Mark aussetzte, sind jetzt ermittelt. Es sind drei Schüler des hiesigen Katharineums (höhere Lehranstalt) und ein Kaufmannslehrling, die einer strengen Bestrafung um so mehr entgegensehen, als die drei angehenden Studenten sich des Werthes des Alterthums bewußt sein mußten.

Oldenburg.

Sande. Bei der Wahl von fünf Kirchenvertretern wurden die Anhänger der sozialdemokratischen Partei sämmtlich gewählt. Der Grund für diese Wahl mag darin zu finden sein, daß in der letzten Zeit erhebliche Kosten für die neue Kirche und namentlich für ein neues Pfarrhaus bewilligt sind, die Gemeinde aber nicht reich ist.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays) 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00 9 00, 9 15, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00 p. m.; 12 15 night.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 30, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 05 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 55 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 08, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 08, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 22, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 38, 7 30, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 0 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 35, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 55, a.m; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 35, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 48, 9 06 a. m; 2 08 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 20 p. m.

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5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton Pangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesberre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 13 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

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8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

9 03 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 8 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 32 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 8 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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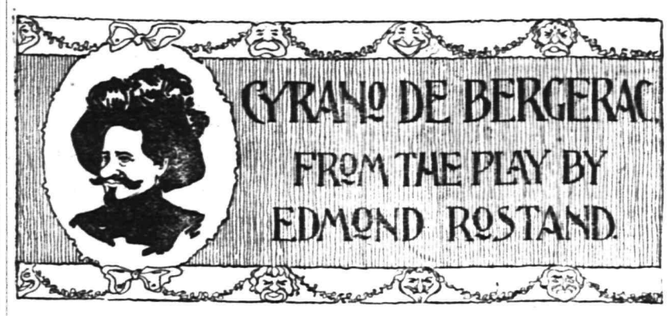

CHAPTER III.

The audience, delighted with Cyrano's wit, roared with laughter, and the viscount turned his back and started to leave.

Cyrano doubled up as if seized with sudden cramps and called out, "Aie, aie!"

"What is he saying?" said the viscount, turning back.

"The cramp in my sword," said Cyrano. "It comes of leaving it in idleness; it is getting stiff, I vow."

"Good!" and the viscount drew his sword for answer, exclaiming contemptuously, "Poet!"

"In proof of which I'll compose a ballade while we fence," said Cyrano, and then he went on in a singsong voice as if he had been reciting a lesson, that a ballade should contain three eight verse couplets and an envoi of four lines. "I'll make one while we fight and touch you at the final line."

"No!" exclaimed the viscount.

"No?" said Cyrano, and he began to declaim:

"The duel in Hotel of Burgundy—fought by De Bergerac and a good for naught."

Marquises and officers mingled in the pit with the common people. Pages climbed on one another's shoulders, the ladies leaned over from the galleries to see the better. "Give room! Great sport!" called out the audience as a space was hastily cleared in the center.

Roxane, pale as a lily, leaned forward to watch her cousin and her suitor fight. Cyrano as he fought, composed, suiting every act to the word. And this was his ballade of the duel:

I gayly doff my beaver low,
And, freeing hand and heel,
My heavy mantle off I throw
And draw my polished steel.
Graceful as Phœbus, round I wheel,
Alert as Scaramouch.
A word in your ear, sir spark, I steal,
At the envoi's end, I touch!
[They engage.]

Better for you had you lain low.
Where skewer my cock? In the heel?
In the heart? Your ribbon blue below?
In the hip and make you kneel?
Ho for the music of clashing steel!
What now? A hit? Not much!
'Twill be in the paunch, the stroke I steal,
When, at the envoi's end, I touch!

Oh, for a rhyme, for a rhyme in O!
You wriggle, starch white, my eel.
A rhyme, a rhyme! The white feather you show!
Jac, I parry the point of your steel!
The point you hoped I should feel!
I open the line, so now clutch
Your spit, sir scullion—show your zeal!
At the envoi's end, I touch!

He declaims solemnly:

Prince, pray heaven for your soul's weal!
I move a pace—lo, such and such!
Cut over—feint! [Thrusting] What ho, you reel?
[The viscount staggers. Cyrano salutes.]
At the envoi's end, I touch!

And with the word he pierced the viscount. All was confusion in an instant. Ragueneau danced about the hero of the hour. Cyrano's bosom friend, Le Bret, hovered near him, anxious in his happiness. Valvert's friends bore him away. Women applauded. Noblemen congratulated the fighter. Roxane's eyes looked down upon him. The buffet girl pressed the great man to eat.

"Ah," cried he, "I have no money!"

Blushing, she put all the contents of the buffet at his service.

"I could not take them from you, child," he said, "so keen is our Gascon pride. But fear of hurting you outweighs the pride. There, these few grapes, this water, a half a macaroon—and leave to kiss your hand for dessert."

Deeper grew the little maid's blushes.

"I thank you, sir," she said and courtesied out of sight.

"She admired you," said Le Bret.

"She? Ah! Admired me—but another does not. How could I hope it? Look you on my nose. Where'er I go it is still a quarter of a mile ahead of me—ridiculous, hideous. And I—of course I love the fairest, the most brilliant, most refined, most golden haired—a sweet perfumed rose, full of unconscious charms. Ah me!"

"Your cousin, Madeline?" cried Le Bret.

"My cousin Madeline, Roxane—the beauty and the wit—Roxane."

"She was death white the duel through."

"Pale at my danger? She?" cried Cyrano. And he himself grew pale at the thought. He trembled now.

And while he trembled and whitened the duenna of fair Roxane came gliding to his side.

"My lady goes to mass at St. Roch tomorrow," she whispered. "On the way there she craves speech with her most valiant cousin."

"My God, with me?" cried Cyrano, faint with rapture.

"Will you be there?"

"Will I be there? Oh, madame, without fail!"

He arranges a rendezvous at the pastry house of Ragueneau for 7 in the evening. In his ecstasy of delight Cyrano falls into Le Bret's arms and cries: "Le Bret, Le Bret! You heard what yonder departing lady said? Roxane, Roxane knows I live!"

"You are sad no more," jested Le Bret.

"Let the world go burn!" cried Cyrano in a passion of valor. "I've ten hearts in my breast now and a score of arms!"

Had Cyrano had time to dream, that night would have passed in ecstasy of hope, but there was other work cut out for him. He might not spend the hours of darkness tormenting himself with whimsical imaginings about his deformity and with golden anticipations roused by the beloved Roxane's message. His sword had work to do, and, though that work might lay him low and close his eyes forever before they rested on the face of his beloved, he

RICHARD MANSFIELD AS CYRANO.

must do it. A hundred men threatened Ligniere, the drunkard, the balladist, the man whose verse had stung the great De Guiche, the man whom Cyrano de Bergerac named friend.

"But, prithee, why embroil yourself for him?" demanded Le Bret when Cyrano, forgetful of the roseate Roxane, had gripped his sword to use upon the hundred cutthroat hirelings of De Guiche. "He's but a wine cask at the best."

"He is my friend, and for this reason is he dear to me. His love was a lady of devout ways—and Ligniere, whom water poisons, saw her white fingers touch a font of holy water—little lilies ruffling a clear pond. Swiftly he seized the stoup and drained to the last drop the water her finger tips had sanctified. Was it not a pretty thing? Shall I not be proud to name him friend? And shall I not lead the charge upon those who seek to do him harm? Bear me no aid, I pray you, gentlemen, when I fall—fall upon them. Come you, if you will, but watchers be, not actors. Ahead of you at 20 paces I, all alone, shall dare them. Come on!"

They followed him to see the sport—those gay Parisians, to whom all things were but a spectacle. And the sight they witnessed drove them mad with delight. Cyrano bore down upon the thugs like an avalanche. Before his fury they fled away. Those who would have withstood him fell beneath his sword. There was no resisting him. The joy of battle against fearful odds was upon him. The message from Roxane sang itself in his heart. No man could hold his own against the strong son of Gascony.

How he escaped the crowd that pressed upon him, eager to touch his hand, eager to felicitate him, it is hard telling. But somehow he managed it. When the last flying form of his foes had sped through the nebulous moonlight, before the nobles and the officers who had witnessed the affair could seize Cyrano to bear him to his lodgings in triumph, he was gone. Hurrying to his house, they did not find him.

He walked deserted streets and quays while the moon traveled mistily down the sky and the sun rose up through a ruddy smoke in the east. A thousand times he addressed Roxane in fancy. The blood that rushed swiftly through his veins after the fight throbbed to her name now that battle was done. In lines that wove themselves together like the tendrils of a vine he addressed her. The lilt of birds' songs, the sobbing of the sea, colors like gems, perfumes as of flowers, all mingled in his senses as he framed the speech in which he would address her. Then, silhouetted on a gray wall, he would catch sight of his reflection. Grotesque, ungainly, monstrous, his nose was cut in the black shadow. His words took wing and his heart sank at the memory of that fatal nose.

Long before St. Roch's worshipers had left the chapel, he was at the pastry cook's. He paced up and down. His eyes took in the burnished brightness of the copper pans, the sputtering flames where from a fowl revolving on a spit a drop of grease would fall. He looked upon the plates high heaped with tarts and cakes. He saw a swaggering musketeer pay compliments to Lise, the buxom wife of Ragueneau. He saw Ragueneau, connoisseur of cakes and couplets, composer of tarts and triolets, adept at poetry and at pies, bustling about his shop, blind to the musketeer, keenly alive to the hungry poets whom he fed—at so many verses a meal.

CHAPTER IV.

But though Cyrano's eyes saw all the scene, but one thought filled his mind—Roxane. Would she never come? Would the slow minutes never drag themselves by? He whiled away the tedious time by writing her a love letter. Words ran like liquid fire from his pen, and, looking up, he saw that she had come. He bowed low to her duenna.

"Love you sweets, madame?" he asked. "Yes? Take then these cream cakes—see, I put them in a sonnet of M. Benserade, and here are little puffs—six of them, done up in a poem by St. Armant—and here are hot cakes. Go, I beg, and eat them and come not back until the last crumb is eaten."

Laden with her sweet spoils, the duenna withdrew.

"And now," said he, turning to Roxane and uncovering, "I bless the hour when you remembered that I lived. You come to tell me"—

"That I thank you first of all. Your brave blade yesterday at the play smote down the man a great lord seeks to make my husband.

"Aye—husband a la mode," said Cyrano. "I thank my destiny that I fought not for my ugliness alone, but for your beauty also."

"And—more than that have I to say. But be again my cousin of old days. Play we were once again two children frolicking at Bergerac. So shall I speak with better grace and surer courage. Your sword was then of reeds, and all I bade you do you did."

"Aye, for my cousin Madeline that's now Roxane the beauty."

"Was I fair then?"

"Not altogether ill to see."

"Remember you how all your scratches I would bind, but scold you, motherwise, at first? Give me your hand so, now. What, cousin! Here's a scratch indeed! When got you that?"

Cyrano tugged his hand away.

"A game last night," he answered. "I got it playing at the Porte de Nesle."

"Now I will bind your wounds again as in the old days there at Bergerac. With my own kerchief, see, I wipe away the blood. How many fought you?"

"Oh, a hundred!"

"Tell me true. You jest with me."

"Nay, what of that? Tell you what is the other thing you came to speak to me."

"Draw not your hand away, dear cousin. Be but the Cyrano I knew long since in Bergerac and I am bold to speak. Bend low and listen. I—I love."

"Ah!" breathed Cyrano.

"And he—knows not—guesses not!"

The room swam before Cyrano's eyes. He held his breath.

"He knows not yet, but soon he shall learn it. Bend lower. Listen. He—has loved me from afar. I saw. He dares not speak."

There was a cloud of rose and amethyst before Cyrano's dazzled eyes. He scarce could bear his happiness—his hand in hers, her words in his ear, her whisper on his cheek.

"Draw not your hand away, dear cousin. Hear me still. He—a chance—he is of your regiment—cadet of your own company!"

It was as though she rained spirit kisses on his lips. He half fainted with ecstasy.

"His brow," she went on—"his brow bears genius' stamp. He is noble, proud, valorous—and fair."

"Fair!" cried Cyrano, springing to his feet.

In a copper pan his face was reflected—misshapen. Cyrano had awakened from his dream.

"Why, cousin, what is it? What ails you?" begged Roxane.

"The—scratch—your hands had dressed, my gentle cousin. It stung again," he smiled. "But—tell me now his name. How can I serve you?"

"He is Baron Christian de Neuvillette. This day he joins the guards. I know he loves me. Eyes are eloquent—aye, and gossips, too."

"But you, my cousin, how know you that you love him? You delight in wit. Suppose his wit were slow? You love fancy. What were his fancy dull?"

"It is not. I know it is not!" cried Roxane, stamping her foot. Cyrano paused.

"How may I serve you?" he asked.

"Cousin, he joins your Gascon regiment, and I hear that you provoke all but pure Gascons who are admitted there. I trembled for him—till I saw you—invincible, all conquering. Then said I, 'If my cousin would'"—

"I will befriend your little baron," said Cyrano, the soul of generosity.

"You promise you'll do this for me? You'll be his friend? You'll let him fight no duels? They'll put no affront upon your protege?"

"I swear," said Cyrano.

Roxane paused. She took her veil, her mask.

"I've always held my cousin tenderly," she said. "How good you are!"

She blew him a kiss airily from her finger tips.

"Tell me of last night's fray?" she pressed him politely. "A hundred men, you said? You'll bid my Christian write? What odds against you, bravest coz? Another time you'll tell me all. How well you fought, how well!"

"I have fought better since," he answered and bowed low to let her pass. Roxane did not catch his meaning.

When she, veiled and masked again, had glided from the pastry cook's, Cyrano stood erect and stiff. Sorrow's shaft had transfixed him where he stood. He was blind and deaf to all about him for a few seconds. Then a door flung open. Pellmell a crowd rushed in.

"Cyrano!" cried voices.

"Hero!"

"Cyrano, Cyrano!"

Ragueneau, upset by the excitement, dashed hither and thither. Half of Cyrano's regiment crowded about him. Nobles and actors, poets and artists pushed and shoved to get nearer the hero of the last night's fray. The captain of the Gascon company, Carbon de Castel-Jaloux, was at the head of his men.

"They seek you, Cyrano, to call you brother, to embrace you, to hear"—

"I would not see—I am not—I desire not"— began Cyrano, sick at heart.

"The hero has the sulks, my Gascons!" cried Carbon. But, regardless of the feelings of the hero, the men crowded around, saluting and embracing their comrade. Nobles who the day before had not known the Gascon fighter begged to present him to fair and haughty dames who waited but to know him. Rich men tried to patronize him. The great De Guiche himself entered the pastry shop to congratulate the man who had overcome his own hirelings. Versifiers begged permission to make rhymes upon his exploit. Interviewers sought the privilege of writing of his exploit for The Court Gazette. But Cyrano to all was curt and spurned the flatteries.

De Guiche, whose manners were a little too fine to be good, expressed his admiration rather badly:

"So marvelous a feat I could not credit had I not heard these gentlemen swear they saw it. You are brave, sir. And you serve in that company of hotheads, the Gascons?"

"With the cadets," said Cyrano.

"My company is here assembled," said Carbon de Castel-Jaloux. "Cyrano, present them to the count, if you please."

TO BE CONTINUED

COL. HAY'S LAWSUIT.

The New Secretary of State Fighting About Lake Sunapee.

John Hay, the new Secretary of State, is the leading plaintiff in an important case, the facts in which are now being ascertained by a referee appointed by the New Hampshire Supreme Court.

Legally associated with Mr. Hay are Professors John D. Quackenbush and William A. Dunning, of New York, Colonel W. S. B. Hopkins of Worcester, Mass., and others.

These gentlemen have built summer homes on the shores of Lake Sunapee, the most beautiful jewel in New Hampshire's girdle of lacustrine gems. So far as variety of scenery, vigor of climate and ease of access are concerned, this lake is an ideal summer resort, and every succeeding year finds its charms more widely known and more warmly praised.

But for land owners upon its shores there is one black cloud in Sunapee's blue sky. By an old grant of the New Hampshire Legislature a corporation known as the Sunapee Dam Co. was given power to regulate the flow of the lake through its principal outlet, Sugar River. This stream furnishes water power for several large manufactories and the Sunapee Dam Company keeps the water in the lake at a convenient height for that purpose. The result is that the summer residents, whose boathouses, wharves and grounds line the lake shore, find their property submerged for a part of the time, and, again, separated from the water's edge by a stretch of unsightly beach.

In fact, the corporation has caused so much complaint that the inhabitants around the lake frequently transpose the first two words of the company's title, in referring to it.

Other means of redressing their grievances having been tried and found wanting, the summer residents decided to take their case into court. Its decision will establish an important legal principle as to the riparian rights throughout New Hampshire, and perhaps in other states as well.

The distinguished gentlemen named as plaintiffs think they have invested sufficient money on the shores of this New Hampshire lake to be justified in expecting to draw dividends of undisturbed enjoyment.

Secretary Hay's villa is commodious, comfortable and suited to its surroundings, though it would not look out of place if transported to Newport or Bar Harbor. Twenty-five miles across the country, at Holderness, is the summer home of John G. Nicolay, who was Colonel Hay's co-worker on the monumental life of Lincoln.

A little colony of musical, literary and theatrical personages make Sunapee their home of a summer season. It has had, however, no Whittier to sing its charms and no persistent railroad advertising to bring it into national notice and popularity. In the minds of Col. Hay and his companion plaintiffs, this freedom from publicity is one of the lake's chief charms.

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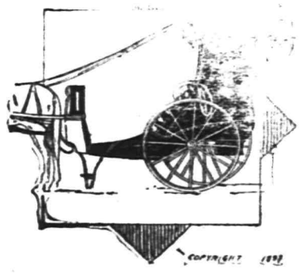

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Twentieth Day of December

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Fourth Tuesday of November

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SPORTING.

BASKET BALL.

Monday evening the local basket ball team will go to Brooklyn to play the team of the Eastern District of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. The game will be played in the latter's gymnasium.

Ray Carroll seems a success on the Plainfield team. He played for the first time Monday evening and made an excellent showing. He showed better endurance than Bonney, in whose place he played. He was quick, kept his head and played more like a veteran than a new man.

Tonight the Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will go to Brooklyn and play the Greenpoint team. A return game will be played in the gymnasium here later in the season. The "Rubber Five," by which the team is known, is one of the strongest teams in the vicinity of New York and will make the Plainfield boys hustle.

ROD AND GUN.

The Independent Scheutzen Corps will give a shoot Thanksgiving Day.

PEOPLE COME AND GO.

PERSONAL MENTION OF INTEREST TO PRESS READERS.

Some Come to Enjoy Pleasures of Plainfield, Others Journey to Either Mountain or Shore for Recreation.

Mrs. Wm. A. Wilson, of Grove street, is reported as being about the same.

Dr. Zeglio, of Somerset street, is improved from his recent slight illness.

Edward Duck, of West Fifth street, has accepted a position with William G. DeMeza as law student.

H. F. Woolston, of Fairview avenue, is suffering with a burned hand which he is obliged to carry in a sling.

Former Chief Green, of the Long Branch Fire Department, is visiting J. P. Emmons, of Washington avenue.

No change is reported in the condition of J. W. Yates, of Seventh street. He is still unconscious and very critical.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ulrich, of New Haven, Conn., are spending a few days at the hsme of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. St. John, of West Front street.

Frank Fulton, formerly apothecary on the Badger, is in town today on a furlough. He is now located in Brooklyn, and has not yet been discharged from the esrvice.

Halsey DeCamp and Edward Nolan, two bright young men from Chester, Morris county, rode their wheels to Plainfield yesterday and today are enjoying a visit with friends in the borough. They will return home tomorrow.

NO DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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zens' movement men were not enrolled this motion raised further lively discussion, and after a time it was decided to take the votes by the uplifting of hands. The amendment was carried by about a two-thirds vote and afterwards the resolutions as amended were carried by about the same vote. That ended the attempt of putting up a straight ticket.

A motion was immediately made that a recess of ten minutes be taken for the enrollment of names. This was carried and a large number of Democrats then came forward and enrolled themselves.

After the meeting was called to order again discussion was indulged in and some acrimonious remarks were made by the Democrats, who were disgusted at the outcome. The meeting then adjourned.

Union Thanksgiving Services.

The union Thanksgiving services in this city will be held next Thursday morning in Trinity Reformed and the Seventh Day Baptist churches. Dr. D. J. Yerkes will preach in the former church, and Rev. Dr. Richards will preach in the latter edifice.

—Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., initiated one candidate last night.

FEW DRESSES

or wraps are really worn out. They fade a little or get spotted and rusty looking—color goes out of style, maybe—and the dress is discarded. It's a woeful waste. In nine cases out of ten a couple of dollars spent for cleaning or dyeing will give you a new garment, especially if the material was good in the first place.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—There will be an entertainment in the Boys' Club rooms tonight.

—Geo. R. Leland, of West Second street, has purchased a new horse.

—One medical case was discharged cured from Muhlenberg Hospital today.

—Thursday and Friday will be observed as the Thanksgiving holidays at the Plainfield public schools next week.

—Phillip DeHart, of the West End, who has been at Muhlenberg Hospital, under treatment for an injured hand, was discharged today.

—A fair and bazaar will be held in the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church December 7th, 8th and 9th. The fair will be given under the auspices of the Helping Hand Society.

—The hearing of Martin Holmes, of this city, on the charge preferred by John Barrick, was postponed yesterday afternoon until this evening. It will be held before Justice Mattison.

—If you want high-class shoes for fall or winter, patent tips, neat heels, in all sizes and widths, unsurpassed for style and appearance, go to Flynn Brothers, 222 West Front street, near Music Hall.

—The work being done by the Street Commissioner of the borough cutting out the roots of trees under the stone sidewalks and thus doing away with many a "stumbling block," is something that has long been needed, and will be a blessing to pedestrians.

AN ABSENT-MINDED OFFICIAL.

His Death Solved the Mystery of Lost Important Documents.

The discovery of the bundles of postal orders and bank checks tucked away in the pigeonholes of Mr. Spofford's desk and on the shelves of the old Congressional Library reminds me of a similar disclosure after the death of Robert W. Taylor, who was for many years Comptroller of the Treasury. He and Mr. Spofford had many characteristics in common. They were both very absent-minded men and habitually careless about their belongings. Mr. Taylor's desk was a curiosity. The clerks used to open the door of his office a crack so as to let their friends have a peep at it. It was covered with a pile of papers about eighteen inches thick, the accumulation of several years of official life, which grew higher every month as new documents were added to the accumulation. It was one of Mr. Taylor's peculiarities that he would never allow his desk to be dusted, and he would discharge a clerk or messenger who disturbed a single paper upon it. He claimed to know every document in the collection and insisted that he was able to find it in case it was wanted. He preferred to spread things out upon his desk in that way rather than file them away in pigeonholes. Every afternoon when the old gentleman left the office, the janitor would cover his precious pile with a big calico spread to protect it from the dust.

After Mr. Taylor died, his deputy, who undertook to examine and file away the documents and manuscripts that had accumulated upon the desk during the twenty-five or thirty years he was in office, made some important discoveries. Important papers that had mysteriously disappeared, and for which the Department had been searched over and over again, were brought to light, and, among other things, a United States bond for several thousand dollars, that had been held up as irregular several years before and referred to the Comptroller for an opinion as to its genuineness. The bond mysteriously disappeared and was forgotten until the owner had written to the Department seventeen or eighteen times demanding its return. Then, as the officials could find no trace of it, he brought suit in the Court of Claims to recover its value from the Government, holding the Secretary of the Treasury as responsible for its preservation. When the missing bond was found among Mr. Taylor's literary remains the Attorney General was notified and arranged a settlement with the owner, under which the Government paid his attorney's fees and the costs of the suit.—W. E. Curtis, in Chicago Record.

Bootblacks in London.

The force of American demand is being once more exemplified in London by the placing at all important railroad stations of chairs in connection with the bootblack brigade. This work is undertaken by the Central Shoeblack Society. There is already such accommodation provided at Viaduct Station. It appears that American gentlemen visiting London express surprise that they are expected to stand while they have their boots blacked, as they are accustomed to sit during the operation at home.

The society has sixty boys who are lodged, taught and partially boarded on the premises of the institution, and there is an ingenious allotment of their earnings into three parts after an allowance for food required out of doors, one-third being their own, another third the society's, and the remaining third going to their bank account, on which they can draw for special purposes.

PROTECTING ROYALTY.

Wilhelm of Germany Has 1,500 Men Guarding Him.

Fifteen hundred persons are lying awake nights in Berlin and its neighborhood to protect the kaiser's life and health, and to see that his path runs smoothly. These 1,500 are servants of all degrees; some are styled "Excellency," and others are mere bootblacks of fortune. Yet despite this host of watch dogs, the kaiser feels secure nowhere but in Potsdam, where the castle is guarded by 500 picked men in barracks connected with the palace, and where the royal park is patrolled by numerous sentinels, who have orders to shoot at any suspicious person who cannot, or will not, give an account of himself.

Those Potsdam arrangements for guarding the royal person are observed at all the courts of Europe. In his palace, at least, a monarch seems to be reasonably protected against unpleasant surprise. The dangerous part of the king business is in outings, ceremonies and exercises of all sorts. At the beginning of his reign the kaiser magnanimously decided to dispense with the public police service. Next day the president of police and the entire officers' corps resigned. "If we are not allowed to watch over your majesty in our own way we cannot be responsible for your safety," they said. The Prussian court has abandoned body guards, except for ceremonious occasions, but the kaiser keeps an elite corps of 350 mounted men about his person all the time. They are called body gendarmes, and, like the Feldjaegers, are really nothing more nor less than royal footmen, paid out of the people's instead of out of the kaiser's treasury. When the kaiser goes riding two body gendarmes, one or two adjutants and two grooms, accompany him, but a hundred or more gendarmes or Feldjaegers in citizen's dress traverse the park in all directions to look for suspicious characters and be at hand when necessary.

The King of Italy loves his wife, and will not drive out with the queen for fear that a bullet, or a dagger thrust, intended for him, may strike her. But Crispi went further. Out of a half hundred banditti marked for the galleys he selected one, Pietro by name, and placed before him the alternative of dragging a ball and chain for the rest of his life or of living in luxury and keeping his dagger and fists ready for regicides.

During the last five years Pietro has shadowed the king by day and night. He attends him in the council chamber and to mass; he sleeps on the threshold of their majesties' bedroom. When the king is about to drive out Pietro examines the horses and the carriage. He takes a bite or a spoonful out of every dish before it is placed on Umberto's and Marguerite's table. Disguised as a military attache, this lusty ex-cutthroat, who has a record as a throttler, sits to his majesty's left in the royal coach, with a dagger up his sleeve, or rides by his side at parades and reviews.

The czar is surrounded by half a hundred men of the Pietro stamp, the pick of the Don-Cossacks. Splendid barbarians they are, and the minister of police sees to it that the influences of civilization do not touch them beyond the soap point. They must keep clean, must, indeed, be paragons of cleanliness, but reading and writing, even the Russian language are closed books to them. Knowledge might mar their supreme self-confidence; it might interfere with discipline; if they spoke any language beside their vernacular it might lay them open to foreign influences. The members of the imperial family order the Cossacks about by signs; they are permitted to speak only to their direct superiors. The arrangement works well enough indoors, but for public occasions there's another. When the czar rides or drives or walks anywhere outside of his own apartments, he is surrounded by a veritable cluster of dignitaries and guards dressed to give them the appearance of superior rank. And Nicholas, being a small man, completely disappears in the sea of humanity engulfing him. To hit him, an assassin would have to hurl a missile from above, and then it's ten to one he would kill some nobody, or half a dozen of them. Officially the personal safety of the czar is entrusted to the master of police, who is again controlled by a general chosen by the czar for a longer or shorter period, or for different localities, as the case may be.

The presidents, or masters of police, at St. Petersburg, Berlin, Vienna, Rome and of all the capitals of Europe report daily to their sovereigns, their business having precedence over any other affairs of state. William, Nicholas, Francis Joseph, and even Leopold, would sooner think of dispensing with the ancient custom of holding a morning confab with their cooks than begrudge the time allotted for the interview with the chief of mouchards.

The Emperor of Austria, who is a pious man, employs few precautionary measures, save the military ones peculiar to his position as the head of a great army. Of course his civil cabinet is always on the lookout for Czech, Magyar, Croat and Polish malcontents, but Francis Joseph takes little interest in the matter. At the same time he does not believe in encouraging attempts upon his life. A would-be conspirator or regicide who falls into the hands of the Austrian police is sure to suffer the full penalty of the law, or even a little more than the law allows. When the emperor travels, secret service men precede and accompany him. "I have met his majesty several times when abroad," said a diplomat, "and on one or two of these occasions the late Empress Elizabeth was with him. The imperial couple, when leaving the hotel, was always escorted by detectives in plain clothes, a measure particularly distasteful to her majesty.

A Novel Exhibition

The New York business man, walking down town to his office this month, finds his steps impeded, at Fifth avenue and Twenty-sixth street, by a crowd of men, women and children in front of two huge show windows at the upper corner, wherein is displayed a striking collection of books, pictures, manuscripts, and mementos of the Spanish American war. One of the windows is given up to the new books issued by The Century Co.—Dr. Weir Mitchell's "Francois," Mrs Burton Harrison's "Good Americans," etc. The other is devoted to The Century, especially the November number, in which is begun a remarkable series of papers on the late war. Here are Miss Cecilia Beaux's portraits, from life, of Admiral Sampson and Lieutenant Hobson, and the originals of other illustrations by well-known artists; the flag and pennant of the captain's gig of the Maine, loaned by Captain Sigsbee; a part of the manuscript of Hobson's account of the sinking of the Merrimac; sign-boards, etc., from Porto Rico; and Grasset's "Alexander the Great" magazine cover design. Eight large windows, running along Twenty-sixth street toward Broadway, are given up to different publications of the same house; the first to St. Nicholas; the next to the Century Dictionary, Cyclopedia, and Atlas; the third to Timothy Cole's engravings from the Old Masters, surrounding Wyatt Eaton's oil portrait of the engraver; and the fourth to the Civil War Series, authorized "Life of Lincoln," "Memoirs" of General Grant, etc., with the bronze death mask of Lincoln, autographs of Grant, McClellan, Mosby, etc., and the manuscript of "We are Coming, Father Abraham!" and of Stedman's Lincoln poem. The fifth window is bright with the red morocco covers of Sloane's monumental "Napoleon Bonaparte," flanked by the water-color paintings made to illustrate it. The other windows are filled with children's books, original designs for posters, diplomas from the Paris and Chicago expositions, views of The Century office, etc. To secure the windows alone it was necessary to lease the entire shop at the corner next above Delmonico's Madison Square restaurant; but the general attention it has attracted shows how keenly the public appreciates an exhibition which appeals only to the cultivated." Changes will be made from time to time, during the months of November and December, in the objects displayed in this unique gallery of art and literature.

—There will be a housewarming at the new home of Rev. and Mrs W. C. O'Donnell, of West Fourth street, next Tuesday evening.

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constitutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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	Fresh Pork Sausage	"	10c
	New California Prunes,	per lb	6c
	New Dried Peaches,	"	9c
	2 lb Package Hominy, regular 9c,		5c
	3 lb Can Boston Baked Beans		6c
	3 lb Can New Tomatoes		6c
	American Sardines, (in oil)	per box	2c
FLOUR	Best Minnesota Patent Flour per Bbl. 24½ Lb. Bag		$4.43 56c.
	Best Family Flour per Bbl. 24½ Lb. Bag		$3 90 49c.
	3 lb Package Prepared Flour,		8c
	2 lb Package Hecker's Flap Jack		8c
	Best Full Cream Cheese, per lb		12c
	American Club-House Cheese, per jar		10c
	Philadelphia Cream Cheese, per pkge		10c
	Neufchatel Cream Cheese, "		3c
	Best Limburger Cheese, per lb		12c
CRACKERS	Fresh Nic Nac,	per lb	4c
	Fresh Ginger Snaps,	"	4c
	Cream Lemon Crackers,	"	7c
	Sultana Fruit " reg 13c,	"	10c
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You can see more clothing at this sale and there is more clothing sold here than in any two stores in Plainfield, and is it any wonder? When you can get the finest goods here at one third the prices you have to pay in any store in the world for goods far inferior to the clothing sold at this sale.

We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale.

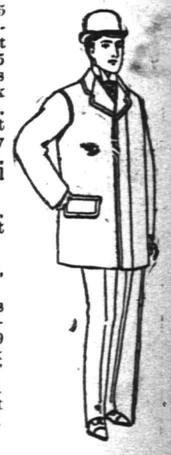
Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7.25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00. Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18 00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19.00.

Dawyer or Harriss' cassimere suits at $8 90 worth $18.00. Imported melton and covert cloth overcoats at $7.50 worth $16 75. Scotch cheviot sack suits at $4.50 worth $12 00. Boys' school suits at $1 60 worth $2 75. Childrens' suits, age 3 to 8 years, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1 50 worth double. Working pants, 75c.



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Flannelettes, 10 yds	79c
Satine Covered Comfortables, filled with best White Cotton	$1.25
Silkaline Covered Comfortables, filled with finest White Cotton, extra size	$1.49
S. H & M. Velveteen Binding	22c
Lily Dress Shields	21c
Canfield Dress Shields	20c
"Triumph" Hook Eye, card	2c
"Rapid" " " "	5c
"Triumph" Dress Stays	8c
"Carmen" " "	15c
All the 25c and 30c Veilings, newest styles, at	21c
Chesebrough Vaseline	4c
Royal Borated Talcum Powder	8c
Glycerine, Oatmeal and Turkish Bath Soap	3c

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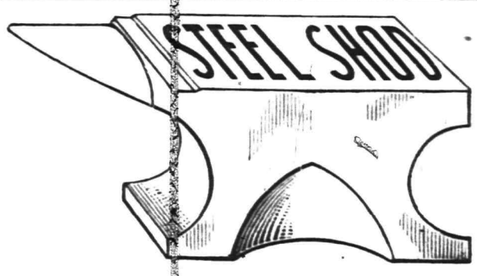

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DRAYTON, KEELEY AND CO. ATTACKED.

An Attempt to Defeat Them In Second Ward.

REPUBLICANS DISSATISFIED

T. A. CUMING AND C. S. FOOTE RIVAL CANDIDATES.

Cuming Will Head An "Anti-Ring" Ticket, While Foote is the Choice of the Republican Leaders in the Ward—To Fight It Out at Primary Monday Night—"Ring" Professes Contempt.

The Second Ward Republicans have a jolly time in prospect for Monday night when the primary is to be held at which the delegates to the city convention and three members of the Republican city committee will be elected and the nominations for ward Councilman, justice of the peace and constable made. The drift of political affairs there has not tended to lead to harmony and good feeling and the result is a substantial "kick" that is to come to the surface Monday night.

At present, the Second ward is represented in the city executive committee of the Republican party by William N. Runyon, W. H. Drayton and John Keeley, who have risen, of late, to an active part in ward politics. A wish has grown in the hearts of many Republicans of the ward that that section of the city might be otherwise represented in the governing body of the Republican party in Plainfield.

The trio has been facetiously termed the "ring" as it has controlled the ward since the election of Councilman Runyon to office. The "ring" has worked hard at each election and gotten out the Republican voters to the polls, urged the unenthusiastic ones to vote, driven the sick and tired to the polling places and did the rest of the work that usually falls to the share of the politician.

Somehow, there has been a rising feeling of discontent against the "ring" and their friends which finally reached a head at the approach of the municipal election when every Republican realized that there was a hard fight before them.

Last year the "ring" was beaten at the polls by a combination of Republicans, Democrats and independent voters. This time an attempt is being made to down Keeley, Drayton and Company at the primaries by placing an "anti-ring" ticket before the Republicans of the ward. No attempt has been made to extend the issue outside the ward and defeat W. N. Runyon's candidacy for the City Judgeship nomination. It is merely to defeat the present leaders in the Second ward and such candidates as they may put up

Two names have been presented in the Second ward for Councilman, C. S. Foote and Thomas A. Cuming. Mr. Foote is the choice of the "ring," who believe him a strong candidate. He resides on Putnam avenue and has lived there for eight years. He is a lawyer by profession, with an office in New York. He has been popular with his acquaintances, but never took any active part in politics until this last year.

Mr. Cuming is the candidate of the "anti-ring" faction. He is a property-owner and also resides on Putnam avenue. Although a young man he has held the responsible position of manager for the Eldridge Bicycle Company, besides having other business experience in New York and through this State. He is the local consul of the L. A. W. in Plainfield and a prominent wheelman.

Each faction will have a complete ticket with delegates and city committee-men on it and will make a lively fight for ascendancy in the ward.

"The "ringsters" profess to have complete contempt for the opposition and say they will have no trouble in defeating the ticket headed by Mr. Cuming.

In speaking of the affairs in the Second ward, W. H. Drayton told a Press reporter that he and Mr. Runyon had decided not to run for the city executive committee this year. They could be elected easily if they wanted to, he said, but they thought that they would give somebody else a chance. Mr. Keeley, he said, would go back to the committee. There was not any doubt of the result in his mind according to his statements.

Dr. Richardson Preached.

The pulpit in the Seventh Day Baptist church was occupied this morning by Rev. J. W. Richardson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis and Rev. A. E. Main both being in attendance at the annual meeting at Shiloh.

—Press want ads bring results.

A SWINDLER CAUGHT.

IMPORTANT CAPTURE MADE BY ELIZABETH POLICE.

Dr. Bondy, Who Has Duped Several Plainfielders by His Clever Ways, Taken Into Custody and Now Rests in Jail.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, November 19.—The police of Elizabeth made what they claim is an important arrest last evening in the person of Dr. Bondy, of Bayonne, who is wanted all along the Central and Pennsylvania Railroads from New York to Trenton for swindling various people out of money on worthless checks. Dr. Bondy was arrested about 9 o'clock as he alighted from a Pennsylvania train at the depot by Detectives McGrail and Decker, of Elizabeth, and was later taken to Bayonne by Detective Foley, of Jersey City.

Dr. Bondy is well-know in Plainfield, where he swindled two Plainfielders, Robert Guttridge, the Nethe wood butcher, and John Keely, the liveryman, out of money. Guttridge was euchred out of $50 and Keely out of $24. A Mr. Allen, of Westfield, also gave up $16.

Bondy's method of working his victims was bold. In each case the party swindled cashed a worthless check. To Keely, for instance, Bondy made himself known one day, and was such an affable, friendly sort of a fellow that the two struck up quite a friendship. A day or two after they became acquainted Bondy came to Keely with a check for $24, which he asked him to cash. The check was drawn on a New York bank and was signed by some one whom Keely had never heard of, but Bondy seemed such a respectable fellow, and the last man in the world to pass off a worthless check, that Keely cashed it. A few days later it came back marked "no good."

Bondy is a small, slight fellow, dark, with a remarkably high forehead, and is a man of education and culture. Before he took to this alleged swindling he had quite a practice in Bayonne, his home.

NEW SERIES STARTED.

Plainfield Building and Loan Association is Flourishing.

At the directors meeting of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association Thursday evening the matter of issuing a new series was taken up and favorable discussed. Many of Plainfield's citizens have tried National and other associations and are thoroughly dissatisfied with them and their methods of doing business, and would be glad to get their money back.

The Plainfield Building and Loan Association is managed by business men of our own town, economically run, and the investments are made on first mortgage on properties in and about Plainfield. The State reports show that the Plainfield Building and Loan Association is one of the first of the State, the last series which expired having run only ten years and five months. Hence the demand for stock in the association. The directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association are: L. E. Barkalew, Henry Liefke, W. R. Codington B. F. Coriell, Louis Klein, Jacob Voehl, James P. Homan, W. A. Woodruff, C. H. Rugg, J. E. Flannery, E. W. Titsworth and John Hickey.

A Birthday Celebration

The relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Overland, of West Fourth street, celebrated the birthday anniversary of Mr. Overland's mother last evening, at their home. Mrs. Overland has reached the age of sixty-eight years, and is hale and hearty. She received a large number of presents from her many friends. The evening was spent in a social manner and Mrs. Overland received hearty congratulations. Among those present were Mrs. Elizabeth Overland, George Overland, C. Overland, of Springdale; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Overland, of New Market; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Alberts, Mr. and Mrs. William Alberts, Miss Kittie Alberts, Herbert Alberts, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Overland and family.

A Thanksgiving Service.

Miss Ella C. Benedict, chairman of the prayer-meeting committee of the Trinity Reformed church Christian Endeavor Society, is making a special effort to secure a large attendance at the regular meeting to be held next Monday evening. It will be a Thanksgiving service and it is the desire of the above committee that all members, both present and former, attend. If anyone cannot attend they are urged to send a note to be read at the meeting.

The evening of November 30th Mr. and Mrs. W. E Bolce, of the borough, will celebrate their wedding anniversary.

MAY FORCE RUNYON TO RUN FOR MAYOR.

Rumors of a Big Change in Republican Slate.

WM. NEWCORN'S STRENGTH.

IT HAS DEVELOPED SO RAPIDLY THAT LEADERS FEAR RUNYON.

So, Rumor Says, the Nomination for City Judge Will be Given to Justice Newcorn and Runyon Will be Placed at the Head of the Ticket—Rockfellow Not Particular About the Nomination.

Out from the portals of the Republican camp where the leaders gather, there comes a rumor, apparently clad in all the garb of truth, that threatens to turn upsidedown the present slate for the city election.

There is trouble in the Republican camp, the rumor says. Nothing serious that is likely to play any part in the victory or defeat of the ticket but rather trouble that will affect the proper distribution of spoils. The substance of the rumor is simply this.

It was generally supposed that Councilman William N. Runyon would secure the nomination for City Judge without any great effort. Justice Newcorn has stepped into the race, however, and has shown such strength that the leaders are in doubt as to which one would win were the the contest allowed to go on. Both have been very active workers for the party and are therefore entitled to recognition.

According to the rumor, the party leaders have decided that Runyon must not be allowed to be defeated in the city convention. Neither must the formidable support behind Justice Newcorn be antagonized. There is only one solution and rumor has it that such action is to be taken. Runyon will withdraw from the race for City Judge and become the Rupublican candidate for Mayor. Mr. Rockfellow, they say, is not particularly anxious for the nomination, only if the Republicans want him to run he will.

Just how much truth there is in the rumor it is impossible to say. Time will show. It is well-known, however, that the contests in the Republican party are almost always settled before the city convention meets, through some compromise made by the party leaders.

A SOLLIER'S SURPRISE.

Party Given Last Evening to Corporal Bowden, of Delaware.

A surprise party was given last evening to Corporal John Bowden, of the First Delaware Regiment, who is at present enjoying a thirty days' furlough with relatives in this city. The surprise was complete in every particular. It was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Bowden, on Grant avenue. Although the storm was the means of preventing a goodly number of invited guests from being present, nevertheless those who were in attendance spent a very pleasant evening.

The hours passed away in listening to a few well-rendered Scotch ballads, and now and then the dancing of a few old fashioned Scotch reels, music being furnished by William Wilson. At midnight refreshments were served and it was two o'clock this morning when all joined in the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," and then departed for home, wishing the Corporal many happy returns of the day.

Union County Teachers' Institute.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, November 19.—The annual meeting of the Union County Teachers' Institute will be held in Public School, No. 1, Friday, December 2d. Professor Shearer, county superintendent of public schools, will preside, and there will be addresses by State Superintendent Baxter, J. M. Green, principal of the State Normal School; Francis Redway and Dr. E. E. White. The latter will also deliver a lecture in the evening, his subject to be "Duty of the Hour."

Union County's Election Bill.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 19.—The Union County Board of Freeholders held a special meeting yesterday afternoon for the purpose of settling up the election bills, which this year amount to over $11,000. Of this sum $9,000 was ordered paid and the balance will be disposed of next month. The election bills this year are not so large as last year, the constitutional amendment special election last year causing much additional expense.

Engine Broke Down.

The engine of the train due in this city from New York at 8:16 a. m. broke down this morning at Westfield and the train was nearly one hour late in this city.

A SILVER WEDDING.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN H. ROSS CELEBRATED 25TH ANNIVERSARY.

The Affair was Arranged as a Surprise to Them by Their Children—Held at Their Home On Prospect Place—Many Present.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ross, of 45 Prospect place, gathered at their home last evening in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. The affair was gotten up by their children and proved to be a complete surprise.

In spite of the disagreeable weather about fifty of their relatives and friends gathered at their home, and the evening was spent in a pleasurable manner.

Miss Charlotte Messersmith and Miss Nellie Winckler rendered several beautiful selections. Dancing and games were also features of the evening. About midnight refreshments in abundance were served.

The guests present were from Jersey City, Somerville, South Branch, Willow Grove and this city and borough.

There was a large table filled with beautiful and useful presents of silver and bric-a brac, the gifts from their relatives and friends.

FOR AN ACTIVE CONTEST.

FIRST WARD CITIZENS' COMMITTEE APPOINTED LAST NIGHT.

W. T. Banks Chairman of the Meeting—Every Effort Will Be Made to Stir Up Interest Among the City Voters.

An interesting meeting of Citizens' of the First ward was held last evening in the office of Lawyer Winfield S. Angleman for the purpose of still further formulating plans for the coming city election. W. T. Banks was chairman of the meeting, and Lawyer Irving L. Brady was the secretary. Plans were discussed and suggestions were made as to how the campaign should be conducted.

The following persons were appointed on a committee to confer with similar committees from the other wards for the purpose of nominating a Citizens' ticket: Democrats—Walter L. Hetfield, George Wyckoff, W. T. Banks, John Angleman, J. C. Blimm; Republicans—John Hope, I. L. Brady, Louis Peterson, W. H. Scribner and T. J. Hovell. It is quite likely that the committees will come together early next week and select candidates for the ticket to be placed in the field.

There was an attempt made last evening to hold a Citizens' caucus of Third ward and Second ward residents in Morgan Bird's mill on Fourth street. There were about eight persons that responded to the call, and it was considered hardly enough to carry on a meeting. The customary committees will be appointed, however, to confer with the other committees.

The Citizens' are certainly quite active in more ways than one. It has been decided by the Citizens' from the different wards to hold meetings in all of the wards the week before election, and to wind up the campaign with a rousing mass meeting in Music Hall on the eve of election. Good speakers will be present and an enthusiastic meeting will be held. Many of the bad features in connection with the present administration will be ventilated and it is the intention of those in charge to present facts and figures to show that the present city government is not one that has worked for the best interests of the city at large.

MUSIC AND STORY TELLING.

An Entertainment Given in the Boys' Club Last Night.

An entertainment was given last night in the Boys' Club, consisting of an informal programme of vocal and instrumental music and story telling. The boys were out in full force, and there were also several visitors, who braved the storm to give encouragement to the managers by their presence.

Those who took part were Miss Rosa Schroder, Dr. E. W. Hedges, Councilman Will N. Runyon and Fred VanEps. Miss Schroeder sang several times accompanied on the piano by Miss VanBoskirk. Dr. Hedges told some good stories, and Councilman Runyon kept them all in a roar of laughter with his songs. Mr. VanEps entertained with banjo solos, and all responded to several encores. This was the regular fall entertainment and will be followed in the spring by another.

To Improve a Road.

The members of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders are in session today at Somerville for the purpose of awarding the contract for the building of a macadam road in Bernards township. The road is seven miles in length and runs in the direction of Somerville.

CHANGE IN G. O. P. CITY COMMITTEE.

Younger Members Must Retire For Men of More Experience.

THE MATTER OF DELEGATES.

THE CITY JUDGESHIP NOMINATION PUZZLES THE LEADERS.

The Older Leaders of the Party Think That it is Time That They Took an Active Part in the Management of the Affairs of the Party—Third Ward Will Probably Secure Another Delegate To Convention.

While the Citizens in the city have been busily engaged in formulating plans for the placing of a ticket in the field for the city election, the Republican leaders have not been quiet Several meetings have been held and some radical changes are proposed, it is said. One great change spoke of is a change in the Republican city committee. It is intimated that some of the younger members are to be relieved and that ex-city officials will be elected in their place. This, it is claimed, is for the best interest of the party.

It cannot be said that there is perfect harmony in the ranks of the G. O. P. There is a breach and it is quite noticeable. At a recent meeting of the city executive committee there was an apportionment of delegates made from the different wards that does not please some of the workers. The First ward was allowed five, the Second ward six, the Third ward seven, and the Fourth ward nine. This apportionment makes it possible for the Third ward to secure an extra delegate, if he is is needed, and it will be easier to get one or two than four or five, as would be the case if the apportionment had been made on the basis of the vote that Councilman Buckle received at the last election.

Regarding the contest in the G. O. P. for City Judge between William Newcorn and William N. Runyon, there is considerable excitement. As far back as two years ago it was intimated that when Mr. Newcorn desired to run for the judgeship he should have the support of the party, and inasmuch as he declared his intention of securing the nomination this year, it is thought by Mr. Newcorn's friends that Mr. Runyon should withdraw in his favor. Mr. Runyon did not declare himself until after Mr. Newcorn came out with his announcement. The question that is now perplexing the minds of the leaders is how to satisfy both aspirants for the office. Several conferences have been held this week, but the breach apparently has not been closed.

New Timetable.

A new timetable goes into effect on the Central Railroad and all its branches tomorrow. There will be two or three important changes to Plainfielders. Two new New York and Washington trains will be put on, which will leave New York and Washington each day at 3 o'clock. The trains are now in the yards at Jersey City on exhibition. They will make the run in just five hours. Another local train to New York will leave Dunellen at 9:08 o'clock each day.

An Error Corrected.

In the short sketch of the political career of George W. Rockfellow, who is prominently mentioned for the Republican nomination Mayor, as appeared in yesterday's Press, a small error was made. Mr. Rockfellow was elected Mayor on the Democratic ticket, as was stated, defeating F. E. Marsh. When his term expired, Mr. Rockfellow was urged to run on the Republican ticket, but withdrew in favor of Job Male.

Not Held in City Court.

Oscar TenEyck, colored, was arraigned before City Judge this morning on the charge of being drunk and disorderly on complaint of J. M. Hetfield. The case was laid over indefinitely. After court, he was immediately arrested on a complaint from the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to animals, the warrant being issued by Justice Nash before whom he will have a hearing next week.

Sons of Veterans Fair.

The Sons of Veterans held a meeting this week and furthered their arrangements for the fair and bazaar they are going to hold in Washington Hall early next month. The Woman's Relief Corps met with them, and will assist the boys at the fair.

Improving Nicely.

James A. Brown, of Glen Gardner, who was brought to Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday suffering with injuries received in a fall at High Bridge, is doing as well as can be expected. He will be confined for sometime.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

MARTIN HOLMES MUST ANSWER TO THE ASSAULT CHARGE.

Justice Mattison Declined to Dismiss the Case, But on Motion of Holmes' Lawyer Held Him for Grand Jury

Last evening before Justice Mattison, of the borough, a hearing was given in the case of the State against Martin Holmes, on a charge of assault and battery preferred by John Barrick, an employe of George Wise, of the borough. The hearing was held simply for the purpose of determining whether Holmes could be held for the Grand Jury when he had already served a sentence on a similar charge. Holmes was represented by Lawyer Wm. DeMeza, while Lawyer Frank Blatz represented the State. The witnesses sworn included George Wise, while the plaintiff and defendant were allowed to testify in their own behalf.

At the conclusion of the hearing Mr. DeMeza asked that his client be committeed to await the action of the Grand Jury. This Justice Mattison agreed to do. The main point made by the defendant's lawyer was that Justice Mattison had no right to try Holmes, as he had already been tried by Recorder Long. The Justice stated that he was simply giving a hearing, and over-ruled Mr. DeMeza's motion to have the case dismissed. Mr. Blatz defended the State in the hearin an able manner.

ACCUSED OF CRUELTY TO HORSE.

Colored Man Alleged to Have Abused a Horse He Borrowed

Oscar TenEyck, colored, was arraigned before Justice Nash this morning on a charge of cruelty to animals preferred by the agent of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, W. N. Pangborn. TenEyck was held in $100 bail for his appearance for an examination Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. W. G. DeMeza is his counsel.

A couple of weeks ago TenEyck borrowed a horse belonging to Hetfield & Gallup, to drive "just around the corner," it is alleged he said. Instead of that he drove the horse to Irvington, it is said, and loaded the wagon so heavily that the horse was exhausted when he returned and could hardly stand.

Hetfield & Gallup made a complaint before the City Judge at first, but this morning the complaint was withdrawn and a new one, with Pangborn as the complaining witness, made before Justice Nash.

GANGRENE SET IN.

Burn on the Hand Developed Into a Serious Sore.

L. B. Woolston, of Fairview avenue, now carries his hand in a sling and is suffering much pain as the result of a little accident that occurred the first of the week. He was caring for the furnace at his home and burned his hand. The injury in itself was not a very severe one, but gangrene has set in and the results may be very unpleasant. The flesh on the fingers has been affected and has had to be cut away. It was feared that Mr. Woolston would loose a finger but the present treatment promises to save it.

Little Street Work.

There is very little being done on the streets now, as work for the winter has practically stopped. Street Commissioner Gavett had two men out yesterday afternoon and last night, and part of this morning sweeping and raking out the gutters and making the free passage of the water possible. In several places the men found the gutters stopped with leaves and debris.

Spencer Conway Exonerated.

Spencer Conway is once more breathing the fresh air without any fear of a visitation to a prison cell. This morning, in the City Court, he was completely exonerated on the charge of reckless driving, and Patrolman Cash, who made the arrest, was severely censured by City Judge DeMeza.

S. C. Peck's Mother Dead.

Mrs. S. C. Peck, of Milford, Conn., mother of S. C. Peck, Jr., of West Front street, died a few days ago at the age of ninety years. Mrs. S. C. Peck, Jr., left Thursday for Milford, and Mr. Peck will leave tomorrow morning. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon.

A Pleasant Social Affair.

Last evening at the home of W. H. Scribner, on Washington street, a pleasant social gathering took place which was arranged by Mrs. Scribner and her daughter. There were twenty-five people present, and dancing was the feature of the evening. Eugene O'Reilly furnished the music.

Took the Oath of Office.

Henry DeMott, coroner-elect, took the oath of office yesterday, and is now a full-fledged coroner.

R. F. MURRAY OPPOSES WATKINS FOR SPEAKER

Gives His Reasons in Interview With Press Reporter.

MAY CAUSE COMPLICATIONS.

WOULD FAVOR SOME OTHER MAN OF EQUAL ABILITY.

According to Ruling of Attorney General, Mr. Murray Says That Acting Governor Will Hold Office Until Inauguration Whether He is Elected or Not—Would Make Things Decidedly Complicated.

The Jersey Republicans are now quite interested in the question as to who will be the next Speaker of the Assembly. Acting Governor David O Watkins has been talked of prominently but among those who have announced that they are not in favor of him is Assemblyman Roger F. Murray, of this city.

Mr. Murray was interviewed this morning by a Press reporter on the subject and declared that he did not believe that Mr. Watkins would be the next speaker of the lower House. He gave the following as the reasons for his opinion.

The Attorney General in his opinion, said that Mr. Murray, holds that whenever the duties of the Governor fall to the Speaker of the House, he performs those duties until the next Governor is elected and qualifies. If Mr. Watkins had not been re-elected to the Assembly, he would have performed the duties of acting Governor until the third Tuesday in January although his term of office would have expired on the second Tuesday of that month. The facts of his being re elected Speaker would have nothing to do with his retaining the office of Acting Governor.

Should Mr. Watkins be re-elected Speaker, Mr. Murray continued, it would complicate matters very materially. When the Sentate and Assembly organize, they will appoint committees to wait on the acting-Governor and notify him of the organization of the Senate and lower House and inform him of the officers elected. How could the committee of the Senate, asked Mr. Murray, notify the acting-Governor when he would be in the Speaker's chair in the other branch of the Legislature and how could he appoint a committee to notify himself of the organization and election in the House?

These facts, said Mr. Murray, are enough to convince anyone that it would be useless to thus complicate matters when, by the election of a new man to the Speaker's position, all these complications would be avoided. The reason why the leading Republicans advised Mr. Voorhees to resign at once upon receiving the nomination for Governor, was to avoid complications, and Mr. Murray said that he believed the same argument would hold good in the case of Acting Governor Watkins.

"Mr. Watkins," remarked the Assemblyman, "made one of the best Speakers New Jersey ever had and my only reason for opposing his re-election is that I believe if there is another equally as good man in the House who desires the office, he has a prior claim to Mr. Watkins. If that man does not appear then I am for Mr. Watkins."

A Golf Dance.

On Thanksgiving evening there will be a "Golf Dance" in the Park Club house, and everyone who attends will be supposed to wear a golfing costume of some description. The colors of the Park Golf Club are red and white, and those who attend are urged to bear this in mind in arranging their dress. The patronesses for the affair include Mrs. William L. Saunders, Mrs. Edwin T. Douglass, Mrs. Chas. A. Reed and Mrs. Samuel St. John McCutchen.

Will Try to Release Baldwin.

Attorney William G. DeMeza went to Newark today to obtain the release of Augustus Baldwin, the West Fourth street haycarter who is in jail there on a charge of tampering with a way bill, and getting paid for 1,600 pounds more of hay than he had on his wagon.

Attending Church Convention.

Rev. Dr. A. E. Main, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, and Rev. Dr. Lewis, of this city, are in attendance at the yearly meeting of the Seventh-Day Baptist church of New York and New York, now being held at Shiloh.

Football Accident.

While George Baily, of Westervelt avenue, was playing football last Wednesday afternoon near his home he collided with another boy, with whom he was playing, and sprained the little finger on his right hand.

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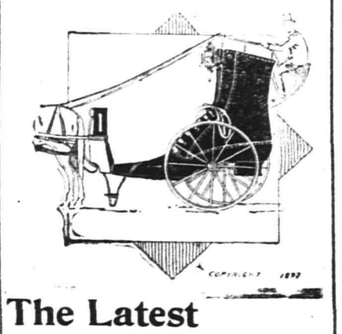

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WASHINGTON IS CONFIDENT

Spanish Reply Cabled in Cipher. An Ultimatum Will Not Be Delivered To-day but the Reply to Spain Will Leave No Doubt as to Consequence of Further Delay.

Madrid, Nov. 19, via Biarritz, France.—Duke Almodovar del Rio, minister of foreign affairs, visited Premier Sagasta yesterday and read to him telegrams from Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission at Paris saying that although the Americans defer replying to the Spanish proposal until Saturday, they will certainly at the next joint meeting, on that day, refuse to refer the matter of possession of the Philippine archipelago to arbitration.

Senor Sagasta's instructions to the Spanish commission are to obtain the best possible advantages in winding up matters.

There is every probability of the Sagasta government resigning after the signing of the protocol of peace in Paris.

It is reported that news has been received by the government from General Rios, governor of the Visayas islands, at Iloilo, that he is besieged by the Tagalos, and fears the butchery of the Spanish garrison by the insurgents.

Fashington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Just before the cabinet met yesterday morning the reply of the Spanish peace cimmission to the demands of the American commission, submitted last Wednesday, began to arrive at the state department in cipher by cable. Secretary Hay said that several hours would be consumed in deciphering the message, so that the full note could not be laid before the cabinet meeting.

The president and the secretary were well aware of its contents, however and the discussion in the cabinet room proceeded as intelligently as if the document had been fully translated.

The cabinet meeting developed nothing new concerning the situation at Paris, except a very hopeful feeling, based on unofficial advices that have been received from Paris, that a treaty of peace would be the outcome of the negotiations.

Two cabinet officers expressed the opinion that in the present propitious aspect of affairs they would not be surprised if the commissioners concluded their labors within a week, and it was evident from their reference to the matter that this news did not find contradiction in the cabinet session.

Secretary Hay informed the cabinet that Mr. Day's dispatch containing the substance of the Spanish answer had begun coming in over the wires just before he left the state department for the White House.

The Spanish note was delivered to the American commissioners at two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, or about 9 a. m. Washington time.

The government's instructions to the commissioners covered every point that the Spaniards were expected to bring forward, and these are considered sufficient to guide Mr. Day and his colleagues in formulating their answer to the Spanish representatives.

An authoritative statement was obtained yesterday that the American commissioners will not deliver an ultimatum to the Spaniards to-day, but their communication will be emphatic enough to leave their opponents no reason to suppose that the United States will tolerate any further delay.

To-day's meeting will be the last at which the question of Spanish sovereignty in the Philippine archipelago will be a topic of discussion.

If, at the succeeding session, an attempt is made by Spain's representatives to continue their policy of manana, the negotiations will end abruptly.

John W. Keely Dead.

Philadelphia, Nov. 19.—John F. Keely, the inventor of the so-called Keely motor, died yesterday at his home in this city from pneumonia.

He was taken ill on Saturday last and continued to grow worse steadily until his death.

Mr. Keely was 61 years old and leaves a widow.

Few men have lived in the realm of accepted or pseudo science of as strange and peculiar personality as John W. Keely—for while his baptismal name was John Ernest Morrel Keely, he was known in all legal documents as John W., and under that name he made contracts with the shrewdest of investors, the most calculating of fortune hunters, and the clearest headed lawyers in a city famed for a bar of extraordinary legal acumen.

He not only confounded scientists with an undoubted and thoroughly demonstrated force in mechanics, but he possessed sufficient personal magnetism to induce and and every man with whom he came in contact to believe in his theory that the mechanical device which he called a vibratory motor was the genesis of an absolutely new principle, and the more intelligent his listener the more confident the belief.

None of these visions materialized into reality and when Keely died his wonderful motor, so far as known, was as far from completion as it was the first day he discovered the mysterious molecular force.

Sues Dr. Swallow for $50,000.

Harrisburg, Pa., Nov. 18.—Congressman Josiah D. Hicks of Altoona, has begun a civil suit for libel in the Dauphin county court against the Rev. Dr Silas C. Swallow, the late "Thou shalt not steal" candidate for governor claiming $50,000 damages.

French Story of a Treaty.

Paris, Nov. 19.—La Patrie says "Lord Chamberlain has returned from America with the draft of a treaty with the United States concealed in his pockets."

THE WAR INVESTIGATION.

Affairs at Camps Alger and Wikoff as Told by Dr. Greenleaf.

New York, Nov. 19.—The war department investigation commission convened in parlor D R of the Fifth Avenue Hotel at ten o'clock yesterday morning to continue the examination of witnesses who desire to give testimony on matters conducted with the conduct of the late war.

The full commission, with the exception of Colonel Charles Denby, Secretary Weightman and Major Mills, who remained in Washington to hold sessions, were in attendance when General Dodge called the meeting to order.

It is expected that one hundred or more persons, including Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, the governor-elect, will testify.

When the meeting opened Dr. Chas. R. Greenleaf, chief surgeon of the troops in the field, on General Miles's staff, was the only one present.

Dr. Greenleaf took the stand after having subscribed to the usual oath. In response to questions in cross examination by Dr. Phineas S. Conner, as to the fitness of Camp Alger as a camping place for troops, he said that in some respects it was a very good camp.

It was a good camp for a small body of men, but there were many drawbacks. The water supply was poor and the region was known to be highly malarious.

There was a deficiency of privates in the hospital corps and of medical officers, and at times of medical supplies.

The best interests of the sick, Dr. Greenleaf said, were not seriously imperilled, but the efforts of the surgeons were generally embarrassed.

Questioned as to the condition of affairs on the transports, Dr. Greenleaf said that he did not personally inspect the transports at Cuba, but those leaving Porto Rico under his personal direction were well found in all respects.

Camp Montauk Dr. Greenleaf considered an ideal camp for its purpose. Lack of train service he considered a petty discomfort.

No complaints of any moment were submitted to him, and the small grumblings he heard he investigated and found without justification.

Questioned as to the discomforts endured by the furlough men, who, sick and weak, were compelled to loiter about the railway station awaiting fares and furloughs, he said that all that trouble might have been avoided by the establishment of a quartermaster office at the hospital. That was a matter of detail that did not occur to the officers in charge at first. Later a hospital station was established as an annex to the railroad station.

General Dodge asked of the conditions of the transports leaving Tampa for Cuba, and Dr. Greenleaf said they were dreadfully overcrowded.

He told ex-Governor Woodbury that he could not say that the overcrowding was not a military necessity, but he was certain it was wrong from a sanitary point of view.

David J. Goss, a private of the Seventy-first Regiment, who acted as cook for his company at Camp Black, said:

"It was all pretty rough. Nothing went right. It was some one's incompetency, but I don't know where."

Henry Hauck, an assistant foreman in the fire department, spoke highly of the courtesy and attention of the surgeons and said that he had no complaint at all to make of the treatment he received while in the service of the government.

TROOPS FOR CUBA.

War Department Officials Believe Fewer Will Be Needed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Adjutant General Corbin says that there is no intention at present to send the Sixth Massachusetts or any other regiments recently returned from Porto Rico to Cuba.

The men were given sixty days' furlough, but were not ordered mustered out because it was thought they might be needed later.

If they are not needed they will not be recalled from their furlough, but will be mustered out.

At the war department it is believed that not nearly so many troops will be needed in Cuba as were designated in the recent general order.

Then three corps were named and their stations determined upon. Three regiments were to be sent to the province of Cienfuegos, but now it seems likely that not more than one regiment will go there.

Other points where large garrisons were expected will not have the quota assigned to them, and perhaps not more than half of the troops first selected will go to the island.

Athens Cheers Prince George.

Athens, Nov. 19.—Prince George of Greece received an enthusiastic welcome here and at Piraeus yesterday. Crowds of Cretans, with banners, surrounded his carriage and cheered him vociferously.

A grand demonstration is in preparation to celebrate the prince's official appointment as the ruler of the island of Crete.

King George said yesterday that he expected the official notification of the appointment of Prince George as governor of Crete to arrive within three or four days.

Europe Gobbles S. P. Bonds.

London, Nov. 19.—The London banking house of Speyer Brothers has issued $10,000,000 of $1,000 five per cent. bonds of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company of California at 105, or two hundred and ten pounds per bond.

The issue was subscribed six times over, thus:

Twenty million dollars in London, $25,000,000 in Amsterdam and $20,000,000 in Germany.

A Big Lobster.

Montreal, Nov. 19.—A big lobster is on exhibition on Beaver Hall Hill. It weighs twenty-five pounds and measures forty-two inches from tip to tip, with claws twenty inches long and seven inches wide.

The lobster was captured off Grand Manan island, in the Bay of Fundy, and its captor says that but one other as large as this is known to have been caught there.

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Eighteen Taken Off Wreck by Lifeboats from the Peconic. The Vessel Abandoned, Then Reboarded After Storm Moderated, as Boats Were Not Seaworthy.

New York, Nov. 19.—The British steamer Peconic, which arrived at quarantine yesterday, brought into port eighteen shipwrecked mariners, who were taken out of the Dutch bark Johanna, which was found in a sinking condition.

The Peconic was running along at her usual speed, bound from Mediterranean fruit ports for New York, when, at 11 p. m., of November 11, distress signals were sighted to the north. The steamer's course was changed and she bore down to the distressed vessel, which was found to be the Dutch bark Johanna, from New York for Honolulu, in a sinking condition.

Life boats were launched and eighteen men, all told, were rescued.

The Johanna sailed from New York on October 31, with a full general cargo, for Honolulu. Fine weather was experienced until November 9, when a terrific gale set in from the northwest, accompanied by enormous seas, which flooded the decks and pounded the vessel violently.

The midship bulwarks were smashed in, and tons of water fell continuously on the decks.

The main hatch was smashed in, the deck beams were broken and the vessel began to take in water at an alarming rate.

Soon it was found by sounding that eight feet of water was in the hold, and the ship was seen to weave and buckle like a basket. Many of the beams of the main deck were found to weaken, and it was feared that the vessel would break in two amidships. Captain Maars believing the vessel doomed, ordered out the boats, intending to steer for Bermuda.

The first boat was thrown overboard only to be dashed to pieces against the side of the wreck.

After considerable delay the second boat was successfully launched and contained the whole crew of eighteen persons.

The wind had in the meantime shifted to the northeast and increased the fury of the terrible seas.

The small boat, overladen with her large number of unfortunates and overweighted with stores and water, was found to be in a dangerous condition.

The boat had become damaged in the effort to launch it from the wreck and in consequence great judgment and care were necessary in order to keep it afloat.

In this damaged small boat, which required constant bailing, the eighteen unfortunate seamen spent two days in the vicinity of the Johanna, as they had determined to return to the derelict when the weather subsided.

The small boat was considered unsafe for the long trip to Bermuda.

During these two days the bark was kept in sight, every time the boat falling into the hollow of the sea it was thought the wreck had gone down forever.

Finally, on November 11, the wind and sea went down and the men clambered on board of the wreck and set distress signals. At 11 p. m. a steamer was seen approaching and life boats shortly afterward came to their rescue.

The rescued men were Captain Maars, and sixteen men, the crew of the Johanna, and B. D. Douglass of Orange, N. J., a passenger.

More Trouble in Pana.

Pana, Ill., Nov. 19.—There was more trouble between the striking miners, the deputy sheriffs and the imported negroes here last night.

Several men were wounded, some seriously.

Sid Wats of Taylorville, a deputy, lost his right arm.

On account of the trouble yesterday Wats had been engaged all day in sweaoring in deputies for use at the Springside mine. He was in a buggy, on his way to the mine, and when passing McCarthy's store, was fired upon. As many as thirteen shots were fired at him.

Wats responded with what weapons he had, but had to desist when badly wounded. He got to the mine, and was then brought back to the city, where his arm was amputated.

An attack was made on the home of Sheriff-elect Downey, who favors the strikers. The union has protected him from the threats of the blacks and kept a guard around the house.

These men were fired upon. They fought the attack off without being injured.

There was another exchange of shots near the Eastside school. In fact there is occasional shooting in all parts of the town.

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DUN'S WEEKLY REPORT.

Slight Changes in Cotton and Woolen Goods. Iron Trade Brisk.

New York, Nov. 19.—The situation is clearer, and the improvement in business which was expected after the election, has begun.

Payments through clearing houses are far the largest ever known, for the week 37.3 per cent. larger than last year, and 33.0 per cent. larger than in 1892, and for the month the daily average has been $254,422,000, 20.7 per cent. larger than last year and 18.9 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Stocks have advanced steadily in the face of heavy realizing by European holders and domestic speculators, rising an average of 86 cents for the week, though trusts slightly declined.

The glassworkers have resumed, the anthracite coal output is heavy and much beyond the present capacity of markets, the troubles in Illinois coal mines have been settled, and the new strike of shoeworkers in Marlboro, Mass., is now the only labor hindrance of consequence.

It is noteworthy that in spite of all changes the price of spot wheat has but slightly changed. The exports for the week, flour included, have been 3,968,768 bushels from Atlantic ports against 3,237,344 last year, and from Pacific ports 988,093 bushels against 2,191,344 last year, making in all for two weeks of November 9,312,331 bushels, against 9,939,804 last year.

Corn exports also exceed last year's amounting for the week to 2,993,720 bushels, against 2,722,457 last year.

Fere it possible, it would be gratifying to say that a little stronger demand for cotton, making the price 5.37 cents against 5.31 a week ago, had a solid basis, but southern markets recognize the fact that the closing of many mills here and abroad, owing to excessive stocks of goods on hand, does not offer bright promise.

Crop prospects appear so good that, even at the extreme low prices quoted there is little encouragement for advance in view of the heavy stocks held here and abroad.

The woolen manufacture has gained in orders for the coming season which justifies the heavy buying of materials recently seen, and there are also better orders for speedy delivery, but the demand is not large, and much machinery is still waiting idly.

There is similar difficulty about the prices of boots and shoes, for manufacturers do not want to contract at present quotations for leather, and leather manufacturers show themselves unready to buy hides at current quotations, and while the prices of hides have yielded a little at Chicago, they are still relatively high.

Iron is in bigger demand all the time, and yet production steadily increases, and at Pittsburg, Bessemer pig is slightly lower at $10.10, the new association being undersold.

Orders for plates are beyond all precedent, including material for cars, bridges, vessels, and work of all sorts.

Imports for October were a little larger than last year, but the excess of exports over imports was more than $66,000,000, no other month excepting last December having ever shown as large an excess.

Failures in two weeks of November have been $3,468,657, against $5,600,424 last year.

Louisiana-Purchase Anniversary.

Denver, Col., Nov. 19.—William C. Ferrill, curator of the State Historical and Natural History Society of Colorado, has sent a letter to the board of directors of the Louisiana Purchase Centennial, St. Louis, Mo., suggesting that the board request the governors of those states that, as a whole, or in considerable part, were established from the Louisiana purchase, issue proclamations appointing December 20 next to be observed as Louisiana Purchase Flag Day in honor of the raising of the flag on that day, 1803, when the transfer of title was officially made to the United States.

Bits of News.

H. H. Meier, the founder of the North German Lloyd steamship line, died yesterday.

The Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition is to be repeated at Omaha next year on a more elaborate scale.

The London Saturday Review was sold on Wednesday, the property passing under an absolutely new proprietorship.

The German emperor and empress will probably land at Pola to-day and proceed at once for Berlin by the way of Munich.

The territorial capitol site commission of Arizona has adopted plans for a capitol building to cost one hundred thousand dollars. Bids for construction will be advertised for at once.

Before leaving Des Moines, Osborn Deignan, one of the crew of the Merrimac, presented to the Grant Club of that city the whistle used by Lieutenant Hobson in giving the signal for the sinking of that vessel.

Mills Hotel No. 1, in New York city according to the manager, proved a financial success in its first year, just closed, the profits equaling three per cent. on the investment after providing for depreciation and replacements.

The court of claims at Washington yesterday rendered a judgment of $1,961,400 in favor of the New York Indians who entered suit against the United States to recover the value of certain lands donated to them in Kansas and subsequently disposed of by the United States.

The steamship Campania, from New York, November 12, which arrived at Queenstown yesterday, was delayed three hours on her passage in affecting the rescue of John Karisen, a Swedish steerage passenger, who jumped overboard on the morning of November 13. Karisen died later from exhaustion.

Telephonic communication has been established between a number of farms in Australia by means of wire fences. The Australian Agriculturist publishes a note from a correspondent writing from a station near Cobar, stating that it was easy to converse with friends at a station eight miles distant with instruments connected on the wire fences, and the same kind of communication was established over a distance of thirteen miles.

TWELVE MEN KILLED

Train on Pennsylvania Rail Road Dashes into Crowd of Laborers.

FOG AND SMOKE TO BLAME

Five Others Seriously Injured. The Foreman's Escape. Stepped from One Track Directly in Front of Approaching Passenger Train.

Jersey City, Nov. 19.—Twelve men were killed, one probably fatally injured, and four seriously hurt, by being run down by the Millstone local train of the Pennsylvania road, on the Hackensack Meadows, just west of the Hackensack river, at 8.15 o'clock yesterday morning.

The men were laborers at work repairing the railroad traks on the outskirts of the town of Harrison.

William Quirk, No. 182 Steuben street, Jersey City, the foreman in charge of the men, escaped injury, but nearly everybody else in the gang was either killed outright or injured.

The laborers were at work on the west bound track, when a freight train came along, with the locomotive puffing out thick clouds of black smoke. There was also a fog hanging over the meadows at the time.

The Millstone local train, filled with commuters, and in charge of John Van Nostrand, the engineer, was racing over the Hackensack meadows towards Jersey City, trying to make up lost time.

The gang had crossed over to the east bound track to get out of the way of the freight train, when the Millstone local was rushing along, the smoke and fog obscuring the engineer's view. The laborers were also prevented from seeing the approaching train.

Before the engineer knew of the presence of the laborers his locomotive had mowed them down. The foreman, Quirk, had a hairbreadth escape. All about him mangled bodies and pieces of flesh were hurled.

The engineer, Van Nostrand, heard the cries of the wounded and dying, and at the same moment the smoke lifted and a horrible scene presented itself.

When the train was brought to a standstill the tracks were strewn with blood and fragments of bodies. Many of the passengers in the train became sick at the sight. Van Nostrand wept like a child when he saw what had happened.

As quickly as possible those of the laborers not already dead were put in the freight car of the Millstone local and taken to Jersey City where all the ambulances and morgue wagons in town and two dozen surgeons were ready to lend assistance.

The dead were mostly from Jersey City. The bodies were frightfully mangled, some of them having to be collected with a shovel. All were taken to the Jersey City morgue.

Michael Lawless, the outpost whose duty it was to warn the laborers of approaching trains from the west, was hurled ninety feet and cut almost in two.

There were harrowing scenes when the bodies reached the Pennsylvania railroad yards in Jersey City. Many of the wives and relatives of the dead were beside themselves with grief.

Half a dozen women were overcome and had to be taken home by the police.

The engineer, Van Nostrand, made this statement:

"I felt sure that the track was clear, and had no idea that in that cloud of smoke and fog just ahead of me were twenty laborers who did not know of my on-coming. I got within one hundred yards of the gang when my locomotive struck the outpost, Michael Lawless. I put on the brakes at once, but in another second I was upon the main gang and my locomotive cut them down before I could stop the train."

The case will be thoroughly investigated by the railroad company.

Superviser Gerald Holsman of its track repairing department summoned the section foreman, William Quirk, after his arrival in Jersey City, and secured his story.

Mr. Holsman, after a hasty investigation, said:

"Nobody was to blame except the fog and smoke. I do not believe Van Nostrand or any other official is to blame. It was one of those deplorable accidents that cannot be charged up against any human being."

Disorder in Porto Rico.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—The cabinet session yesterday was devoted largely to consideration of complaints that have reached the war department, alleging that a state of practical anarchy prevails in Porto Rico.

These complaints assert that the lawless elements in Porto Rico are committing depredations of the gravest character, and that the seriousness of the situation is increased by the fact that United States troops, stationed in the island, likewise have been guilty of misconduct.

Secretary Alger, at the instance of the president, has cabled to General Brooke, inquiring as to the accuracy of the complaints.

Return of the Buffalo.

New York, Nov. 19.—The United States cruiser Buffalo, from Newport, R. I., in tow of the government tug Wampatuck, passed in at City island yesterday morning.

The Buffalo was taken to the Brooklyn navy yard for repairs, having put into Newport with machinery out of order, after starting from here for the Philippines.

It is said that the repairs which are required are confined to the condensers and sea valves.

Large Sales of Print Goods.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 19.—The sale of goods in the print cloth market during the week has been the largest of any week in two months or more.

No definite report of the amount of goods sold is given out, but the total is believed to be at least up to four hundred thousand pieces. The market is very firm at two cents.

FIRST SPANISH WAR PENSION.

Seventeen Dollars a Month for F. C. Gates an Injured Artilleryman.

Washingtin, Nov. 19.—The first pension claim of the Spanish war was granted yesterday; $17 a month to Francis C. Gates, Second United States Artillery, who was struck in a fight before Santiago, on July 2, by a shot from a machine gun, which broke his upper jaw, tore away his lips and knolked six teeth out.

The president took great interest in having the case promptly adjudicated and an effort will be made to get a special act through Congress raising the amount of the man's pension.

It now appears that much of the work of examining volunteers at their enlistment was done in a slipshod manner, but new physicians were employed at the mustering out, with the result that numberless cases of disease or organic trouble are found which undoubtedly date back of the war.

Nearly two thousand claims for pensions from the Spanish war have been filed already for the army, and about two hundred and fifty for the navy, exclusive of the victims of the Maine disaster.

The best estimates are that the Spanish war pension ist will add $20,000,000 to the present annual budget, and the bulk of the pensions will be for disease and not for wounds.

Such troubles as lesion of the heart and dysentery are most frequently the cause.

RELICS FROM THE MARIA TERESA.

To Be Exhibited at the National Museum at Washington.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 19.—Captain McCalla, in charge of the repair ship Vulcan, now at Cat island, has cabled Commandant Farquhar that Lieutenant Hobson with the Vulcan and Potomac would arrive here about December 1.

As the navy department permitted Captain McCalla to use his own judgment at the Infanta Maria Teresa wreck, it is presumed that the cruiser is to be stripped of everything that would likely prove a relic, including the 11-inch gun which was mounted aft.

These relics will, it is said, be placed on exhibition in the National Museum at Washington.

A large number of the Teresa's guns are already here, and also the Colon's safe, which will be opened at this navy yard.

The flagship New York has distributed copies, printed aboard, of the original log of the Colon, which tells of her movements from the time she left Cadiz to the hour of sailing out of Santiago harbor.

Used Wrong Emblem.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 19.—It has been discovered that the emblem printed at the head of the Republican column on the ballots for Erie county was not the official emblem.

In the one used there is a clearly defined circle in the ballot box under the eagle, which is claimed cost the Republicans many votes, as the voter made the cross in this circle instead of in the circle below. The irregular cut was used in 1895.

County Clerk Wende says that he has all the Republican votes thrown out because of the X in the ballot box, and has no doubt that the court will order them to be counted for the Republican candidates, as the intention of the voters was clear.

Bold Attempt to Break Jail.

Columbus, O., Nov. 19.—A desperate attempt was made by two convicts to escape from the penitentiary at about eight o'clock yesterday morning, as a result of which Charles B. Lauterbaugh of Mount Vernon, a guard, was shot and killed, while two convicts, O'Neil and Atkinson, received injuries of a serious nature, and both are now in the prison hospital.

The two convicts, who are serving fifteen years each for robbery, committed in Ceveland, obtained possession of firearms and attempted to escape by terrorizing the guards.

To Strengthen Wei-Hai-Wei.

London, Nov. 19.—The Evening News says that the government has sent an engineer to Wei-hai-Wei to construct breakwaters, build six powerful forts and dredge the harbor, so as to permit warships to lie inside.

Thes eworks will obviate the necessity which would otherwise exist, in case of hostilities, of warships putting to sea each night in order to avoid torpedo attacks.

Orders have been issued for the enrolment of a battalion of Chinese for service at Wei-Hai-Wei.

Dreyfus Hears the Good News.

Paris, Nov. 19.—Ex-Captain Dreyfus was yesterday officially informed of the decision of the court of cassation to order a revision of his trial.

The telegram stating that Dreyfus had been officially notified of the action of the court of cassation in the matter of the revision of his trial came from the governor of French Guiana.

No particulars were given in the telegraphic dispatch as to how the prisoner received the news.

Rhodes May Soon Be Premier.

Cape Town, Nov. 19.—The government and the opposition have practically settled upon the terms of a compromise, and a bill for redistribution of the seats in the Assembly will be introduced which will be satisfactory to the Progressives.

The early resumption of the premiership by Cecil Rhodes is generally regarded as possible.

Tornado Near Tunis.

London, Nov. 19.—Advices received from Tunis say that a tornado has swept over the bay of Bizerta, driving vessels ashore, destroying buildings and raving the country for miles around.

Several persons were killed and many others injured.

Ship Lost With 28 Men.

Newport, Oregon, Nov. 19.—News has just been received from Alsea Bay, sixteen miles below here, that the sailing vessel Atlantic is ashore.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 18 and 19—Meetings in connection with the week of prayer for young men at the Y. M. C. A. building, at 9:15 p. m.
November 20—Donald MacColl, State secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of New Jersey, will speak at the Y. M. C. A. at 4:15 p. m. Miss Harris, of the First Baptist church choir, and a mixed choir will sing.
November 21—Burrill Comedy Company at Music Hall, for one week.
November 21—Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns.
November 23—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at Crescent Rink.
November 24—Football game on Martine common between Plainfield and San Remo.
November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

Interesting to Commuters.

Judge Lambert, of Newark, has given a decision in a case that is of great importance to a large part of the population of Plainfield in view of the fact that they are such frequent patrons of railroads. Some time ago two South Orange commuters boarded a Delaware, Lackawanna and Western train, but were unable to obtain seats. Until provided with seats they declined to show their tickets or pay their fares. At the next station an officer "forcibly" ejected them from the train by laying his hands upon their shoulders and piloting them gracefully from the train.

Thereupon they carried their case into court. The commuters maintained that when the railroad company accepted their money they virtually agreed to not only provide transit but also to provide seats for them between the points they had paid to be carried. The Judge disagreed with the contention, however, and claimed that the company agreed only to carry them between two points and it was not obliged to furnish seats. Whether the dissatisfied commuters will carry the case to a highter court remains to be seen.

Mr. Hetfield's Position.

Councilman Walter Hetfield, who is displaying such an active interest in the Citizens' movement and its chances for success, is a candidate for the City Judgeship nomination on that ticket. In the event of Mr. Hetfield's nomination and election to that office he would naturally have to resign his seat in the Common Council.

If the election should result in a close vote in the Common Council between Republicans and Citizens, and Mr. Hetfield was forced to resign in order to assume the duties of City Judge, the opposition might have the pleasure of electing his successor.

Mr. Hetfield's nomination on a Citizens' ticket for City Judge would therefore jeopardize the chances of the Citizens' controlling the next Council, and if he is honest and consistent in his arguments and professions of devotion to the public welfare of the city as a whole it is his duty to remain in the Council till his present term expires.

The Nicaragua Canal.

There seems to be no ground or fear that the new Nicaragua canal concession made by President Zelaya on the eve of Nicaragua's absorption into the United States of Central America will seriously complicate canal affairs. Granted to a group of Chicago and New York men, it only becomes good on the lapse of the old concession one year hence. Mr. W. R. Grace, the New York capitalist, who is interested in the project, states that the main purpose was to provide against contingencies and make assurance doubly sure that the waterway would be built in any event. He denies that there is any hidden motive to interfere with the action of congress, and expresses the hearty wish to co-operate with all effective movement toward the desired end.

Religious Bigotry.

The outbreaks of religious bigotry which shock attention occasionally, even under the mild and wholesome influence of the modern religious spirit, show what perverse horrors lurk potentially in the human heart. Now it is a modern Abraham who would offer up his son in bloody sacrifice, and, again, a case comes to light which recalls the horrors of Moloch worship. The latest example is that of a Catholic woman in the city of New York who had married a Hebrew and lived a happy life with him for a number of years. Finally her remorse awakens and under the influence of some strange perversity of conscience she is convicted of the sense of deadly sin in having contracted such a union. To expiate the crime she drenches her garments with kerosene and makes herself a living funeral pyre in the presence of her shrieking children. Human nature is so constituted that in some cases religious excitement stimulates dangerous traits entirely at odds with the spirit and principles of religion. And so the very light of heaven seems to beget darkness, madness, fanaticism and despair. Many of the most wholesome herbs and fruits can be made to yield the deadliest poisons.

State Superintendent of Schools Baxter has decided that no teacher can withdraw from the retirement fund while holding a position as a teacher. It seems that a number of teachers who signed the agreement to pay one per cent. of their salaries for the benefit of the fund now wish to get out of that duty. Of course, they are willing to forego any of the benefits if allowed to withdraw, but Mr. Baxter decides that they have no right to do. The only way of getting out of the assessment is by resigning their positions. This decision, however, is not considered likely to cause any vacancies among the school teachers.

Acting Governor Watkins has appointed the State Board of Canvassers to meet at the State House Tuesday, November 29th, and canvass the vote of the recent State election. The board consists of five Senators. Three are Republicans and two Democrats. The Republicans are E. C. Stokes, Cumberland; William M. Johnson, Bergen, and Charles A. Reed, Somerset. The Democrats are James H. VanCleef, Middlesex and Lewis J. Martin, Sussex.

Jersey City's last horse car was abandoned yesterday, the trolley substituting the plodding gait of the raw-boned equine as motive power. That is practically the end of the horse car in Jersey. And yet New York, with its citizens compelled to use scores of these ancient facilities for transit about the city, has the audacity to try to make Jerseymen appear as laggards as compared with the swiftness of the metropolis.

There are 30,863 men rendering service on the railroads in New Jersey, and the amount paid them in wages during the last fiscal year was $17,409,098.73. The Pennsylvania heads the list. Of its 12,344 employes rendering service in New Jersey, 10,862 are wholly employed in this State.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

The finance committee of Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, has made an appeal to the people for assistance in providing for the expenses of the coming year. Citizens of Bound Brook are always cared for in this institution and now is the time for our benevolent citizens to tender contributions toward its support.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

The Case Broke Down.

When the late Neal Dow was a young man he was chief of the volunteer fire department of Portland, Maine. His activity in temperance reform made him unpopular with the liquor sellers, and they tried to get him removed.

At a hearing on the matter, one witness testified that Mr. Dow was arbitrary and reckless of the lives of the men. By way of illustration, he said that he was ordered by the chief to take the pipe which he was holding into a place where he refused to go, telling the chief that no man could live there.

On cross-examination, he was asked: "What did Mr. Dow do then?"

"Snatched the pipe from my hands and told me to clear out."

"What else?"

"He took it into the fire himself."

At that point the case against the chief broke down.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Effect of the Rod.

Sunday school teacher, illustrating the "still, small voice:" "What is it, dear children, that makes you feel so uncomfortable and unhappy after you have done something which you ought not to do?"

Dear Child—"A lickin' "—Roxbury Gazette.

Plenty of Home Club.

Harrigus—Oi see you out no more since you married Dolan's widdy. Do you care no more for the club?

Garrigus—It's that very thing Oi am afraid of. Indianapolis Journal.

Laura—Oh, bother! There isn't a bit of gum on this stamp.

Flora—Well, haven't you a pin?—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SILENCE IS GOLDEN.

Much obliged for what you haven't said,
For words sometimes are like envenomed darts;
And, interspersed between the lines, I've read,
Unwritten words—a balm for wounded hearts.

Much obliged for what you haven't said;
"I told you so" would rankle now like sin;
If eyes could kill I should be lying dead.
If lips should ope the de'il would walk in.

Much obliged for what you haven't said;
Unspoken words are words that I extol.
If once let loose to fall like molten lead,
They sear and burn deep scars unto one's soul.

"A word that's fitly spoken" (I have read).
"Falls like sweet dew upon the wounded breast;"
But silence is so rare and after all is done and said,
There's nothing half so good as giving one a rest.

MAY HOWELL BEECHER.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

The Burrill Comedy Company, supporting the ever-popular actress Laura Hulbert, will open a week's engagement at Stillman Music Hall Monday, November 21st. The company is first-class in every respect, and will present a number of famous plays, changing the programme at every performance. The opening presentation Monday night will be that powerful play "Infatuation." Special scenery and elegant costumes are used. Among the specialty artists are Nellie DeVan, champion buck and wing dancer; the Spauldings, sketch artists; Paul Hudson, the well-known baritone singer; Marie Blair, chanteuse-international, singing in five different languages, and Birdie Bortram, comedienne. The prices of admission are 10, 20 and 30 cents during the evenings, and 10 cents for children and 20 cents for adults during the matinees. The matinees, which will be given daily, commencing Tuesday.

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The management of Music Hall offers a genuine novelty for next month when Marie Wainwright will appear in Jacob Litt's production of the latest London and New York success, "Shall We Forgive Her?" The play is full of heart-interest, and succeeds in eliciting the sympathy of the audience, without resort to the lurid sensationalism usually found in the English domestic-drama. It treats of the social question in an entirely original and unique manner. Miss Wainwright will, of course, appear as the central figure of the story. It is a sympathetic and highly dramatic role and one peculiarly fitted to Miss Wainwright's versatile talents.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The combined committees from the various wards supporting the Citizens' ticket will probably meet early next week and make nominations for the coming election.

—Neat signs have been placed on the Plainfield trolley cars telling the people the names of places which can be reached, including Dunellen, Lincoln, Bound Brook, Somerville, Raritan and New Brunswick.

—Rev. Dr. Morgan, the corresponding secretary of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, will deliver an address in the First Baptist church, Sunday, Nov. 20th. His hearers may expect some very startling statements.

—A district meeting of the Patriotic Order Sons of America will be held at Bound Brook Monday night. All members of Camp No. 30 are requested to meet at their rooms that night in order to take the 6:45 o'clock trolley car.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Adjourned — Cases of Carpenter against Ayres for one week. Codington against Grollmisch for one week. Crane & Mundy against Pierson, and Crane & Mundy against Wolverton, for one week.

Summons issued—In the case of Union Beef Company against Rupert, on contract, returnable November 29th.

JUSTICE NASH

Summons issued—In the case of Newman against Walch, on contract, returnable November 25th.

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Outing Flannel Skirts, embr'ed	25c
Pure silk black Taffeta Ribbon, No 30, 14c; No 40, 16c; No 50,	19c
No 1 Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors -	13c per 10 yds
No 12 Satin Ribbon, pure silk, all colors -	20c per 10 yds
Ladies' Black Hose, 3 pairs in box, regular 89c -	69c box
Ladies' Black Hose, 15c	10c pair
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 19—The Dunellen football team have arranged a game with a team from the Plainfield Y. M. C. A., to be played Thanksgiving Day on the Lincoln avenue grounds. The Plainfield team is a heavier team than the team here, but the Dunellen team have had more practice than their opponents, and the game is apt to be an interesting one.

Rev. E. S. Jamison, of the Methodist church, has invited the members of the Daughters of Liberty and the Jr. O. U. A. M. to attend services in his church tomorrow night. The members of the order will meet at Apgar's Hall and proceed in a body to the church.

A little pug dog gives the motormen on the cars considerable trouble by running out and barking at them as they go by, and keeping so close to the cars that the dog is in imminent danger of being run over.

Alfred Randolph and Adam Dealaman are on a hunting trip through Warren county. They are expected back with enough game to supply all Dunellen with Thanksgiving dinners.

Because of the fair which is in progress under the auspices of the Epworth League, there was no class meeting held in the Methodist church *last night.*

Mrs. James Dunham and daughters, Miss Ella and Miss Lizzie Dunham, are spending two weeks with the Misses Fields, of New Brunswick.

Captain Thompson, of Cranford, who has taken up his residence on the old Ryder place, is confined to his house by illness.

Miss Mabel Jamison will sing at the entertainment to be given in Friendship Hall, New Market, next week.

Mr. Harold, of Plainfield, a former postmaster here, is dangerously ill at his home with rheumatism.

There will be a meeting of the board of stewards of the Methodist Episcopal church Monday night.

Robert Humpston was made a member of Court Dunellen, I. O. F., at their last meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Terry have returned from a visit in Hunterdon county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor have returned from a visit with Paterson relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor and Miss Keely are visiting in New Brunswick.

Mrs. J. G. Taylor has been entertaining company from out of town.

Mr. Lindabury, of Plainfield, was a visitor in town Thursday night.

Work on the new freighthouse will be commenced shortly.

The Daughters of Liberty will meet Monday night.

Edison Brown has gone to Bristol, Conn., to live.

John Herbert is enjoying a short vacation.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 19.—A special service of song will be held in the Baptist church tomorrow night at which out of town talent will be present.

All the members of Friendship Council are requested to meet at Apgar's Hall, Dunellen, tomorrow night, to attend services in the Methodist church.

Fred C. Ward has moved into the Eiseman house on the Bound Brook road.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 19.—Constable Walpole and W. R. Stanbery went to New York Thurday to recover Mr. Stanbery's jewelry, stolen by Metz, the alleged piano tuner. Metz had turned over pawn tickets for all to Mr. Stanbery, so there was no trouble recovering the property.

The adjourned hearing of the seven boys accussed of breaking and entering the public school building on Hallow 'een night came up before Judge Clark's court last evening. The Board of Education failed to appear so Judge Clark dismissed the youthful offenders, as the evidence presented by the board did not warrant a conviction.

Rev. Mr. Woodruff, of the Methodist church will preach a patriotic sermon Sunday morning, taking for his subject, "The Bible and the Flag." Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will attend the services in a body. In the evening he will continue his sermons on popular subjects, taking for his text, "Wanted—a Man."

A Sunday school rally will be held in the Baptist church Sunday evening. An interesting programme has been arranged. Several short addresses will be made by prominent Sunday-school workers. The services begins at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. J. S. Braker and George E Hall have returned from a three days' stay in Paterson, where they have been atttending the State Sunday-school convention.

A meeting of the young men of the villiage will probably be called some evening next week and a chance given those who desire to join the Y. M. C. A. to do so.

The mad dog, shot by Dr. Layton Saturday of last week, is said to have bitten several dogs in town, but none of them have been killed yet.

The Fanwood basket ball team realized about $25 from their entertainment in the Fanwood Hall, Wednesday evening.

Rev. Edward True, rector of All Saints' church, preaches his farewell sermon Sunday evening.

Charles Frentz, the mason, starts a large contract at Bronx Park, Greater New York, next week.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 19—Next Saturday evening there will be a lecture and entertainment given in the Westfield Club hall for the benefit of the Westfield boys who went to Cuba with the Seventy-first New York Regiment. Among the speakers announced for the evening are Major Keck, the officer who led the Third B Battalion up the hill at San Juan, and Private W. B. Clark, of Company B, who was shot through the head, the bullet entering the back of the head and coming out of the mouth, taking with it several teeth.

The following new officers have been elected by the members of the Westfield Firemen's Relief Association: President, C. W. Harden; vice-president, A. Wilcox; recording secretary, F R. Pennington; financial secretary; C. D. Reese; treasurer, I.H. Lambert; board of trustees, Isaac Seeley, A. Wilcox, A. B. Smith, J. N. Wilcox and James English.

—Great dissatisfaction is being expressed by Plainfield commuters over the fact that the 8:37 a. m. train to New York is most always late, and it does not get them into New York some mornings much before 10 o'clock.

Thanks for the Foundation.

An old itinerant colored preacher while conducting services at a protracted meeting was interrupted by a messenger, who rushed in and exclaimed excitedly:

"Parson, de lightnin' struck yo' house en burned it ter de groun'!"

The congregation expected to see the parson collapse under this information, but he did not.

"Burned de house down, did it?"

"Yes, suh!"

"Well, did it hurt de land what de house wuz on?"

"No, suh!"

"Thank de Lord fer dat!" exclaimed the parson. "Thank de Lord de land's lef! En now we'll sing on page 227, 'How Firm a Foundation.' Thank some brother fer de tune!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Wouldn't Go Contrary to Her Belief.

Rather than violate her religious convictions, Miss Josephine Moore, vocal instructor in the public schools of Macon, Ga., at a salary of $70 a month, resigned her position.

The Board of Education, in order to check the spread of smallpox, ordered compulsory vaccination a short time ago, and only Miss Moore declined to be inoculated.

She regarded such practices as inimical to her faith as a Christian Scientist, and deprived herself of her means of support rather than accept orders which conflicted with her religious opinions.—New York Press.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

Ely's Cream Balm has completely cured me of catarrh when everything else failed —Alfred W. Stevens, Caldwell, Ohio.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Chapin, of New York, has been visiting Plainfield friends.

George Scisco, of Morristown, is visiting friends in Plainfield.

Ruth Moore, of East Third street, is detained at home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Dunellen, have been visiting Plainfield relatives.

E. H. Holmes, of East Front street, is much improved from his recent illness.

Harry Snyder, of West Front street, has gone to Easton to spend two weeks.

Miss Jennie Quick, of East Fifth street, has returned from a visit to Pluckamin.

Col. Scott, of West Front street, is steadily improving and hopes in a short time to be out again.

Chief Marshal Wilson, of the borough, is still off duty on account of the serious illness of his wife.

Mrs. J. H. VanWinkle, of Duer street, has returned after a short visit with relatives at Atlantic Highlands.

Charles J. Nichols, of Rahway, was visiting Plainfield friends yesterday. He is a former resident of Plainfield.

Thomas McDonald, of the borough, who is a student at Hackettstown Institute, will spend Thanksgiving at home.

Miss Mabel Gillies, of Central avenue, has returned to her position in the lining department at Woodhull & Martin's.

David E. Titsworth, of this city, has been elected one of the vice-presidents of the State Sunday-school Association, from this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fitch, of Westfield, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Fitch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Darling, of Prospect avenue.

James Lane, a private in the Twelfth New York Volunteers, now encamped at Americus, Ga., is now visiting in Plainfield on a furlough.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, who is confined to the house with typhoid fever, is now improving every day, and his recovery is almost assured.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its regular meeting Monday evening.

—An adjourned meeting of the Common Council will be held Monday night.

—At the next meeting of the Sons of Veterans nominations for officers will be made.

—Woodhull & Martin have received another show case which they have set up in their store.

—An interesting meeting of Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., was held last evening.

—There will be a regular meeting of Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, Monday evening.

—The usual Saturday evening meeting will be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening.

—It is rumored that some of the city police are interesting themselves in the coming city election.

—The fire department drivers cleared $160 on the dance given recently in Washington Hall.

—Edward Mundy, of Metuchen, who is confined in Muhlenberg Hospital, is improving so rapidly that he hopes to be able to go home at an early date.

—The choir at the First Baptist church that will give a sacred concert some time during this month, will be composed of thirty-five of the best vocalists in this city.

—The Christian Endeavor Society consecration meeting at the First Baptist church last evening was largely attended and full of interest. R. W. Barnes was the leader.

—Next Tuesday evening Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of this city, will be inspected by the Department Commander, Wm. C. Smith and staff. There will be visitors from several posts from nearby towns.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Sons of Veterans will hold a fair in Washington Hall from December 5th to 10th inclusive.

—Charles Jensen, proprietor of the Arlington Hotel, intends to make some improvements about his place.

—Tiling to be used to place the electric light wires underground are being distributed about the city.

—Nelson VanWinkle, of Central avenue, led the C. E. meeting in the Park Avenue Baptist church last night.

—The Republican primaries will be held Monday evening. The polls will be open from 5 until 9 o'clock.

—The monthly meeting of the Board of Trade will be held Monday evening at the Board rooms in the Babcock building.

—Dr. Leonard, the dentist, has hung out a large transparency from one of his office windows in the City National Bank building.

—A meeting of the physical work committee of the Y. M. C. A. will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the physical director's office.

—Wyman & Haberle, contractors, who are building the new engine house in the West End, are now waiting the completion of the other work before the building is completed.

—Next Monday evening there will be a regular meeting of the Borough Board of Education, at which time arrangements will be made to allow the children and teachers to enjoy their vacation at Thanksgiving time.

—The Loyal Temperance Legion met last Monday with a full corps of instructors. The work has been fully systematized and business of importance will come before the next meeting. A full attendance is desired. Scholars will please come right from school so that the lesson can begin at 3:45 o'clock during the short days.

Esterhazy Says He Lied.

London, Nov. 19.—A dispatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that a French edition of Major Esterhazy's book will probably be issued next week.

In the advance copies of the book Esterhazy implies that he made a false confession of authorship of the bordereau, having been induced to do so by his material necessities and M. Cavaignac's persecution of him.

Cost Woodruff $13,500.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 19.—Hon. Timothy L. Woodruff, lieutenant governor-elect, has certified to the secretary of state that his election expenses were $13,500; $10,000 of which he paid to the Republican state committee, and $3,500 to the Kings County Republican committee.

Lilioukalani Coming Again.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 19.—Ex-Queen Lilioukalani is expected at San Francisco any day now from Honolulu. She comes to appeal to Congress for indemnity for her crown lands and for an annuity.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

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9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction. THOS. NEWMAN, Prop.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m.
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

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Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
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WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

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DIED.

CRITTENDEN—At her home in this city, on Thursday, November 17, 1898, Eliza A., widow of Joseph H. Crittenden, of Cleveland, Ohio.
Funeral services at her late residence, 90 Grove street, on Sunday, November 20, at 2:30. 11 18 2

COON—In North Plainfield, Nov. 18th, 1898, Levi Coon, in his 19th year.
Funeral from his late residence, Prospect street, Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock and at the Mt. Bethel church at 1 o'clock.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

15 TO 20 H. P. engine and boiler wanted. 153 North avenue. 11 17 3

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

WANTED—Small farm on outskirts of city. Vail, 214 Church street.

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—Large bay horse. Apply 810 Central avenue. 11 14 tf

CITY all-round butler wants place. Address Butler, care Press. 11 16 4

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—The Homestead, Fanwood, N. J.; one hour from the city, Jersey Central road; house five minutes walk from the station; a fall and winter home; glass enclosed piazzas; steam heat; electric lights; references exchanged. 11 16 1y

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply 534 East Front street. 11 19 2

COLORED woman wants situation as waitress or cook; good references. 320 East Fourth street.

WANTED—$500.00 on first mortgage; good property and responsible owner; principals only. Address Prompt Pay, care Press.

WANTED—25 tons or less of well rotted stable manure. A. H. Atterbury, 315 West Seventh street.

FOR SALE—A handsome, young, sound and very gentle polo pony; splendid driver and perfect saddler, at 207 LaGrande avenue. 11 19 6

WANTED—A heated room and board for two adults; good location; $40 a month. Address D., care Press. 11 19-21-2t

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm, Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens. You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others.

With weather right, with goods right, with prices lower than you have ever seen for such

STYLISH Jackets, Capes, Skirts and Silk Waists.

It is what throngs our garment room with pleased purchasers; all our Jackets are guaranteed as to fit and finish.

Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined $4.98
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades .. $3.98
Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout $8.75
Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair
10-4 " California Blanket ..... $3.75 pair
11-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $3.98 pair
11-4 " California Blankets ..... $4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants ..... 19c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
70-inch Bleached Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT—'Twill pay you men to nose around in a dry goods for your Underwear, Hosiery and Shirt wants. You pay dry goods store prices, and you know what that means.

Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers .... 33c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers ..... 49c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural, ... 17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 33c.
All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 13c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black ..... 69c. pair
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers 79c
Apron Ginghams ..... 3½c. yard
Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band ..... 10c. pair
Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black, 10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 59c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 45c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 19c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 29c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths ..... 2c. each
Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes ..... 17c. box
French Plate, Hand Mirrors ..... 15c. each
Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
54 in. Dress Goods; fancy ..... 29c yard

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

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Eggs per dozen 19c
Creamery Butter per lb 23c
Sweet Potatoes per basket 20c
4 cans Baked Beans 25c
Hams per lb 10c

J. F. MacDonald, Uptown Grocer.
186 East Front Street.

HORSES wanted to board this winter; first-class accommodations. McIntyre, 171 North Ave. 11 12 6

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

TO LET—Farm, 50 acres, situated on North avenue, between Fanwood and Westfield; well adapted for poultry and vegetables. House 14 rooms. Also for sale, incubators and brooders, all in good order. Address P. O. Box 655, Plainfield. 11 17 3

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MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney, cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

ROOMS with board. 219 East Fifth street. 11 15 12

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Thursday, "THE OCTOROON."
Friday, "RIP VAN WINKLE."
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LOTS ON CARLTON AVENUE
are now in demand. Plots of 50 feet or more by 200, near Putnam avenue; also one on Putnam avenue, 75x175; for sale cheap. Dr. J. H. Thompson, 36 East 30th St., N. Y. 11 17 8 th s

Thanksgiving Night.
POLK MILLER, of Richmond, Va.
An Evening of Story and Song.
Y. M. C. A. Hall.
Admission, 25c. 11 19-22-2t

GOOD JOB WORK.

THE DAILY PRESS office can do it—anything from a milk ticket to an auction bill; even larger, too.

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STALKING BIG GAME.

How the Four Day Hunting Season is Spent on Long Island.

The Long Island deer season is a peculiar affair. It is but four days long, covering the four Wednesdays in November. Although the country in which the deer are found in the interior of the island is heavily wooded, it presents no difficulties to the starting of the game from cover with hounds. As the south shore which skirts the so-called wilderness is thickly settled, a host of sportsmen is on the hunting ground by dawn of the first day of hunting. There are a hundred men with guns ready to pour a hail of buckshot in the direction of the fleeing deer. Rifles are not used, because the hunter could not pull a trigger without bringing down some fellow sportsman within range of the bullet. On Tuesday night before the first Wednesday in November, Sayville, Patchogue, Bay Shore, Smithtown and other places on the south shore and to the north of the Ronkonkoma Woods are in a feverish state of preparation for the opening of the deer season with the first light. The sun has just tipped the horizon when the "wilderness," the tracks of the Long Island railroad running through it and the roads bounding it resound with the report of shotguns. The battle is on.

The Long Island chase has developed a peculiar kind of deerslayer, the like of whom is not known in other countries. He is called a track hunter, because he takes his stand on the ties of the Long Island railroad where they run through the woods. The bay of hounds at once calls the track-hunters by hundreds to the steel rails. Often they are to be seen as thick as mosquitoes in Jersey. The deer breaks and dashes for the track to escape the hounds. Then a mighty fusilade wakes the echoes. The nimrods within sight of the animal have filled the air with lead. Of course, the deer falls, and the sportsmen swarm around its dying form like crows about a carcass. The question of who shall have the antlers if it be a buck, who shall have the hide, and among how many the meat shall be divided are rarely settled except after a riot. Any one who can squint along a barrel and press a trigger may be a track-hunt. The utmost woodcraft is required to locate the Long Island railroad in the "wilderness."

All the Long Island deer hunters are not of the grotesque type described, however. Fair sport may be had on any of the preserves of some of the clubs; sport that requires a good eye and a quick hand and some degree of skill. It is not to be compared with deer hunting in the Adirondacks or the Maine wilderness, but it gives the deer a running chance for its life, and men may engage in it without a loss of self-respect.

From Waverly on the south, nearly to Wading River on the north and east, and Smithtown on the west, the deer abound in great numbers. This territory embraces Lake Ronkonkoma, where the Indians used to lie in wait for their game. The country is flat, and covered with scrub oak and underbrush, through which even the guides sometimes have trouble in pushing their way.

From Oakdale north, and embracing a strip about two miles wide and five miles long, is the preserve of the Southside club, an organization of wealthy gentlemen, who, by observing the law themselves and compelling its enforcement by others, have succeeded in increasing the number of deer to such an extent that the farmers have good cause for complaint. The latter argue the injustice of allowing the deer to destroy their crops while the law protects the deer from being shot.

The change in the game laws distributing the season over four weeks, is generally regarded by sportsmen as a wise move. Previously four consecutive days were set aside and then the woods fairly broke loose into a pandemonium.

For four days there would be a scene of carnage, not limited alone to the deer. Stray shots found resting places in human targets. The lust for the chase became wild. All else was forgotten. Private preserves were invaded and despoiled

The game keepers were in open warfare with the less scrupulous huntsmen, who respected neither the law nor the proprieties of sport and fair play. But a great change has been wrought. Last year the gunning was followed with equal zest, but the one day of each week set apart and the six days intervening had a tendency to check any attempt at lawlessness.

And the game that was killed! On the opening day of the season it was estimated that no less than 150 deer succumbed to the hunters' prowess. Next day the trains on the Long Island railroad fairly groaned under their weight of venison. Others of the sportsmen carried their trophies away by wagon, and still others, bound for the ducks of Great South Bay, had recourse to boats.

To Keep Flowers Fresh.

Flowers trailing singly over the cloth is one form of decoration in more or less use at special functions. Hostesses find frequently, however, that the roses and other blossoms do not last through a long meal, and every one knows that trailing faded flowers are not an attractive sight. To obviate this, a florist says that if a bit of moss is dipped in water and then shaken nearly free of it, the cut end of the rose may be wrapped in this and tied on with a bit of sewing silk, and this will keep the flowers fresh. It is easy to conceal such treatment by bending a leaf over the end.

THE NEW DEFENDER.

It is To Be Constructed Under Lock and Key in the Herreshoff Yards.

The new cup defender will of course, be built under lock and key, the usual method of the procedure that is adopted at the Herreshoff works, and little beyond the statement that she will be of the bulb-fin type and that her lines generally will not depart radically from those of the Defender, could be learned.

While the Herreshoff family is large, it looks upon "Nat" as its genius. At the age of ten he could sail a boat with consummate skill and judgment. When seventeen he became a student in the Institute of Technology, in Boston, where he still further developed his taste for physics as particularly applied to steam engineering and naval architecture. In 1870, when twenty-two years old, he became connected with the well known Corlis Steam Engine Company, of Providence, R. I., and with the famous George Corlis gained great practical knowledge in engineering and the application of steam power. During his stay at the Corlis works he designed the engines and all the naval construction at the Herreshoff's.

When he left the Corlis company he joined the Herreshoffs as part owner, designer and superintendent, and there, by his work, he has become deservedly famous.

The Gloriana, owned by E. D. Morgan, N. Y. Y. C., was the first vessel to snow Nat Herreshoff's fully developed theory, but its value was demonstrated in the Pelican, a much smaller vessel, built several months before the Gloriana was designed. The theory was subsequently carried to its perfection in the sloop Wasp, which has been, and is, perhaps, the most successful boat ever built at Bristol.

The development of cup defending models was really begun in 1892, with the centreboard sloop Navahoe, built for Mr Royal Phelps Carroll, N. Y. Y. C., which became famous in British as well as American waters. This vessel was built in the south shop at Bristol.

The cup candidate Colonia, a keel boat, followed, being set up in the south shops late in February, 1893, immediately after the Navahoe was launched. Previous to that time the centreboard Vigilant, the victorious cup defender, was started in the north shop. The Colonia was launched in May, and the Vigilant in June, 1893. The Vigilant was the first vessel of any size ever painted with bronze, and her record here and abroad need not be recalled.

The Defender was commenced in February, 1895, in the south shop, and was finished and overboard the following July. The new defender, the yacht that will meet the Shamrock, will be built in the south shop, where the Navahoe, Colonia and Defender were constructed, and will probably in form closely resemble the victorious craft of 1895, as there may be danger in making too abrupt a departure from her successful design. The study of the Defender by N. G. Herreshoff did not cease with her races. For three years he has had her in mind, pondering over her form and her performances, which were unhappily too meagre to satisfy the multitude of exacting yachtsmen. And this continued thought must result in further improvement, if such is possible.

Voting in 1864.

One of the most interesting features of the stirring war election of '64, when Abraham Lincoln ran a second time for the presidency of the United States and was opposed by General George B. McClellan, was the voting of the soldiers. For nearly four years these gallant men had marched and fought, periling their lives willingly on a hundred bloody battlefields and knowing no laws but the commands of their superior officers. Now they were again to exercise their rights as sovereign citizens; some at their homes, where they had gone on furloughs, and many in their far off camps.

Extraordinary precautions were taken to secure the untrammeled vote of the men fighting at the front and to guard against corruption. Some of the states had made provisions, before the war broke out, for taking the vote of soldiers absent from their respective states with the army; and the other states had adopted similar provisions as soon as the necessity became apparent.

At this time General McClellan was supposed to be very popular with the soldiers, and many of the political prophets of the day predicted that the soldiers' vote would be cast almost solidly for "Little Mac," as he was sometimes affectionately called. But the boys in blue carried their own thinking machines along with them, and these did not permit of their forgetting "Father" Abraham. The subjoined table gives the army votes, which were counted in canvassing the returns for electors.

States	Lincoln.	McClellan.
Maine	4,174	741
New Hampshire	2,066	690
Vermont	243	49
Pennsylvania	26,712	12,349
Maryland	2,800	321
Kentucky	1,194	2,823
Ohio	41,146	9,753
Michigan	9,402	2,959
Iowa	15,178	1,364
Wisconsin	11,372	2,458
California	2,600	237

This table does not give the vote of all the soldiers. Many were at their homes on furloughs; and no separate acocunt of their votes could be kept; but it is sufficient to show the warm place Abraham Lincoln held in the hearts and brains of the privates of '64.

Mrs. Taddella: "Let's see! Susie Dimpling is about twenty years old, isn't she?"

Mrs. Wiffles: "Susie Dimpling twenty! Susie Dimpling will never see twenty again if she lives to be eighty."

A CITY UNDER WATER.

Old Port Royal Can Be Seen on a Clear Day. Destroyed in 1692.

The traveller who visits the capital of Jamaica should pray for clear weather without wind, that he may see the sunken city of Port Royal. When the water of the harbor is ruffled by breezes the city is obscured from view. But on a cloudless, still day, when the surface of the sea is perfectly smooth, the ruins of the phantom city may be plainly seen in the depths of the transparent water.

The spire of the old cathedral is the most prominent object. In the clear water you can see the fishes, lazily swimming in and out among the ruined turrets, more suggestive of owls and bats than of the finny inhabitants of the sea. Occasionally glimpses can be had of the ruins of other buildings—buildings which for more than two centuries have kept their ghastly secrets and will keep them until the end of time.

Down there, in that peaceful depth, lie the bones of three thousand men, women and children, carried down into the sea with their homes on that awful day in 1692. An earthquake, suddenly and without warning, smote the profligate city of Port Royal, which slid into the sea. The waters opened and swallowed it up, and there, beneath the silent waves, was hidden the wickedness and debauchery of a community described by historians as being almost without parallel.

From the richest city of its time it has dwindled into insignificance, until now it is a most wretched place, used only as a naval station. Disaster after disaster has overtaken it.

After the earthquake the town was rebuilt, only to be completely destroyed by fire in 1703. On August 22, 1722, it was swept into the sea by a hurricane. It was once more reconstructed, but again, in 1815, it was reduced to ashes, and as recently as 1880 it was visited by another hurricane. Every disaster was attended by great loss of life.

The city of Port Royal was originally built upon a narrow strip of land extending out into the sea, which accounts for its strange disappearance at the time of the earthquake. Like the house of the foolish man of Biblical lore, which was builded upon the sand, it literally slid into the water when the earthquake shock came.

Previous to that fateful seventh day of June, 1692, Port Royal had been known as "the finest town in the West Indies, and the richest spot in the world." It was, as it now is, a British colony, but there was little either in its government or its customs of British morally. We are told that it was a place of luxurious debauchery; that in their excesses the colonists rivalled the profligates of ancient Rome.—New York Herald.

Character in the Pitch of Voices.

T. H. Brand, of Chicago, thinks he has discovered in his occupation of "voice building" that human beings are individualized or made known to each other by the pitch of their voices, and says it is a fact that the disposition of an individual is indicated by the key tone of the voice, just the same as the tone of an E-flat cornet or any other musical instrument enenables people to identify the instrument with which the sound is produced. It will be found that persons whose voices are pitched in the key of "C" are of a social nature, and their whole make-up is amiable. "D" voices indicate hopefulness and cheerfulness; "E" indicates a sanguine temperament. Those whose voices are pitched in "F" are earnest and sincere; those in "G" are egotistical and domineering; those in "A" are fretful, nervous and pathetic, while those in "B" are timid and apprehensive and lack confidence and self-control. The semi-tones are similarly distributed, but we give the diatonic scale as a sample. With this key any one can judge of the qualifications and the disposition of those with whom he comes in contact.

Arabian Sheep Without Wool.

The principal kind of meat consumed by the people of Arabia, both native and foreign, is the mutton of the Somali, or black-head sheep, and, no matter by whom eaten, all pronounce it the best mutton ever tasted. This sheep, as its name indicates, is from the Somali county, on the African coast. These sheep have no wool, but short, fine hair, similar to that of a dog. The most peculiar thing about them is that they have a large lump of pure fat growing right at the root of the tail, and this fat varies in size and weight according to the conditions of the sheep. A medium-sized lump of this fat weighs about four pounds. Such a sheep, which weighs from thirty-five to forty pounds, is sold at from four to five rupees (85 cents to $1.05). The skins, when sun-dried, are exported, and large quantities of them go every year to the New York market, where they are known as "mocha skins," but, like the "mocha coffee" of commerce this is merely a term and nothing else.—New York Press.

An American actress and singer who still shines in comic opera after twenty-three years of work on the stage was asked for her Ponce de Leon secret. Her response was: "Lots of air, lots of exercise, lots of sleep, lots of water, lots of friends, lots of enthusiasm, very little wine, and very little worry." The recipe deserves consideration.

Reggy—Do you ever, Miss Geraldine, think of marrying?

Geraldine—Not any more. I've joined the "Don't Worry Society."—Philadelphia Call.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Mecklenburg.

Renck. Bei Regow landete glücklich ein französischer Luftballon mit zwei Insassen. Er war von Paris aufgestiegen, um Rußland zu erreichen. Die Luftschiffer landeten wegen Ballondefekts.

Braunschweig.

Braunschweig. Die Strafkammer verurtheilte die Maschinenfabrikanten R. Karges und Hermann Fröling von hier wegen Steuerhinterziehung durch zu niedrige Selbsteinschätzung zu 14,700 beziehungsweise 14,275 Mark Geldstrafe.

Großherzogthum Hessen.

Darmstadt. Der hessische Landwirthschaftsrath hat den Ausschuß für Volkswirthschaft und Landwirthschaftsrecht beauftragt, sich mit Vorarbeiten für die Einrichtung einer landwirthschaftlichen Arbeiternachweisestelle zur Linderung der landwirthschaftlichen Arbeiternoth zu befassen und darüber Bericht zu erstatten.—Dem Frankfurter Vorbild folgend wird die Stadtverwaltung eine Schule für geistig zurückgebliebene Kinder einrichten.

Bingen. Der Provinzialausschuß der Provinz Rheinhessen ertheilte der Aufsichtsbehörde die Erlaubniß, den Weinberg eines Landwirths in dem Kreise Bingen vollständig zu vernichten, weil in dem Weinberg Rebstöcke aus einer verseuchten Gegend eingeschleppt worden waren.

Mainz. Dieser Tage wurde hier ein Schneider verhaftet, der wegen Doppelmords zu lebenslänglicher Zuchthausstrafe verurtheilt war. Er war einer Irrenanstalt entsprungen, in der er zur Beobachtung untergebracht war. Der Verhaftete wohnte schon seit 1½ Jahren unter falschem Namen und mit falschen Papieren in unserer Stadt.

Bayern.

München. Der demokratische Verein veranstaltet diesen Winter einen systematisch eingetheilten Vortrags-Cyklus über die Grundsätze und Ziele der Demokratie. Etwa 12 Vorträge sollen alle einschlagigen politischen und wirthschaftlichen Fragen behandeln.—Der Student Edelmann, der in einem Kafe einem älteren Herrn eine Ohrfeige verabreicht hatte, wurde zu 14 Tagen Gefängniß verurtheilt. Die Affäre erregte seiner Zeit viel Aufsehen.—Das Landgericht verurtheilte einen Fortbildungsschüler wegen Gotteslästerung und Sprüttereien über die Fronleichnamsprozession zu drei Monaten Gefängniß. Der Staatsanwalt hatte ein Jahr beantragt.

Amberg. In den großen Bannmann'schen Emailwerken wurden durch einen ungeheuren Brand die Sägewerke, die Holzwollefabrik und die Schreinereien zerstört.

Ansbach. Das früher markgräfische Brauhaus, zuletzt im Besitze des Bankiers Lehrecht in München, ging neulich durch Verkauf an die Herren Fechter und Kracker über. Als Kaufpreis wird genannt 420,000 Mark.

Bamberg. Die Strafkammer des hiesigen Landgerichts verurtheilte den Maurer Kaspar Meininger aus Bodheim, der unter dem Namen und Titel: Dr. Adolf Schmitt, Naturheilarzt aus Bamberg, Wunderkuren mittelst Amuletten versprach, zu einem Jahr Gefängniß.

Eichendorf. Neulich Nachmittags wurde ein hochbejahrter Mann, der einige Gänse nach Aldorf getrieben hatte, auf dem Heimwege nach Attenhausen auf offener Straße überfallen und seines Baargeldes von etwa 30 Mark beraubt. Der Thäter, Joseph Sagerer, ein vielfach vorbestraftes Individuum, das erst kurz aus dem Zuchthause entlassen wurde, ist verhaftet.

Hersbruck. Hier cirkulirt das Gerücht, daß in einer hiesigen Brauerei vor kurzer Zeit bei einem Sud Bier mehrere Ratten mitgesotten wurden. Der Braumeister, der dem Brauereibesitzer das Vorkommniß mittheilte, habe zur Antwort erhalten: So etwas komme öfter vor, und man könne das Bier deshalb nicht weglaufen lassen! Das Bier soll auch thatsächlich verschänkt worden sein. Brauburschen sollen die Sache verrathen haben.

Nürnberg. Auf dem Centralfriedhofe fand unlängst die Enthüllung des Denkmals für den verstorbenen sozialdemokratischen Reichstagsabgeordneten Grillenberger statt. Des ungeheuren Menschenandranges wegen war der Friedhof während des Festaktes abgesperrt. Im Ganzen marschirten über 8000 Personen entblößten Hauptes am Denkmal vorüber. Die Ordnung war musterhaft. Die wenigen erschienenen Schutzleute enthielten sich der Mitwirkung bei der Leitung der Menschenmassen.

Passau. Die beiden städtischen Kollegien beschlossen einstimmig die Errichtung einer vierkursigen Baugewerkschule hier. Diese Schule soll Anfang November 1899 mit dem ersten Kurse eröffnet und sodann soll in jedem folgenden Jahre ein weiterer der drei übrigen Kurse hinzugefügt werden.

Aus der Rheinpfalz.

Speyer. Für die in die Protestationskirche bestimmte Kaiserglocke hat Kaiser Wilhelm der Zweite 10,000 Kilogramm Metall aus eroberten französischen Kanonen anweisen lassen.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 00, 3 00, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, (5 15 except Saturdays, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 9 30, 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 40, 9 08, 10 00, 11 55 a. m., 1 00, 1 25, 2 25, 3 00, 3 35, 3 55, 4 25, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 30, 7 50, 8 25, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 15 night. Sundays—At 7 00, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 2 30, 3 55, 5 25, 7 25, 9 00, 10 35 p. m., 12 15 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 47, 8 00 8 18, 9 05, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 07, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 32, 6 21, 6 45, 7 03, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 16 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 7 01, 8 13, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 23, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 9 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 35, 7 25, 9 05, 10 23 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 0 a. m., 1 02, 2 11, 2 27, 3 35, 4 36, 5 03 5 18, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 25, 11 20, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 05, a. m.; 2 03, 3 39, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 18, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 48, 2 05 3 35, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 40, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 15, 7 55, 9 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 3 35, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45, 7 00 a. m.; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 00, 8 15, a. m.; 12 32, 4 10, 5 10, 7 15, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

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8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

9 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays High Bridge Branch for Easton.

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5 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

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For Atlantic City, 2 27 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 2 27, 8 13, 10:27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 22 p. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 44, 9 46 a. m.; 2 31, 4 36, 5 36*, 6 38* 8 21, 9 37* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 31, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 36* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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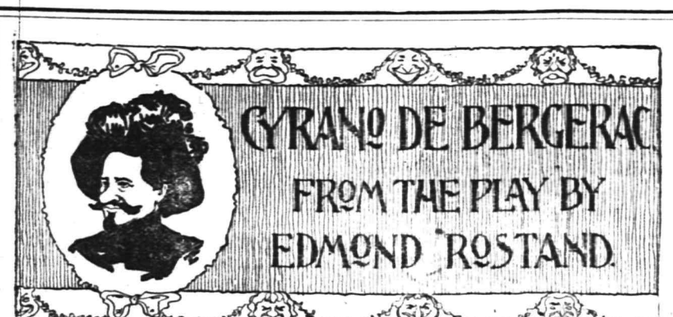

CHAPTER V.

The band of famous daredevils looked insolently at De Guiche as they range themselves beside Cyrano. He had overcome his sadness and had thrown himself into the task of showing a cheerful Gascon face to the rabble of flatterers. Now at his captain's command he stepped forward toward De Guiche and, waving his hand toward his comrades in arms, broke into a ready rhythmic introduction:

"My lord, Gascon cadets are they.
Of Carbon of Castel-Jaloux;
Boasters, swaggers, bold and gay.
Cadets of Gascony are they

"Their pride, their daring race, alway.
Their blood, than oldest blood more blue.
Cadets of Gascony are they.
Of Carbon of Castel-Jaloux.

"Spindle shanks and eagle eyes—
Bristling beard and wolfish teeth!
They charge the rabble. The rabble flies.
See, their plumes! Guess what lies
Hidden under? Holes are beneath.

"Spindle shanks and eagle eyes—
Bristling beard and wolfish teeth"—

"A poet, too, as well as a warrior," half sneered De Guiche. "Ah, well, it is the fashion! Will you be mine?"

"Not yours or any man's."

"Last night your quips did please my uncle, Richelieu. A word from me would do you service there. Shall I not say it? He is a patron of letters, and you, I'll wager, have written five acts or so in rhyme? Ah, I see you have! Take your play to him. I'll speak to him."

Cyrano wavered. There was a play he longed to see upon the stage.

"I would gladly," he began.

"My uncle is a critic skilled. A line or two he may change, but no more," said De Guiche.

"He will not change so much," retorted Cyrano. "He shall not see the play."

"You're proud."

"Ah, have you noticed that?"

The cadets came laughing to Cyrano. They bore a pile of hats.

"See what your enemies left as they fled," they cried; "their hats."

"Sooth, it must be a sore day for him who laid that snare for Ligniere," said one.

"Who was it, think you?"

"'Twas I myself, gentlemen," broke in De Guiche. "It was not work for my sword to punish a drunken rhymester. I hired those your comrade routed."

A silence fell. The cadet who had piled the hats into Cyrano's arms stood ill at ease.

"What shall I do with them?" he asked.

"My lord will render them unto his friends again," said Cyrano, dropping them at De Guiche's feet.

The nobleman looked furiously at the Gascon.

"My chair!" he cried. "And you, good sir, I counsel you to read your 'Don Quixote.' He battled with a windmill. Who battles thus against one"—

"Who shifts with every wind," said Cyrano coolly, bowing low.

"May find himself swept low into the mire."

"Or upward to the stars," said Cyrano as the great man stepped into the chair.

"So!" cried his friend Le Bret in a passion of disappointment. "So! Each chance that fate has offered you this

COQUELIN AS CYRANO.

morning you have flung away. What fool's idea is this, to raise an enemy at every step?"

"Ah, friend," said the whimsical Cyrano, "I step more surely when eyes send forth upon me shot of hostile looks. I embrace hatred, and she gives me the ruff that holds my head up high; each enemy's another fold to bind the more and add a ray of glory. For hatred, like the ruff of Spanish pattern, grips like a vice, but is an aureole."

At last Le Bret realizes the source of Cyrano's waywardness.

"So say aloud. Be proud and bitter," said Le Bret. "But whisper me just this, she does not love you."

Scarcely had Le Bret's guess hit its mark when the door swung open, and in came Cyrano's successful rival, the young Baron de Neuvilette. He made his way quietly to a table, but the Gascons, inflamed by the victory of their brother in arms, were not minded to let him be quiet. They taunted him with being a northern greenhorn, a sickly apprentice at the art of war. They dared him to try Cyrano.

"There's one among us," boasted a cadet, "to whom you no more dare say 'somewhat' than cry 'rope' at him whose father died dangling at a noose's end."

Then he proceeded to elucidate.

"Scoff—nay—suggest a comment of Cyrano's nose, and your life is done," said he.

"Ah, so?" queried Christian.

Whereupon there was enacted the strangest drama the bold cadets of Gascony had ever seen. Cyrano began to tell the story of his fight. At every second he was interrupted by the new recruit from Touraine with courteously insolent queries about his nose and with surmises as to the part it had taken in the fray. The Gascons looked for the stranger's annihilation. But Cyrano, though the veins in his face were whipcords with suppressed rage, still let young Christian live and even forced himself on with his tale. Finally the stranger's insolence could no longer be brooked.

"Leave me! Leave me with him!" cried Cyrano to his friends, and they passed out, believing that the end had come for Christian.

But the promise to Roxane was all that dwelt in Cyrano's memory.

"Embrace me!" he said to Christian when the room was cleared. "Embrace me! I am her brother—her cousin brother, and she loves you!"

They talked together, the two men who loved Roxane. They planned for her. Christian admitted all his dullness. He was a soldier, he said, and before women was tongue tied. Cyrano promises to tutor him in wit.

"I'll daily teach your tongue," said he. "Only remember and repeat to her the things I bid. So shall she never have a disillusion. Alone you fear to chill her heart. Take then my words—and so you shall win her! Wed them to your lips. It will amuse me. It is a good experience for a poet. Will you not do it?"

The cadets come in, and, to their disgust, find the once swaggering Cyrano embracing Christian. A musketeer mockingly laughs at the scene, whereupon Cyrano cuffs his head, and the cadets turn somersaults for joy to see that all the old spirit is not dead.

The wooing of Roxane began. Daily the lover, who could think and feel and mold his thoughts to beauty, taught the lover who was dumb. Daily Roxane, hearing Cyrano's impassioned speeches through Christian's chiseled lips, was borne deeper and deeper into the ecstasy of love. Daily Roxane told her cousin of her lover's wit and fancy. She read Cyrano verses he had written, and when he seemed scarce enthusiastic over them she taunted him with being jealous of a better poet than himself. Then Cyrano's eyes would flash with merriment, and over his mismated face a smile would run. He was not altogether sad in those days.

But Roxane's love for Christian was confessed more freely to Cyrano than to Christian himself, and as for the rest of the world she hid it completely, fearing the vengeance of the disappointed De Guiche, who still pursued her with attentions. He had been made commander of the army. He had it in his power to send her lover to death. She beguiled him a little now and then, and when finally the orders came that the French forces should proceed to Arras she arranged with him that the company of Cyrano should be left behind—and in that company was Christian, of whom the lord commander had not heard.

"So you will be revenged upon my cousin for his mockery of your patronage and his insolence to you," she said. "He is a very fire eater! How he will gnash his teeth to be, with all his cadets, left at home when there is fighting afield!"

"Who but a woman would be subtle enough to plan such a revenge?" cried the admiring De Guiche.

It was at this time that Christian was pleased to indulge in a fit of the sulks. He would have none of Cyrano's aid. He would be loved for himself and not for Cyrano's fine speeches. He would woo Roxane in his own fashion. And he did—to such effect that Roxane, bored, dismissed him till such time as he should have his wits again. Christian, properly repentant, overtook his tutor in the art of love beneath Roxane's balcony.

The wall that ran about the sweet green garden had benches set against it. The balcony of Roxane's window overhung the quiet little street. Dew heavy vines fell from it, veiling all the wall in beauty.

"Oh, I shall die, Cyrano! Help me! Teach me! She has sent me away!" wailed Christian.

In the latticed window above the greenery a light flitted.

"Ssh!" cautioned Cyrano, drawing Christian back beneath the screen of vines and into the black shadow of the wall. "Ssh! She's there, and all may be repaired. Call to her, then speak as I shall bid you speak."

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GRANT'S CUBAN POLICY.

He Had Seen War's Terrors and Guided the Nation out of a Renewal.

The action of President Grant in regard to Cuba is so frequently referred to in certain quarters as a correct precedent to follow, that some reference to the circumstances of that time cannot fail to be interesting at the present juncture.

In 1873 the Virginius, an American steamer, was engaged in ordinary commerce between this country and Cuba. She was purchased by some American citizens who were anxious to wrest the "Pearl of the Antilles" from the power of Spain. While engaged in heading with a mixed cargo of passengers and supplies for Cuba, the Virginius was pursued, overtaken and captured off the shores of Jamaica.

Those on board were taken to Havana, being starved and insulted on the voyage back, and then subjected to a mock trial such as Spain mercifully provides for military offenders of the worst sort. Conviction followed without even the show of decorum that accompanies the ordinary drumhead court-martial, and the prisoners were sentenced to be shot. The crew and passengers shared equally the chivalry of Spain. The whole proceeding was carried out with that fierce spirit of brutality, that celerity of despatch which the annals of Torquemada emblaim in the pages of European history.

From one end of this country to the other a wave of popular indignation swept when the people heard of the executions and the heroic spirit, which bore up the nation's hopes at Vicksburg and at Lookout Mountain, cried to Washington to have the flag of Castille and Arragon share the fate that had so lately befallen the Empire of Maximilian.

The nation's excitement was quite as intense as in the case of the Maine's bluejackets. Blue and gray alike joined in the demand that the honor of the United States could not be atoned for by an apology and could only be satisfied by prompt and effective measures of retaliation. Caleb Cushing was then the American Minister to Madrid. Hamilton Fish was Secretary of State. Cushing was the son-in-law of the Secretary who did so much to make Grant's second term the prelude to a third. Fish was an able man but in a crisis like this he was a weak man. He was the representative also of New York's interests in the Cabinet, and New York was then the pivotal state of the Union; and in contra-distinction to the great virile and unspoiled West, New York then also represented much the same forces as it does to-day.

Grant with the true instincts of a brave soldier ordered the Navy to be put on a war footing when the Virginius affair had stirred the hearts of the American people. The President made undoubted preparation to vindicate the honor of the country and to punish Spain. Accordingly Fish was instructed to tell the Dons that they would have to let the Cuban people go. There ensued a long diplomatic correspondence, and meantime the still small voice of Wall street passed the word along to keep cool about the Virginius affair; to do nothing rash and to act with the requisite prudence as well as with the requisite energy. Such was the gawky phrasing of the period. While Grant was a firm and patriotic American he was also the most tender and humane of men. He had quelled the greatest rebellion in all history, and was not anxious to subject a nation which he had raised erect and upon its feet, so soon again to the dread hazard of war. The era of resumption and of reconstruction was in full swing; and if Spain made suitable reparation and compensation to the families of those butchered to make a Spanish holiday it was said to be savoring of cruelty to smash Spain in her distant colony at a time when Serrano and his extemporized Cabinet were earnestly seeking to bring the Spanish Monarchy into the great family of republics. Serrano was represented as the saviour of the Spanish people, and as a great soldier himself, and as a Marshal in the Spanish Army he could toady "the tenderest part," the heart of another great soldier, then too the President of a sister republic in that new civilization which Spain had formerly given to the world.

There was a sublime pathos in the situation that was artfully turned to account in the case of a man whose fame was linked with that of Caeser, Cyrus and Napoleon, and who could not do a small, petty or inhuman thing even if he tried to. Grant erred by not punishing Spain then and by listening to the influences to which he was subjected, but he erred on mercy's side. Thus the vacillations and sudden changes of policy of that time furnish a painful precedent if a precedent at all for those of which they remind us in 1898. The questions then as now were questions of intervention, of independence and of recognition of the Cubans in arms.

The President's sympathy like that of the vast body of the people was with Cuba. But the casuistry of Spanish diplomacy and the fine hand of Fish provided a wealth and coping of argument on the other side that the straight and simple mind of Grant was unable to resist. Accordingly having actually written a message in favor of Cuba as the dickey birds of the White House say, the President was induced to change it at the last moment, and so the precedent as it stands, is the very reverse of what it might have been had the hero of Appomattox been left to his own instincts and to his unbiased judgment. This is history but history that has yet to be written.

WAR INDEMNITIES.

The Penalties Imposed By Nations Upon Their Conquered Foes.

Perhaps the most onerous terms ever imposed by a conqueror upon his defeated foe were those to which Germany subjected France in 1871, at the close of the historic conflict that culminated in the capitulation of Paris. They consisted of the cession of the major portion of Alsace and of Lorraine, including the great fortresses of Strasburg and of Metz, and the payment of war indemnity amounting to the colossal sum of $1,000,000,000. The entire civilized world was startled by the magnitude of the sum, and very widespread doubts were expressed as to whether poor France, which was believed to be crushed beyond recovery, would ever be able to pay. But these apprehensions proved to be unfounded, and the billion of dollars was paid with such rapidity and with so little apparent effort that Prince Bismarck and the German authorities, past and present, have never ceased to lament ever since that they did not stipulate for double the amount. This indemnity is worthy of especial notice, for the reason that it greatly exceeded the actual expense to which Germany was put by the war, and was therefore a punitive or "moral and intellectual damage" indemnity, to some extent, such as "Oom" Paul Kruger wanted to collect from England for the Jameson raid. In the war of 1870-71, the time was twenty-eight weeks from the entrance of German troops into French territory to the surrender of Belfort. The German troops engaged may be taken, for practical purposes, as an even million, the official figures of the active forces being 781,000 at the commencement of the war and 937,000 at its close. The total German losses are placed at 128,000, the killed alone numbering 29,000.

Germany therefore received in cash $35 a week for each man's services, or $8,000 for each man lost; on the whole pretty good pay. But Germany—or Prussia—has a habit that way. Only four years before the war with France she took $41,750,000 from Austria and her allies, beside $3,750,000 requisitioned during the campaign. This war lasted only a month. Prussia had 437,000 men in the field, and lost 11,000. The indemnity gave her $25 a week for each man's services, or $4,250 for each man lost. However, it was an enormously expensive war for Prussia, costing her some $115,000,000, so that the indemnity did not make her balance good.

It is thanks to the intervention of Russia that Japan was prevented from exacting an indemnity of analogous proportions at the close of her war with China. She was forced to content herself with a mere bagatelle of $185,000,000, receiving in addition thereto the island of Formosa and the Pescadores, neither of which had ever been of any use, either financial or political, to China, and which will make necessary the expenditure of much treasure and life before Japan can derive any profit therefrom. The war lasted about nine months and 80,000 troops were engaged on Japan's side. The indemnity paid, therefore, $60 a week for each man.

The Turko-Russian war of 1877 came to a close with the treaty of San Stefano, the terms of which were revised in 1878 by the congress of Berlin. They comprised, among other things, the surrender of the sultan's protectorate over Roumania and Servia, the practical abandonment to Austria of Herzegovina and Bosnia, the grant of independence to Bulgaria and of autonomy to Rumelia, the Prince of Bulgaria remaining, however, subject to the suzerainty of the sultan. The treaty likewise provided for the cession of a strip of Turkish territory to Greece, but this clause was never enforced, and finally the Sublime Porte was compelled to pay a war indemnity to Russia amounting to the sum of $160,000,000. Russia demanded a much larger indemnity than that, however. For costs of the war she demanded $450,000,000, and for losses to Russian subjects and Russian commerce $251,000,000, a total of $701,000,000. The indemnity finally awarded to her in cash and land, amounts to $6,25 a week for each soldier engaged in the war.

Great Britain has received two indemnities of considerable amount from China. The first was one of $20,000,000 altogether, but part of it went to compensate merchants for opium delivered up to the Chinese government, and the portion specifically claimed on account of the expenses of the expedition just equalled the vote of credit. The second indemnity, of $60, was about $10,000,000, or less than one-third of the vote of credit for the war. The settlement of Canada's claim for indemnity for the Fenian raids from this country is noteworthy. By the first raid Canada lost six men killed and thirty-one wounded; she had to call 20,000 volunteers to arms; she had to guard the frontier with 17,000 regulars and volunteers, as well as several gunboats on the rivers and lakes. Her farmers lost heavily, as the raid occurred at a busy time of the year; and she had to pay away a lot of money in pensions and gratuities. Yet the United States did not pay a farthing compensation! When Canada pressed the matter on the home government she was assured that it was not worth while making a claim, as "the amount of compensation would be so small."

No indemnity was exacted from Denmark at the close of the war of 1864, neither was any money exacted at the close of the war of 1859 between Austria on one side and Italy and France on the other. In fact, the exaction of war indemnities may be regarded as a practice of relatively modern origin, the victors in former times having contented themselves with the surrender of territory on the part of the defeated foe.

MASTER'S SALE. IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY. Between Mary A. Day, complainant, and William F. Lang, et ux., defendant—Fi fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above stated writ of fieri facias to me directed, I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Court House in Somerville, county of Somerset and State of New Jersey, on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1898,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all those tracts or parcels of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being partly in the township of Warren, in the county of Somerset and State of New Jersey, and partly in the township of New Providence, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey, bounded as follows: The first tract being Lot No. 3 in the division of the real estate late of George Townley, deceased, and begins in the road running from the Union village to Thomas Couns', at a corner of (No. 2) Enos B. Townley's lot, at a point sixteen links westerly from the centre of the well, and four links southerly from the corner of (No. 1) the Headly lot; thence in said road north forty-four degrees west on a line of the Widow Townley's dower lot, four chains and sixty six links; thence on a line of (No. 4) formerly belonging to Benjamin Moore, north fifty-five and a half degrees west, two chains and thirty links; thence on the same, in said road, north forty-seven and a half degrees west, passing close to the northeast side of two hickory trees near the river, six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of the Passaic river; thence up the bank of said river south sixty-seven degrees west three chains and seventy links to Lines Tucker's corner; thence on his line south one degree east fifteen chains and thirty links to a stake at a corner of said Enos B. Townley's lot; thence on his line north fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees east, a hickory tree being in this line seven chains and forty-four links from said stake in said Tucker's line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to the place of beginning. Containing twelve acres and twenty-eight hundredths of an acre of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed by Squire Parrot and wife and Daniel Runyon and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated July 5th, 1845, and recorded in the Clerk's office in the county of Somerset, July 14th, 1845, in Book B. 2, page 549, etc.

The Second Tract, being lot No. 2, of the division of the farm late of George Townley, deceased, and which was set off in the said division to the said Enos B. Townley and begins in the road leading from Union Village to Thomas Couns, opposite the middle of the well and sixteen links distant from the centre of it; thence running south fifty-nine and three-quarter degrees west, a hickory tree being in this line, fourteen chains and eighty-five links to a stake in Lines Tucker's line; thence on his line south one degree east eight chains and seven links to a basswood tree in William Titus' line; thence on his line and others, north eighty-eight degrees east twenty-seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said road; thence in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) set off to the heirs of Johanna Headley, north fifty-four and a half degrees west five chains; thence north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence still in said road on the line of lot (No. 1) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty links to the place of beginning. Containing twenty-five acres of land, strict measure. Being the same premises conveyed to Christopher Zuchschwert by Enos B. Townley by deed dated March 28th, 1846, and recorded in the Clerk's office of Somerset county, in Book C, No. 2, pages 160, etc.

The Third Tract, situate, lying and being in the townships of Warren and New Providence, in the counties of Union and Somerset, beginning in the middle of the road leading from Union Village at a corner of lands of David A. French, and from thence running south eighty-eight degrees, west two chains and fifty links to the middle of the mouth of the road leading to Townley's bridge over the Passaic River, at a corner of lands of said Christopher Zuckshwert; thence on his line (2) north forty-five and a half degrees west in said last named road five chains; thence (3) north forty-five degrees west six chains; thence (4) north forty-two and a half degrees west nine chains and eighty-four links to a point sixteen links distant from the middle of the well; thence (5) in the middle of said road and still on said line late of said Zuckschwert north forty-four degrees west four chains and sixty-two links to a point at a corner of a lot formerly of Benjamin Moore's in the road opposite the middle of the cider house; thence on his line to the middle of the cider house north thirty-eight and a half degrees east ninety-one links to the easternmost side of said cider house; thence (7) north sixty-two and a half degrees east, passing close to the north side of an Elm tree, marked, on this lot, twenty-one chains and fifty-two links on a line formerly of said Moore to line now or formerly of Ezra Wilcox, at a small birch bush; thence on lines now or formerly of said Wilcox and said David A. French, south two degrees east twenty-eight chains and thirty-four links to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-two and one-tenth acres of land. Being the same premises conveyed by Squier Parrot and wife, and Daniel Runyon and wife, to Christopher Zuckschwert, by deed dated May 17th, 1850, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book R, No. 2, pages 264, etc.

The Fourth Tract, situate in Warren township in the county of Somerset. Beginning at a stone at the edge of the Passaic River at a corner of a lot, now or formerly, belonging to Squier Parrot, and Daniel Runyon, on corner of Essex, now Union and Somerset; thence south nine degrees east on the line of said Parrot and Runyon, the Headley woodlot, and E. G. Townley's lot, fifteen chains and thirty-five links to a stake in the line of the dower of the Widow Townley; thence on her line south sixty-two and a half degrees west fourteen chains and fifty-two links to the middle post of the northeast side of formerly the cider house; thence still on the line of said Widow's dower lot south thirty-eight and a half degrees west ninety-one links to the line in the road of another lot, formerly of said Parrot and Runyon; thence in said road on their line north fifty-five and a half degrees west two chains and thirty links; thence on same north forty-seven and a half degrees west six chains and fifty-five links to the bank of said river; thence down the said river the several courses to the place of beginning. Containing seventeen acres of land more or less.

Fifth tract, situated in the townships of Warren and New Providence in the counties of Essex, now Union and Somerset, being No. 5 in the division of the real estate of George T. Townley, deceased, and set off to E. B. Townley, and begins at a small beach bush in line now or formerly of R. Griffing, at a corner of Widow Elizabeth Townley's dower lot; thence on its line south sixty-two and a half degrees west seven chains to a stake a corner of land late of Benjamin Moore; thence on his line north nine degrees west five chains and seventy links to a stake a corner of lot (No. 6) set off in said division to the heirs of Johanna Headley; thence on its line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to a stake in said Griffing's line; thence on his line south two degrees east six chains and three links to the place of beginning. Containing four acres of land strict measure.

Sixth tract, situated in the township and counties aforesaid described as follows: beginning at a stone in the edge of the Passaic River at the corner of Moore's land, it being the point where the line between the counties of Essex now Union and Somerset strikes the river; thence running on said Moore's line south nine degrees east nine chains and sixty five links to a corner of C. Zuckschwert; thence on his line north sixty-two and a half degrees east seven chains and seventy links to Ezra Wilcox's line; thence on his line north one and a half degrees west ten chains and fifteen links to the edge of said river; thence up the said river the several courses thereof to the place of beginning. Containing eight acres of land more or less.

The last three described tracts being the same premises conveyed by John R. Burnett and wife to Christopher Zuckschwert by deed dated October 6th, 1864, and recorded in the Clerk's office of the county of Somerset in Book Q, No. 3, of deeds for said county, on pages 304, etc. Excepting a tract of land twenty-five feet in width conveyed by William E. Lang and Julia Lang his wife, to Robert Cornish, by deed dated September 6th, 1892, and recorded in County Clerk's office at Somerville, Somerset county, December 6th, 1892, in Book of Deeds L, No. 7, page 55, etc.

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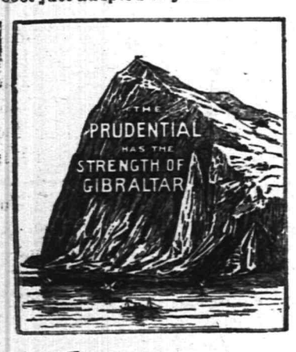

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

The second Alis team will go to Bayonne on Thanksgiving Day afternoon and play the Bergen Field Club on the gridiron of the New Jersey Athletic Club.

The second Alis team will play the Astor eleven of New York on the Martine Field this afternoon. The New York boys have quite a strong team and will make things lively for the Plainfield contingent.

The candidates for the Plainfield eleven will meet at the Westervelt avenue grounds Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings for practice for the Thanksgiving Day game against the San Remos.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

Next Monday evening the bowling team from the Plainfield Catholic Club will go to Bound Brook and play the third and deciding game in the series of three games.

The first games of the Central Journal Bowling League were rolled at Roselle Thursday evening, when the crack five of the Elizabeth Club met the Roselle Casino bowlers. Chamberlain, Vandeveer and Pope, the well-known veterans of the now defunct E. A. C., rolled for the Elizabeth Club. The Roselle men were rolling in good form and won the three games by the following scores: 824-761, 797-769, 827-786.

The Parks will roll their first game in the Central Journal League at Elizabeth Monday night in the alleys of the Elizabeth Club. A delegation of seven will probably represent the Parks in the three games. They will be "Doc" C. R. Thiers, Laurence H. VanBuren, H. D. Hibbard, Arthur Murphy, Percy Sandford, F. H. Ball and F. C. Ball, the captain of the team.

GOLF.

If weather permits there will be golf playing this afternoon on the Park Golf Club grounds.

There will be no special events this afternoon on the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club grounds.

Next Thursday morning on the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club grounds there will be mixed foursome play for the Gilbert cup. The last event of the season will take place November 26th, when at 10 a. m. there will be play for the Fisk cup, and at 2:30 p. m. the men's foursomes will be played.

ROD AND GUN.

J. A. Smith, of this city, returned last Thursday evening from the south where he has been enjoying himself hunting game.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Horsely Barker, of Grove street, has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in New York.

Stephen A. Krom, of Madison avenue, is attending the Yale-Harvard football game at New Haven today.

TEDDY ROOSEVELT'S STEW.

How the Colonel Cheered His Men at a Critical Time.

An incident illustrating Colonel Roosevelt's devotion to the men of his regiment was told by Trooper Burkholder, who was all through the active campaign with the rough riders.

"Only us few men who were with him," said Burkholder, "know how considerate he was at all times. There was one case in particular that illustrates this better than any that I can recall. It happened after the fight at La Quasimas. The men were tired with the hard march and the fighting, and hunger was gnawing at every stomach. Besides, we had our first men killed there, and taking it all in all, we were in an ugly humor.

"Well, things hadn't improved a bit, in fact, were getting worse along toward meal time, when the Colonel began to move about among the men, speaking encouragingly to each group. I guess he saw something was up, and no doubt he made up his mind then and there to improve at least the humor of the men. There's an old saying that a man can best be reached through his stomach, and I guess he believes in that maxim. Shortly afterward we saw the colonel, his cook, and two of the troopers of company I strike out along the narrow road toward the town, and we wondered what was up. It was probably an hour or so after this, and during a little resting spell in our work of clearing around and making things a little camplike, that the savory and almost forgotten oder of beef stew began to sweep through the clearing. Men who were working stopped short and began to sniff, and those who had stopped work for a breathing spell forgot to breathe for a second. Soon they joined in the sniffling, and I'll wager every one of us was sniffling as hard as he knew how. Oh, but didn't that smell fine! We weren't sure that it was for us, but we had a smell of it anyway. Quickly drooping spirits revived, and as the fumes of the boiling stew became stronger the humor of the men improved.

"We were finally summoned to feed, and then you can imagine our surprise. There was a big boiler and beside it a crowd of messtent men dishing out real beef stew! We could hardly believe our eyes, and I had to taste mine first to make sure it wasn't a dream. You should have seen the expressions on the faces of the men as they gulped down their stew, and we all laughed when one man yelled:

"'An it's got real onions in it, too.'

"After we had loaded up we began to wonder where it all came from and then the two troop I men told how the colonel had purchased the potatoes and onions while his own cook secured the meat from Siboney.

"You probably won't believe it, but the bushel of potatoes cost colonel Roosevelt almost $60, and he had to pay thirty-odd good American dollars to get the onions, but then he knew what his men wanted, and it was always his men first with him. There was a rush to his tent when we learned this, and if you ever heard the cheering, I'm sure you wouldn't wonder why the rough riders all love their colonel.

"I see," said Burkholder, "that in his address to his men in Camp Wykoff the colonel told how he had to hurry at the San Juan hill fight to save himself from being run over by the men. That's just like him to say that; but he probably never ran so fast before and never will again as they had to run to keep up with him. If Colonel Roosevelt lived in Arizona we would give him any office he wanted without any election nonsense."

FEW DRESSES

or wraps are really worn out. They fade a little or get spotted and rusty looking—color goes out of style, maybe—and the dress is discarded. It's a woeful waste In nine cases out of ten a couple of dollars spent for cleaning or dyeing will give you a new garment, especially if the material was good in the first place.

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SERVICES IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES TOMORROW.

What Plainfield Ministers Will Talk About for the Elevation of the Minds and Morals of Their Congregations.

St. Mary's (R. C.) church, Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor.—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; evening devotions at 8.

St. Joseph's (R. C.) church, Rev. William H. Miller, pastor.—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; evening devotions, 8.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service. Service Thanksgiving Day at 10:30.

First Presbyterian church, Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor—Evening, Question No. 2, "Does God Doom Man to Destruction Regardless of His Deeds."

Bethel chapel, Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—11, praise meeting; 3, Sunday-school; 8, sermon by Rev. E. A. Mitchell, of Elizabeth.

Congregational church, West 7th street, Rev. C L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, morning service; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, Christian Endeavor Thanksgiving service.

Calvary Baptist church, Rev. Scott Wallace, pastor—11, sermon, subject, "God's Blessings;" 3, Sunday-school; 7, young people's meeting; 8, sermon, subject, "Redeemer."

Wilson Memorial chapel—Evening, State Secretary Donald McColl, of the Y. M. C. A., will speak; Robert Davis will give a cornet solo.

St. Stephen's church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector — 7:30, Holy Communion; 9:45, Sunday school; 11, morning prayer, litany and sermon; 7:45, evening prayer and sermon.

Y. M. C. A.—9:30 and 5:15, Bible classes; 4:15, men's meeting, Donald MacColl, of Newark, will speak; Miss Harris, of the First Baptist church choir, will sing; a mixed choir will sing; boy's rally, Tom Graham, the Scotch evangelist, will speak and sing.

Park Avenue Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "The Kind of Worship God Accepts;" 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:30, sermon, subject, "Martin Luther, the World's Liberator from Ecclesiastical Despotism. All sittings free.

Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Rev. Wm. C. O'Donnell, pastor—Thanksgiving Sunday, 11, sermon, subject, "Significance of Thanksgiving Day, 1898;" 3, Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League; 8, praise service.

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor—Morning subject, "Our Thanksgiving;" 2:30, Sunday-school; evening theme, "Who Is Responsible?"

First M. E. church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—10:30 and 7:30, public services; 2:30, Sunday-school; 6:45, Epworth League vesper service; evening service, the pastor will by request preach to the Jr. O. U. A. M., who will attend in a body.

Reform Hall—4:15 p. m, Gospel temperance meeting, Mrs. Bangham will lead.

All Souls' church, Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, sermon by Rev. Willard Reed, of Passaic, subject, "The Heavenly Vision;" 11:30, Sunday-school, Mr. Reed will address the adult class.

Grace P. E. church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, and Rev. F. Appleton, curate—7:30, Holy Communion; 10:30, morning prayer and sermon; 2:45, young men's Bible class; 3, Sunday-school; 3:15, parish Bible class; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon.

Mt. Olive Baptist church, Rev. E. E. Jackson, pastor—11, sermon, subject, "Man's Wonderful Structure;" 3, Sunday-school; 4:30, Lyceum, 7:30, sermon by the pastor.

Church of the Holy Cross, Rev. T. Logan Murphy, rector—8:30, celebration of the Holy Communion; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning prayer and sermon; 4:30, even song.

Christian church, Disciples of Christ, Grove street, Rev. H. W. McKane, pastor—Morning subject, "The Christian's Hope;" evening subject, "What Shall I Do to Be Saved, Now?" The public are cordially invited.

East Third Street mission — Evening, Ira W. Travell will lead the meeting.

What a Woman Wants.

To the Editor of The Daily Press.—The time is approaching when it becomes the privilege to elect new city officers. In the year just passed we have had ample opportunity to see where improvements are needed. Plainfield is advertised far and wide as a city of homes. Then let us at the coming election see to it that such rulers are elected who will consider the best interests of these homes. A fine architectural structure handsomely appointed fails to be a home without a pure family to enjoy it.

A Homekeeper.

F. E. Whiteside, of New York, was in town last night a guest of his son, F. E. Whiteside, Jr., of the News staff.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—See those new suitings and trouserings at Sebring's.

—Rev D. M. Stearns will teach the Union Bible class as usual Monday night.

—Rev. F. D. Tildon will preach next Sunday for Rev. Dr. W. A Alexander, of Brooklyn.

—Headquarters for wet weather shoes, rubbers, boots and overs at VanArsdales.

—Rev. E. A. Mitchell, of Elizabeth, will preach for Rev. F. D. Tildon in Bethel chapel Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

—Thirty-six propositions for membership were received at the meeting of Miantonomo tribe of Red Men last evening.

—Columbia Lodge, A. O. U. W., met last night and received three propositions for membership. A special meeting will soon be held to receive several more applications.

—Undertaker P. Casey buried the infant son, John, of Mr. and Mrs. John Festgo, of Cottage place, this morning. The child died last night. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

—Tom Graham, the Scotch evangelist, will speak and sing at the last of the meetings of the Week of Prayer for young men to be held at tee Y. M. C. A. building tonight at 9:15 o'clock.

—The catering and household goods of Max Wiertz will be sold at auction Tuesday next at 2 p. m. at 261 West Sixth street, corner of Arlington avenue. See advertisement for particulars.

—A beautiful assortment of photographic frames, gathered from various makers, is now shown at Swain's, 317 West Front street. Also some of the newest productions in water colors, platino and carbon. 11 19 2

Plainfield Defeated.

The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. basket ball team was defeated last evening by the "Rubber Five," of the Greenpoint Y. M. C. A., in the latter's gymnasium. The score was 33 to 14. It was a very clean game.

Pleaded Guilty.

Frank Hand was arraigned in the City Court this morning on the charge of striking James White. He pleaded guilty and was held under $300 bail for his appearance Saturday for sentence.

Lieutenant-Commander John L. Purcell, of the U. S. S. Oscealo, called on Plainfield friends yesterday. He is enjoying a three months' furlough.

E. A. Vermeule, forman of A. M. Griffen's metal department, is much improved today and is hoping to get back to his business by the first of next week.

Max Wiertz's

Auction Sale !

of Catering and Household Goods.

They will be sold at auction on

Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1898, at 2 p. m., at 201 WEST SIXTH ST., CORNER MADISON AVE.

Consisting of Reed & Burton silverware, all as good as new. Candelabras, shades, patent shade holders, new silver pitcher, forks, knives, oyster forks, teaspoons. Nothing marked.
Fancy cases for ice cream, tortoises, chicken, sweet bread, mutton, etc.
Decorated English china punch bowls, Glasses. Great variety of imported table glasses.
One 9-ft. nickel plated show case.
One solid 12-ft. black walnut extension table. One oak extension table.
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Vienna chairs.
Parlor and bedroom suits, etc. 11 19 2

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Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the *CITY OF PLAINFIELD*, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

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You can see more clothing at this sale and there is more clothing sold here than in any two stores in Plainfield, and is it any wonder? When you can get the finest goods here at one third the prices you have to pay in any store in the world for goods far inferior to the clothing sold at this sale.

We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale. Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7.25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 00 worth $14 00. Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

Men's smooth serge, black and blue, double breasted, silk roll to the front at $8.40 worth $18 00.

Genuine carr melton overcoats, $7.25 worth $19 00.

Dawyer or Harriss' cassimere suits at $8 90 worth $18 00. Imported melton and covert cloth overcoats at $7 50 worth $16 75 Scotch cheviot sack suits at $4.50 worth $12 00. Boys' school suits at $1 60 worth $2 75. Childrens' suits, age 3 to 8 years, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1 50 worth double. Working pants, 75c.

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10 yds. Atlantic A " " "	45c
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Bleached Pillow Cases	9c
Flannelettes, 10 yds	79c
Satine Covered Comfortables, filled with best White Cotton	$1.25
Silkaline Covered Comfortables, filled with finest White Cotton, extra size	$1.49
S. H & M. Velveteen Binding	22c
Lily Dress Shields	21c
Canfield Dress Shields	20c
"Triumph" Hook Eye, card	2c
"Rapid" " " "	5c
"Triumph" Dress Stays	8c
"Carmen" " "	15c
All the 25c and 30c Veilings, newest styles, at	21c
Chesebrough Vaseline	4c
Royal Borated Talcum Powder	8c
Glycerine, Oatmeal and Turkish Bath Soap	3c

The above prices are for Friday and Saturday only, and will not be given on any other day.

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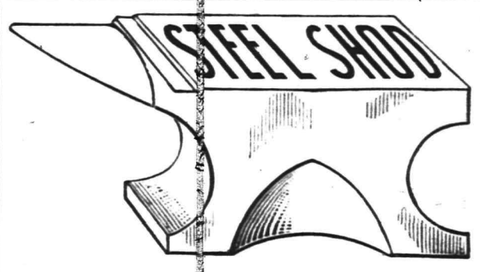

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MR. BARROWS ON THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

Declares That Much Criticism of it is Unjust.

HE QUOTES SOME FIGURES.

SAYS THAT TAX RATES IS LOW CONSIDERING IMPROVEMENTS.

Quotes Figures Which Show That in Two Years the Fourth Ward Has Received $3,000 More in Street Improvements Than the Third Word—An Answer to Councilman Liefke's Statement

To the Editor of The Daily Press.—An article headed "Hot Shot About the City Government," in which Lawyer Angleman scores the present administration, had a prominent place in your issue of Nov. 15th.

If this meeting was correctly reported it would seem that the speakers were careless about facts, and if the platform for the coming campaign is to be based on such remarks it is well that the citizens, irrespective of politics, should know how far they are right.

Such matters touched upon as the Mayor's appointments, actions of the "Board of Assessors" and "Health Board," I shall not take up, but confine myself to the Council, in which I have the honor to be Plainfield's servant.

This Council, elected as a reform one, consists of six straight Republicans, two Citizens and three Democrats. Geographically it is well distributed, and contains but four commuters against seven local business men.

On all questions of ordinances, street work and finance, the Council has practically voted unanimously, and no more harmonious Council ever served the city of Plainfield.

Lawyer Angleman states that the Council has "forced the citizens to connect with the sewer." The facts are that the Board of Health some two months ago were requested by the Council to discontinue ordering any more connections. Further, relative to the sewer beds and Mr. Frost, the latter's connection with the same is now past history. The system and beds were put in at a cost of thirty per cent. lower than similiar work averages. Whether it should have been carried to tide-water is a matter of opinion upon which there are many differences, but we have it, and must run it until such time as the people wish to make a change. Engineer Gavett and consulting engineers believe that with the additional two beds put in this fall and stoppage of ground water now being worked at, that the system will be sufficient for many years. And it hardly seems possible that the taxpayers of Plainfield would abandon this plant and run to tide water at an expense of not less than $100,000.

As regards street improvements on West Third street, etc., no new macadamizing was ever done in the past without a petition from property owners and their willingness to pay their proportions of the same.

Early in the present season the street committee gave notice that "any street wishing to macadamize could have same done by depositing with the city treasurer the cost of same less 10 cents per running foot for sixteen feet width, or 15 cents from curb to curb and intersection," this making the cost about two-thirds to property-owners and one-third to the city-at-large. Under these conditions Stelle avenue, Madison avenue from Ninth street to Stelle avenue, and Woodland avenue from south to LaGrande avenue was macadamized; East Ninth street from Park avenue to Watchung avenue, East Sixth street from Watchung avenue to Richmond street, and Franklin place from LaGrande avenue to Fifth street, failing to agree among themselves, a majority of the property-owners requested the city to have it done and put on commissioners to assess benefits, which will probably be on the basis above stated. This work will soon commence. West Third street or any other street in the city could have applied under one of the above methods, and have it done, but not a citizen of that street has appeared before the "Street Committee" relative to same.

Taking up Mr. Laing's remarks, we find the statement that more money has been spent on street work in the "Third Ward" than "Fourth Ward." From the Commissioner's books we find the street money distributed for the past two years as follows:

	1897.	1898.	Total
Third Ward	$3,579 00	$4,257.00	$7,836.00
Fourth Ward	$4,017.00	$6,217.00	$10,234.00

These figures include all work, new

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RESIGNATION OF PASTOR.

REV. J. S. BRAKER WILL LEAVE SCOTCH PLAINS BAPTISTS.

He Has Accepted a Call to Waltham, Mass., Where He Goes the First of the New Year—His Work at the Plains.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 21—Rev. J. S. Braker, pastor of the Baptist church, surprised his congregation at the close of his sermon yesterday morning by tendering his resignation as pastor of the church, the resignation to take effect the last Sunday in December. Mr. Braker said his decision was final as he felt that his work in the village had been accomplished and he had accepted a call to a larger field in Waltham, Mass., and he felt it his duty to go.

Rev. Mr. Braker's pastorate dates back nearly five years, he having come to the church in April, 1894. In that time the church work has been built up, new societies formed and the work has been carried on in a progressive manner.

Mr. Braker's work as a Sunday-school worker was also justly recognized in 1897, when he was honored with the presidency of the Union County Sunday-school Association, and at the last county convention was honored with a re election.

Soon after taking charge of the church he formed a Junior Christian Endeavor Society, which has been a success and is a thriving young branch of the church. A home department of the Sunday-school was formed and today numbers over 40 members.

By personal solicitation he has increased the contributions of the church nearly double what they were when he came.

Nearly a year ago he was instrumental in making it possible to have an Italian mission established and services are held every Sunday afternoon in the old school building, the services being in charge of an Italian missionary, who is making this part of the church work a success in every way.

For yearly three years Mr. Braker has been interested in trying to form a Y. M. C. A. for the young men of the village and he has had the pleasure of realizing his hopes before ending his pastorate of the church. Mr. Braker has many friends in the church and village, who regret his resignation.

REMEMBER THE POOR.

Relief Association's Annual Appeal for Thanksgiving Dinners.

The Relief Association makes its annual appeal to the people of Plainfield for Thanksgiving dinners to be given to its beneficiaries. Contributions of money, poultry, vegetables and groceries, will be most gratefully received. In the way of poultry, small turkeys and chickens are most acceptable.

To avoid duplication it is earnestly requested that the churches and King's Daughters circles send their lists of beneficiaries to Mrs. W. A. Woodruff, 544 West Front street. These names will be held in confidence. If the donations can be sent to the rooms, 544 West Front street, Tuesday, so far as possible, or early Wednesday morning, it will be greatly appreciated by the association.

Marion S. Dumont,
Secretary.

A Grand Sermon.

"Our Thanksgiving" was the subject of Rev. Dr. Schenck's Thanksgiving sermon yesterday morning in Trinity Reformed church, and he received the congratulations of many of his congregation for the exceedingly interesting discourse, which was packed full of useful data, touching the growth of our beloved country, and much interesting information regarding our army and navy in the late war with Spain. While the discourse bristled with patriotic eulogy at the success of our arms yet to God he gave the glory of it all, according to the text selected, "Now, Therefore, Our God, We Thank Thee, and Praise Thy Glorious Name."—1 Ch. 24, 13.

An Endeavor Service.

The Plainfield Local Union of the Christian Endeavor will hold a Thanksgiving service Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Trinity Reformed church which will be led by L. H. Biglow, Jr., president of the First Baptist Christian Endeavor Society. The service promises to be a helpful one, and a cordial invitation is extended to all, whether Endeavorers or not, to be present.

Thanksgiving Service.

The meeting of the Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church tonight promises to be very interesting. It will be a special Thanksgiving service, and a large attendance of members is expected, and the meeting will be spiritually helpful to all.

—Republican city primaries this evening.

RUNYON WILL NOT RUN FOR MAYORALTY.

Geo. W. Rockfellow Will Head Republican Ticket.

WM. N. RUNYON TALKS.

SAYS HE IS STILL IN RACE FOR CITY JUDGESHIP.

Declares That He Would Not Accept Mayoralty Nomination Under Any Circumstances—Needs a Man of More Mature Judgement—Race for City Judge Nomination Still Undecided.

Councilman William N. Runyon is not a candidate for the Mayoralty nomination on the Republican ticket this year under any circumstances. Such was the statement made by Mr. Runyon to a Press Reporter Saturday afternoon, and it is backed up with the assertions of his friends. Mr. Runyon is in the race for the nomination for City Judge and is going to stay there until he meets with victory or defeat at the city convention.

The story that appeared in Saturday's Daily Press telling of the possibility of Mr. Runyon as a candidate for Mayor, was rather startling. The rumor was beginning to have pretty wide circulation in political circles and caused an unbounded amount of talk. The friends of Mr. Runyon were firm in their declarations that its circulation was all a political trick to injure his chances for the City Judgeship. If such was the fact, it was certainly well handled for it came through reliable sources and bearing every pretence of truth. Mr. Runyon is firm in his statement, however, that he does not want the Mayorality nomination under any circumstances. He feels that he is too young a man to stand as executive head of the city. It needs, he says, a man of more nature judgment than himself who will be able to give much of his time to the responsible duties that accompany the position.

The people of Plainfield, he said, wanted a local business man for Mayor and he thought that George W. Rockfellow would be the man for the place. There seems little doubt now that he will head the Republican ticket for the municipal election. None of the other booms seem to bear the support of the men named and they are said to exist only in the minds of a few.

It is recognized by the Republican leaders that their candidate for Mayor must be a strong one if he expects to have any show of winning. The popular demand is for a local business man who will be always accessable to the citizens. Mr. Rockfellow cannot be considered a politician nor a "machine man." When elected before, he had the support of the independent Republican vote which will be absolutely necessary for the Republican candidate this year if he wins. Of the 1,800 votes cast in 1884, when Mr. Rockfellow was elected to the Mayoralty, he received 1,400.

The contest for the City Judge nomination on the Republican ticket still goes on without change. It seems likely that most of the ward delegations will split and that both Councilman W. N. Runyon and Judge William Newcorn will have strong followings. Just how the contest stands between them, it is impossible to say. Neither side is claiming an overwhelming victory but there is much activity on both sides. Judge Newcorn feels sure of the Fourth and First wards. In the latter, he is said to have the support of City Clerk J. T. McMurray. It is pretty generally conceded that the Third ward will favor Runyon. The Second, although the home of the Councilman, is now in the throes of a hot contest between the "machine" and the independent Republicans. As Mr. Runyon happens to be part of the "machine" there, it may somewhat injure his chances. He is, however, quite popular with the Republicans there and the independent ticket will take no sides in the contest for the City Judgeship.

New Philadelphia Train.

A new train for Philadelphia has been put on the road. The train leaves here mornings at 8:29 o'clock, and gets into Philadelphia about twenty minutes ahead of train leaving here at 8:14. The new train was put upon the road at the solicitation of several New York and Plainfield business men, who go back and forth between these cities, and who desire to get into Philadelphia earlier in the day.

—Press want ads bring results.

—Bids will be handed in tonight for macadamizing East Sixth street, East Ninth street and Franklin place.

ONE ASSAILANT LEFT HIS COAT BEHIND.

Isaac Shrager Attacked on the Street.

HE HAS BEEN PERSECUTED.

GUMBART DFFENDED SHOP ALONE WITH AN AXE.

Shrager Often Teased and His Sign Upset—Saturday it Was Thrown in Store—He Rushed Out and Was Assaulted—Sam Jackson to the Rescue—Photograph in Coat Gives a Clue.

"Help! Murder! Police!" rang out on the still evening air. It only lasted a few moments, but as a result one young man departed homeward in a hurry, minus his coat, vest and hat, late Saturday evening, and a roughly-handled little Hebrew tailor nursed sundry cuts and bruises.

Madison avenue, between Front and Second streets, has an exciting history. Part of that section, under the sobriquet of "Dusky Flats," once figured prominently in police court annals when Maggie Belle Jackson and her "pink teas" were in their glory. Saturday night it furnished more excitement and incidentally more work for the City Judge.

Isaac Shrager, more familiarly known as "Ikey," is the proprietor of a little tailor shop in the part of the city in question. With him works one Louis Gumbart, an elderly man with flowing white whiskers. For many moons there has been more or less attempt to worry the inoffensive tailor. His sign has been upset; the door to his shop has been opened at night and abusive epithets hurled at him. Of late, this persecution has grown more persistent, and the tailor vowed vengeance if he caught the miscreants.

It was after 11 o'clock Saturday night, and the two men were industriously working in the little shop, when the door was suddenly opened and Shrager's sign thrown in with a crash. Then the proprietor rose up and rushed out.

A few steps away were three young men. It was too dark to recognize them, but Shrager demanded, as well as his wrath would permit, to know why he was thus persecuted. A laugh, an oath, and the three set upon the little tailor and knocked him to the sidewalk. With tooth and nail, he resisted and fought gamely as they picked him up and started for the dark alleyway that leads to the back of the Jackson building opposite.

"Help! Murder! Police!" shouted Shrager and a crowd began to gather. Among the crowd were friends of the trio. They pressed about the entrance to the little tailorshop. Gumbart sent two of the intruders out of the door faster than they came. Then seizing an axe, he defied the crowd and promised to decapitate the first one that passed the door. The axe shone keen in the lamp light, and the crowd thought better of it.

Meanwhile, despite his struggles, Shrager was being dragged along. His screams for aid aroused Sam Jackson in his pool room and the stalwart negro came out to take a hand in the chase. His actions were prompt. Two of Shrager's assailants were upset. Shrager was left hugging the other. Then Jackson started after one of the trio who was fleeing down the street. He had posted a colored friend at the corner but when the desperado approached and promised to perforate the friend's person, the runner was allowed to pass unmolested and Jackson had to give up the chase.

Shrager's prisoner began to fight for freedom but the Hebrew tailor hung on despite the blows. The crowd grew threatening but still the tailor clung fast. By a quick turn, his prisoner slipped out of coat and vest, leaving them in the grasp of the astonished tailor and disappeared in the darkness.

A search of the coat revealed the photograph of a young woman. It was shown to the police who quickly recognized it and soon were on the track of the trio whose identity was ascertained.

Warrants for Dr. Bondy.

Justice Newcorn issued warrants this morning for the arrest of Dr. Bondy, the alleged swindler, who is charged with swindling Robert Guttridge of $50, and John Keeley, of LaGrande avenue, out of $24, a few weeks ago as told in Saturday's Press. Chief Grant took the warrants, and accompanied by the two victims, went to Jersey City this morning, and will return later in the day with Bondy in custody.

—Huyler's candy for Thanksgiving at Leggett's pharmacy.

SECOND WARD MEN TO FIGHT ASSESSMENTS

They Claim Increase Is Unequally Distributed.

INVESTIGATION WAS MADE.

FACTS AND FIGURES THAT HAVE BEEN LEARNED.

Statement Made That Second Ward Bears Forty-five Per Cent. of the Increase of the Tax Valuation in the City—Figures to Back Statement—Lively Time Expected Before Commissioners.

The session of the Commissioners of Appeals which is to be held tomorrow afternoon, according to custom, to hear the grievances of the taxpayers of the city promises to be one of unusual interest. A powerful delegation of property-owners from the Second ward are coming to the meeting of the Commissioners prepared to make a vigorous kick over what they consider a manifest injustice in the increase in the assessments. The objection is not so much on any special properties as for the whole ward.

Ever since the tax bills have gone forth and the amount of the assessments made known, there have been many of the property-owners and taxpayers of the Second ward who have the large increase in the valuations. A few informal conferences resulted and an attorney, Charles J. McNabb, was retained to look into the matter and see positively just how the facts stand.

With the assistance of an expert accountant, the valuations of the different wards have been looked into and compared, and the results have decided the property-owners interested that the Second ward had been unjustly handled, and that it was their duty to protest to the Commissioners of Appeal.

The facts ascertained by Lawyer McNabb and the accountant show that the total increase in the tax valuation in the city amounts to $489,000. Of that, $220,958 is the valuation of the real estate in the Second ward alone. That would give the Second ward 45 per cent. of the increase. The investigators hunted to find if there had been any large increase in the value of new buildings in the Second, Third and Fourth wards in the past year had been equal.

The argument advanced is that why should the Second ward be compelled to bear nearly half of the increase in valuations throughout the city unless there was some reason for a remarkable increase of valuations there. There has been no such reason, these taxpayers said, that would not hold good throught the city. On such is their claim of unequal distribution of the increase in valuation.

PLEASURE FOR YOUNG WOMEN.

Monthly Entertainment Will be Given Tomorrow Evening.

The Young Women's Club monthly entertainment will be held at the club tomorrow evening, and members who have not received their tickets may get them at the rooms. A very fine programme has been arranged for the affair, after which refreshments will be served and a social time enjoyed.

Commencing with next Saturday evening, Miss Grace Cooley, of Washington Park, will start a series of practical talks on Bacteriology, hygene, etc., and kindred topics of interest to young women, being a resume of lectures delivered at Vasser College. After the short lecture, charades and games of all kinds will be entered into by the members. These are only open to club members, as no tickets are sold for any of the entertainments of the club, with the exception of the monthly entertainments, which is held the fourth Tuesday of each month. These lectures, it is believed, will be of great benefit for the girls, as many of them know so little about caring for their health.

Entertained at Euchre.

The Watchung Avenue Euchre Club were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Miss Force, of Duer street. The entire membership of sixteen was present, and ten games were played. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all, and favors were awarded to Miss Elizabeth DeCamp, a piece of Austrian glassware; Mrs. Dryden, a Persian letter receiver; Mr. Schultz, an oriental tobacco jar, and Mr. Beard an oriental match receiver. Mrs. Beard, of Hillside avenue, will entertain the club Saturday evening, December 3d.

—An adjourned meeting of the Plainfield Common Council will be held this evening.

TALKED TO THE JUNIORS

REV. W. C. SNODGRASS PREACHED TO THE JR. O. U. A. M.

Discussed the Great National Problems That Now Confront Us—He Is in Favor of National Expansion, He Said.

Last evening at the First M. E. church, the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, delivered a strong and interesting sermon to the members of Somerset and Franklin Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., of this city, who were present in a body. The attendance was very large. After the opening exercises, which included the reading of the Scriptures and prayer by the pastor, and special music by the regular choir, the pastor commenced his sermon based on the words found in the prophecy of Joel. During the talk Dr. Snodgrass rehearsed briefly the work of the past year as regards National interests. He stated that he thought it had been one of the most important in our recent history, that there was no reason why industries should remain idle, and that while it is a difficult task to look after seventy millions of people, it had been done in a marvelous manner.

He spoke of the prosperity of the manufacturers, farmers, miners, shippers, and with it all scarcely had one starved out of the bounty of the God Supreme, and for this reason all have great cause for thanksgiving. He spoke of the glorious war, which he hoped was at an end, and how marvelously it had been concluded, and he dwelt at length upon the promotion of a great National spirit and of a unified Government. He introduced the subject of the Nicaragua canal that will at no future day connect two great oceans, which he did not believe was a party measure. He spoke in favor of expansion and said that he welcomed the discussion, that the Government and people favored it and he had strong belief in the favorable outcome. He said that he is a devout hereditary American, but is of the opinion that there are things that other nations can teach us.

Dr. Snodgrass spoke about emigration and thought the time would soon arrive when America would receive but little of the bad element. He thought the issues through which we have just passed would tend to draw us closer to the mother country—Great Britain. In conclusion the pastor spoke strongly on the subject of an Anglo-Saxon alliance and said that there is not enough people in any other country to dispute the proposition. At the close the speaker presented many helpful lessons, and urged all to place their trust in God, and have implicit faith in Him.

PICKPOCKET GOT HIS WATCH.

Charles Smith, the Architect, Was the Victim. But He Got it Back.

Charles Smith, of Grove street, an architect doing business in New York, was relieved of a gold watch and chain by a clever pickpocket in New York Thursday. Mr. Smith was riding in an elevated train at the time and the light fingered gent, who occupied the seat beside him, proved to be the thief.

Mr. Smith was going up town, and sat looking out of the window. Soon after he had taken his seat a well-dressed, fine looking young man took the unoccupied place beside him. Mr. Smith continued to gaze out of the window, but suddenly feeling for his watch, to find out the time of day, he was dismayed to find it was gone.

The man who had been occupying the seat at his side was also gone, and Mr. Smith suspected him immediately. Fortunately Mr. Smith had taken a good look at the man next to him, so leaving the train he hurried to the nearest police station and reported his loss, together with a good description of the man.

With the description, the police were soon on the stranger's track and promptly cornered him. He admitted his guilt, and the watch was found upon his person. Mr. Smith identified the watch and will be able to regain it again as soon as certain formalities are gone through with.

The stranger confessed that although this was not his first crime of that kind, he was not a professional. But Mr. Smith says that the easy way in which his watch was taken stamps the man as an adept in his trade.

Released on Bail.

William G. DeMeza went to Newark Saturday and succeeded in getting Augustus Baldwin, a haycarter, living on West Fourth street, this city, out of jail there, on $500 bail. An Orange man signed the bond. Baldwin is awaiting trial on a charge of changing hay tickets.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

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HOW THE FIGHT WILL GO AT PRIMARIES.

Various Tickets in the Field Throughout City.

SEVERAL COTESTS IN VIEW.

SECOND WARD PRIMARY WILL BE LARGEST ONE.

Most of the Contests Will Be for the Delegates to the City Convention—First Ward Has Three Tickets—Third Ward Peaceful—Fight for Councilman in Second Ward—Nothing Definite.

There are groups of men standing at street corners. Others converse as they walk. Still others chat over the counter in a store. But the topic of all their conversation is the same. It's politics on every hand. Never before did Plainfield ever see a political campaign like this one. There are no mass meetings, no parades and fireworks. The work is all being done man to man and there is plenty of it. It is not exaggerating to say that the entire city is interested in the coming election.

Tonight the Republican primaries will be held in the different wards. Consequently the chief topic of interest is the probable results at the primaries. From present prospects, there will be a lively contest in every ward but the Third; there peace and quietude reigns, apparently at least.

In each primary a Councilman, Justice of the Peace, and a Constable will be nominated. Three members of the Republican city executive committee and the delegates to the city convention will be elected.

In the First ward there are three tickets, all headed by the name of Ralph I. Tolles as nominee for Councilman, H. C. Corsa for Justice, and John Gettleson for Constable are also unitedly supported. It is rather difficult to pick the "regular" ticket, but many of the ward workers are supporting the one bearing the names of I. L. McVoy, Thomas Hanna, Fred W. Viewig, Alexander D. Mallinson and Wm. J. Douglass for delegates to the convention, and J. B. Codington, and Harry B. MacDonald for the city executive committee.

One of the other tickets has John Anthony, D. F. Dunavan, W. W. Warnock, Amos Andrews and Willard Case slated for the delegates to the convention and J. B Coward, W. R. Codington and C. J. Neuman for the executive committee. The third ticket has the same candidates named for the executive committee and E. Apgar, H. H. Corey, D. F. Dunavan, I H. McVoy and George W. Moore for delegates. This ticket is said to favor Justice Newcorn for City Judge nomination.

The Second ward primary promises to be the largest ever held in the ward. Both the "machine" and the opposition are working hard for victory and will try to get all their friends out. George P. Mellick is slated for the councilmanic nomination on the "machine" ticket. J E. Mosher is down for Justice and John Sheehan for Constable. The "machine" delegates to the city convention are Stephen A. Ginna, Josiah Browne, C. S. Foote, Lewis L. Croom, John B. Dumont, B. Van D. Hedges. The "machine" is pushing John E. Keeley, John B. Dumont and Stephen A. Ginna for city executive committee. Mr. Foote was slated for the Councilmanic nomination until the last moment when Mr. Mellick was substituted as being a stronger man.

Thomas A. Cuming is at the head of the opposition tickect to the "machine." The members of the executive committee on the Cuming ticket are George D. Patten, Robert Guttridge, and Edward C. Petrie. The delegates to the city conventon are Stephen A. Ginna, L. B. Bromfield, Armstrong Mulford, Fernanda Brown, Charles C. Lister and Henry C. Squires.

B. Frank Coriell heads the only ticket on the field in the Third ward. ward. Seven delegates are to be chosen from the names of Alexander Gilbert, J. W. Murray, Jr., John Cose, J. Evarts Tracy, Frank E. Marsh, I. W. Bushmore, Nathan R. Titsworth and William Mayhew.

The candidate in the Third for Justice is John Neagle, for Constable, Amos Moffett; for the city committee, Alexander Gilbert, Ernest R. Ackerman and Elliot T. Barrows.

As yet, only one ticket has been placed in nomination in the Fourth ward, but there will be a fight after the delegates when another ticket will be put in the field to defeat the control of Andrew McCardle and Judge Newcorn in the ward. The regular ticket now in nomination there is as

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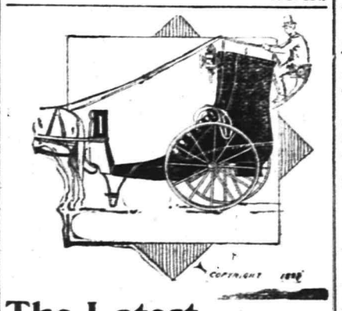

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No Reduction or Modification During Next Session of Congress.

CHAIRMAN DINGLEY'S IDEA

He Says the Expenditures Growing Out of the War Will Continue for Some Time Yet. Revenue Producing Qualities of the Dingley Bill.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Chairman Dingley of the ways and means committee of the House, intimates that expenditures growing out of the war will continue for a long time yet, certainly for a year, and that for the next six or eight months the treasury will expend about $15,000,000 a month for war purposes.

"By the first of January," said Chairman Dingley, 'the war expenditures will have exceeded $200,000,000. Notwithstanding the fact that active hostilities have ceased, $25,000,000 were spent on account of the war during the month of October, and there will be fully $20,000,000 this month. These big expenditures will be only slightly increased during the balance of the present fiscal year. I believe that for the next six or seven months the disbursements on account of the war will not be less than $10,000,000 a month, and more likely $15,000,000 a month. The treasury statement will, for the next year, show that we are still making large payments growing out of the war.

"In view of the amount of revenue being derived from the war taxes, it is foolish to talk of repealing any of the revenue raising items, particularly so before a peace treaty is signed. The war revenues produce about $10,000,000 a month, and the monthly war expenses are considerably more than this.

"The deficit thus created is being made up by the proceeds of the $200,000,000 issue of bonds. The war expenses for October were $15,000,000 in excess of the revenues for the same month, and the excess of expenditures will be fully $10,000,000 for the month of November.

"My estimate of a monthly expenditure of between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000 during the next fiscal year, is, of course, based on the assumption that hostilities will not be resumed. We will be at considerable expense in adjusting the affairs of the new territory acquired by us. I believe that the war expenses will get down below the revenues some time during the next year. In the meantime, we have a surplus of about $130,000,000, and whatever deficit there may be will be paid out of this fund.

"In view of these facts the people of the country must realize that there is no prospect of cutting off existing taxes. The great bulk of the public knows this, for I receive very few petitions to lower the taxes. There will be no reduction or modification of the war taxes during the present season, and I do not agree with those who think it will be necessary to increase them. The law is meeting with our expectations and it is only a matter of time before the war expenses and war receopts will be equal."

In speaking of the revenue producing qualities of the tariff of 1897 Chairman Dingley said that the revenue produced by the new law for the past four months exceeded the amount derived from the Wilson law in the same months in the last year of its existence by nearly $25,000,000, which indicates that the Dingley law will produce from $60,000,000 to $75,000,000 per annum more than the Wilson tariff.

"The revenue now derived under the tariff for the month of October exclusive of war taxes," said Mr. Dingley, "was more than $15,000,000 in excess of the revenue yielded by the Wilson tariff law in the last October of its enforcement, and the revenue produced this month by the new law, exclusive of war revenues, will be more than $6,000,000 in excess of the revenue produced by the Wilson law in the last November of its existence. The revenues from February 1 have been more than the peace expenditures on the basis of the expenditures for the last five years. In other words, the new tariff is producing all the revenue that was expected from it and is ample to meet the expenses of the government if we had not been plunged into war."

Christmas Presents Off for Manila.

San Francisco, Nov. 21.—The transport St. Paul has sailed for Manila, carrying a cargo of Christmas presents for the soldiers and sailors in the Philippines.

Thousands of packages have reached the quartermaster's department in the last ten days from all parts of the country, since it became known that Uncle Sam would act as Santa Claus and convey Christmas gifts free of charge.

A number of soldiers drafted to recruit companies now at Manila and forty trained nurses sailed on the vessel.

Twenty of the nurses will remain at Honolulu.

Before the War Board.

New York, Nov. 21.—Five witnesses were examined by the war investigating commission Saturday in the Fifth Avenue Hotel. They were Mrs. Edwin G. Allis, a volunteer nurse of No. 29 East Twenty-first street; Captain Edwin H. Plummer of the Tenth cavalry, now on General Shafter's staff; Major Lorigan of the Ninth New York; Margaret H. Garrard, a volunteer nurse of Morristown, N. J., and Lieutenant Charles Edwards of the Seventy-first regiment.

The commission adjourned until today at 9.30 a. m. Tht commission hopes to call some of the high officials of the army this week.

Race Troubles at Anniston.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 20.—A riot is imminent here. Negro soldiers interfered with the white provost guard as they were arresting a drunken negro soldier. The negro was finally landed in the jail, which is now surrounded by an angry mob of white soldiers clamoring for his blood. The feeling is intense and more trouble is feared.

ROOT FOR ST. JAMES.

State Republican Organization Said to Have Recommended Him.

New York, Nov. 21.—The Press has the following:

Elihu Root has been recommended through Senator Platt, representing the Republican organization of the state, for the position of ambassador to the court of St. James.

Whether Senator Platt personally was in favor of this action of the organization is not known, but it removes one aspirant from the ranks of the candidates for United States senator.

It was understood that Mr. Root was the choice of Governor-elect Roosevelt to succeed Senator Murphy.

The selection of Mr. Root is to fill the post left vacant by the calling of Colonel John Hay to a higher place. Mr. Root's work in the campaign has endeared him to the organization. He was not anxious to go to the senate, but his friends have been zealous in his behalf.

Mr. Root is a New Yorker. He was born in Oneida, February 15, 1845, in the town of Clinton. His father was Oren Root, professor of mathematics in Hamilton College from 1849 to 1885. The son was graduated there in 1864. He was admitted to the practice of law and settled in New York city.

From 1883 to 1885 he was United States district attorney for the southern district. In 1879 he was a candidate on the Republican ticket for a judgeship in the Court of Common Pleas. He was defeated. In 1886 he was chairman of the Republican county committee of New York.

He was counsel for Judge Hilton in the Stewart will case. He has been an active member and president of the Bar Association, and his fight for a clean judiciary in the last election will be remembered long.

His speech to the Republican state convention at Saratoga showing the eligibility of Colonel Roosevelt for the governorship was a masterpiece. He is one of the best known constitutional and international lawyers in the country.

Advance Sheets of Esterhazy's Book.

Paris, Nov. 21.—La Liberte published yesterday extracts from the advance sheets of the first part of Count Esterhazy's book entitled "L'Affaire Dreyfus," in which the writer declares himself the "victim of Cavaignac" (recently minister of war), whose enmity for him, he says, arises from the fact that their fathers were political enemies.

Esterhazy reasserts that he was the tool of the general staff, that it was the general staff who always dictated his conduct, that by their orders he struck Lieutenant Colonel Picquart, and that it was the general staff who selected his seconds when he challenged Picquart and furnished him with "exceptional and irregular means" of defending himself.

He left France, he asserts, to "escape being assassinated or being driven to suicide like Lieutenant Colonel Henry."

Another Abdication Story.

London, Nov. 21.—In regard to the future government of Spain it is again reported in diplomatic circles, and apparently with some weight, that there will be a change of dynasty, but a peaceful change.

The queen regent is said to be convinced of the hopelessness of her son ever reigning and upon the advice of the Emperor of Austria has decided, that soon after the peace treaty is signed at Paris (and everyone now regards this as only a question of days) to quit Spain with her family and Don Carlos will be proclaimed king.

Everything is reported to be already arranged and the army and clergy are alleged to be eager for the change. According to the programme, Don Carlos, as soon as things are running smoothly, will abdicate in favor of his son, Don Jaime.

Still Discussing Reciprocity.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—The Anglo-American commission held no session Saturday, but the two sides held separate conferences for the purpose of arranging their data for the next joint session on Tuesday.

Reciprocity continued to be the general subject of discussion, and it was understood that the lumber question was receiving considerable attention. It is probable that the free lists in the present tariff acts of Canada and the United States will be incorporated in any reciprocity agreement which may be made, and it is pointed out by members of the commission that this will be important in giving these free lists a permanent form as parts of a treaty rather than a changeable form, as parts of the general statutes.

Hairpin Diet Killed Her.

Toledo, O., Nov. 21.—Not long ago a woman named Wheelock died in the infirmary. No one claiming the body it was turned over to the Toledo Medical College and placed in the pickling vat. The woman had been slightly insane.

This week, when her body was cut open, the stomach had a big rent from inflammation, and in that organ were found about five hundred bent hairpins, several hundred brass pins, tacks and needles, pieces of glass, a set ring and other small articles of a similar character. The woman's remarkable mania had caused her death.

Fell from Brooklyn Bridge.

New York, Nov. 21.—Christopher Ryman, a rigger, employed on the Brooklyn bridge, living at No. 26 Rose street, fell from the bridge Saturday morning while repairing a strand in a cable, landing in the yard of the New York Telephone Company in Water street. Death was instantaneous. His body was found wedged in between two spools of wire and nearly every bone in it was broken.

Engineer Held for Manslaughter.

Stoughton, Mass., Nov. 21.—Daniel W. Getchell of Mansfield, the engineer who ran the rear section of the train which was in collision on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad at Sharon on August 21, has been arrested on the charge of manslaughter, and has given bonds for his appearance next Wednesday before the district court, at this place.

REBELS CAPTURE ILOILO

Manila Hears that the Capital of Panay Island Is Taken.

SUNKEN CRUISERS RAISED

Sergeant Price Stabbed to Death and Three Othrrs Wounded by Disorderly Natives. The Isla de Cuba and the Isla de Luzon, Sunk by Dewey, Docked at Cavite.

Manila, Nov. 20.—It is reported that Iloilo, capital of the island of Panay, is in the hands of the insurgents.

The United States cruiser Charleston and the gunboat Concord have gone there.

Three Filipino natives hired a carriage Friday night and afterward became engaged in a dispute with the driver regarding the fare.

Some members of the American military police tried to arrest the natives, but the latter resisted, and Sergeant Price of the Minnesota regiment was stabbed and killed, and three other American soldiers—Maher, Montgomery and Hoyt—were wounded.

Maher shot one native dead. The others were arrested.

The Spanish cruisers Isla de Cuba and Isla de Luzon, which were sunk during the battle of Manila, have been refloated and docked at Cavite.

The gunboat McCullough has left Manila on her way home.

The Philippine provinces have suffered from the severest typhoon in years. Malolos, headquarters of Aguinaldo, has been damaged and many villages have been destroyed.

Merchants of this city have decided to establish a chamber of commerce, which by Spanish law they were previously precluded from doing.

Spain's Claim Disputed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—Through the state department Secretary Long has sent to the American peace commissioners two reports concerning the situation in the Philippines for use in controverting the Spanish claim that Spanish sovereignty in the islands has continued intact.

These reports were submitted to Rear Admiral Dewey by Captain J. B. Coghlan, commanding the cruiser Raleigh, and Captain G. F. Wilde, commanding the cruiser Boston, who were directed to sail among the islands to ascertain the exact situation and to impress the natives with the strength of the United States.

The Raleigh went to the northward of the island of Luzon. Captain Coghlan found the natives very suspicious, but at Corregidor island they cheerfully complied with the instructions transmitted through him by Rear Admiral Dewey to the insurgent chief there directing him not to fly the insurgent flag.

"At all places south of the Lingayen gulf," he observes, "we found the officers and natives most friendly—anxious, as they said, that the United States should maintain a protectorate over the island of Luzon and that trade relations should be established. There are no Spaniards from Cape Engano to Manila, except a few prisoners."

Captain Coghlan found that the friars, numbering about fifteen, of Sual, St. Isidro, and Dagupan, had been impressed into service by the insurgents, and were attending the horses of the insurgent officers.

So far as he could learn they were made to feel their degradation.

Captain Wilde's voyage was through the islands to the soutwahrd of Luzon. He found that Spanish troops had been withdrawn to the city of Cebu from all parts of the islands of the same name, and that the natives of Negros were in control of that island. At Palawan there were no insurgents, and there was a military force at Port Royalist of two hundred Indians, forty or fifty Spaniards and one piece of field artillery and one gunboat of two hundred and fifty tons.

Deadly Charges Removed.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—A difficult and dangerous operation was successfully accomplished at the navy yard Saturday by Ensign Sticht, inspector of ordnance there, in removing the charges from a half dozen of the captured Spanish rifled guns brought to the yard on the Leonidas, having been recovered from the Teresa, Viscaya and Oquendo.

The breech plugs of these guns were rusted and the workers who loaded them on the Leonidas were afraid to attempt the dangerous task of unloading the guns in their condition, the ammunition being inclosed in a brass cartridge case with a primer in the rear and a percussion fuse on the point of the shell.

It was found that in the case of three of the loaded guns the Spanish gunners in their haste had forgotten to remove the safety checks from the percussion fuses, so that even had the shells struck the mark they never would have exploded.

New General Master Workman.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—At the meeting of the Knights of Labor Saturday John W. Parsons of New York was elected general master workman by a close vote over the present general master workman, Henry H. Hicks, who is also a New Yorker.

J. D. Schonfaber of Baltimore was selected as a member of the general executive board in place of Henry Bostock of Muncie, Ind.

All the other general officers were reelected. Boston was chosen as the place of meeting for next year's convention.

Schley Welcomed Home.

Frederick, Md., Nov. 21.—Rear Admiral Schley was the center of a great public demonstration here Saturday. Wherever he appeared he was cheered and congratulated by the people and old friends and acquaintances.

At noon he took a trip to Middletown on the electric railway, which resembled a triumphal journey.

Several thousand persons attended the reception in his honor in the opera house, which was preceded by a parade.

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GREELY'S SHARP CRITICISM.

Chief Signal Officer Comments Severaly on Conduct of War.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 21.—General A. F. Greely, chief signal officer of the army, is reported to have made something of a stir by his response to a toast at the Chit Chat Club's banquet a few nights ago.

In effect he is said to have called the system of army organization "antiquated and inelastic," and told of the inefficiency of the new officers, scoring the methods of appointment through political influence.

He did not think much of volunteer soldiers.

The alleged incompetency in landing troops and supplies at Santiago came in for lively comments. General Greely said that at the time hostilities were first threatened there was not a gun south of Mason and Dixon's line that could be fired. He praised the president for delaying the final outbreak.

He was particularly severe in speaking of poor methods of handling supplies. He cited instances of gross blunders in forwarding supplies. At Tampa he was forced to break into nearly two hundred freight cars to secure provisions intended for his department.

The same incompetency characterized the loading of provision ships. In one case where men had been sent to a steamer to procure general rations for troops at Santiago, they found nothing in the vessel but canned tomatoes.

MRS. GUILFORD COMES BACK.

The Bridgeport Practitioner Arrested in London Reaches Here.

New York, Nov. 21.—On board the Cunard line steamer Lucania, which arrived here Saturday from Liverpool and Queenstown, was Dr. Nancy Guilford, the Connecticut practitioner, who is charged with the murder of Emma Gill.

She was in the custody of Detective Cronin of the Bridgeport police. Mrs. Guilford appears on the list as Mrs. N. Brown. She occupied saloon stateroom E on the forward saloon deck of the steamer.

Mrs. Guilford was on deck when the steamer reached quarantine. Detective Cronin said:

"Mrs. Guilford was seasick for more than half the voyage. She managed to get on deck during the past few days. But few of the passengers on board knew of her identity. She gave me not the slightest trouble during the voyage, neither has she made any statement or confession. She appeared anxious to reach home and see her family."

Detective Cronin started for Bridgeport with his prisoner on the eleven o'clock train from the Grand Central depot.

Bride Balks at the Altar.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 21.—In St. Catherine's church, at noon Saturday, a bride deserted her would be husband at the altar during the ceremony, blushingly walked down the aisle to the door and made a hasty exit.

Miss Margaret Moore was attired beautifully as she met Timothy Foley and the bridal party at the sanctuary rail in the church.

The Rev. R. H. Walsh was reading the marriage service and already the bridegroom had taken his solemn vow.

"Will you, Margaret Moore, take Timothy Foley to be your lawful husband?" asked the priest.

There was a hesitation. "Is it yet too late?" asked the bride-elect.

"Not yet," replied Father Walsh.

"No, I will not," said Miss Moore, as she turned from the altar, and, facing the astonished crowd of guests which filled the church, started for the door.

The motive which prompted the bride so summarily to end the ceremony has not yet been explained.

5th Cavalry in Porto Rico.

San Juan de Porto Rico, Nov. 21.—The United States transport Michigan has arrived with three troops of the Fifth United States cavalry. The rest of the regiment was landed at Ponce and Mayaguez.

The Michigan will take home Company F, Eighth infrantry, Troop H, Sixth cavalry, Troop B, Second cavalry and two batteries of the Seventh Light Artillery, a total of five hundred and forty men and five hundred and thirty-three horses.

Spanish steamers continue to bring large quantities of provisions from Spain, particularly rice, beans, oils and wines.

There is a good deal of complaint as to the irregularity of the transport mail service between Porto Rico and the United States.

General Buell Dead.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 21.—General Don Carlos Buell died at his home, four miles from Rockport, Ky., yesterday. The end had been expected, for the general had been very ill for several months.

General Buell was born at Marietta, Ohio, on March 23, 1818. He was graduated at West Point in 1841.

In the Mexican war he was promoted for gallantry to brevet major, and when the civil war began he was made a brigadier general.

At Shiloh he came to the relief of Grant. He resigned his commission in the army in June, 1864, and had lived in retirement ever since.

Yellow Fever in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—Archie S. Miller, a civil engineer, aged 33 years, unmarried, died in a hotel in this city from what the physicians have pronounced to be yellow fever. He had been in Washington two days, having come from New York city, where he arrived on Monday from Nicaragua, where he had been since last April.

He left there about two weeks ago on a steamer bound for New York, but was stopped at Port Limon, Costa Rica, an infected port.

Rush Orders on Warships.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 21.—Rush orders for the war vessels now being repaired at the Charlestown navy yard have been received at that place.

Three vessels, the double turreted monitor Amphitrite, the cruiser Detroit and the gunboat Castine were specially mentioned in the order.

THINKS SHE DID IT ALL

Miss Jessie Schley Says She Induced Spain to Sue for Peace.

INTERESTING CLAIM MADE

Miss Schley Went to Madrid as a Delegate of the Woman's International League for Peace. Advised Government to Give Up a Coaling Station or Two, but Deprecates Our Demands.

Milwaukee, Nov. 21.—Miss Jessie Schley, a relation of the admiral, who went to Spain as a delegate of the Women's International League for Peace, in an effort to bring the war to a close, has issued a statement to the American press in which she takes the credit of influencing Spain to sue for peace. In the course of her statement she says:

"I reached Madrid as delegate of the Women's International League for Peace, and bearing the list of names and resolutions for her majesty, the Queen of Spain, on July 22.

"I at once began visiting and conferring with prominent officials. On the 23d his excellency, the minister of state, Duc de Almodovar del Rio, requested me to put in writing the matter I desired to convey to him. I did so and sent it to him on the 25th. On that day or the following, I judged from the newspaper report, the queen's cabinet discussed this communication at their meeting, and that day (the 26th) Spain sued for peace.

"The next day, the 27th, I was hurried out of Madrid, fearing a riot against me, when it should become known that Spain had made overtures of peace. It was feared the Carlists and Spanish jingoes might make trouble then, and they had already begun to look for me.

"Of course peace would have come, Spain was beaten, but she was not ready to surrender then. She still wanted to fight for Havana and the Philippines, but I maintain the documents I submitted to the minister of state decided her to sue for peace just then, and I believe you will find that the Spanish authorities bear me out in this.

"Spain trusted me. She knew I liked her noble and defenceless country; was of her religion and detested the war, considering it a disgrace to our country.

"I advised her to give us a coaling station or two, though strictly speaking we should not take even that, as we had begun the war 'in the name of humanity,' but our government might need them, and we had been put to much expense. In short, I wrote such a strong appeal for peace I feared I might overdo it by my blunt statements, using the word "foolhardy," etc.

"I was certain my country would act honorably, so you can imagine my mortification and chagrin to find we are trying to grab all that we can.

"Following this letter I shall have a storm of abuse, I know, from the jingoes and the A. P. A.'s, who have already written me so many insulting letters, but I defy one of them to show anyone who has made greater sacrifices to maintain the honor of our grand country.

"This is no time for party strife or bitter religious feeling if we would save our country.

"Democrats and Republicans must act together. Possibly it was fortunate the Republicans won in the last elections, for among them are many honorable men who will maintain our national honor, and the party that began the war 'in the name of humanity' will be able to finish it in the name of humanity and not disgrace us by making terms too difficult for our conquered foe."

Anti-Expansionists Organize.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 21.—The organizers of a movement against the annexation of the Philippines met in this city Saturday.

A constitution was adopted, officers were elected and an address was issued to the people of the United States urging prompt co-operation in getting signatures to a protest against the annexation of the Philippines. Edward Atkinson presided.

Before the meeting opened he received a telegram from Andrew Carnegie saying that Mr. Carnegie had sent a check for $1,000 for the use of the movement.

Funds have already been subscribed liberally.

Paris Paper Prophesies.

Paris, Nov. 21.—The Rappel, in threatening Great Britain with French hostility in the future, says:

"The blunders of Great Britain in the Fashoda question have irritated Europe and have excited the appetite of the United States. England and America can scarcely continue to agree. Canada is very tempting after Cuba, and then Jamaica, British Guiana and the Cape. A decade hence England will be caught between Europe and the United States, and that day will be Great Britain's death.

Cuban Commission Coming.

New York, Nov. 21.—General Calixto Garcia, General Miguel Gomez, Gonzales Lanuza and Jose Ramon Villaion, members of the commission appointed by the Cuban assembly to visit Washington and confer with President McKinley as to the future of the island, will arrive here to-day on the steamer Seguranca.

Missionary Murdered in China.

London, Nov. 21.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Shanghai says that the Rev. Mr. Fleming, a missionary, and a native evangelist were murdered in the recent attack by the rebels on the town of Kwei-Fu, in the upper Yang-tse-Kiang valley, when the Catholic mission at that place was burned.

Baron Fava a Senator.

Rome, Nov. 21.—The Official Gazette announces the appointment of thirty new senators, including Baron Fava, Italian ambassador to the United States, who, however, will retain the embassy at Washington.

HARVARD BEATS YALE.

Crimson Won for the First Time in Eight Years. Score 17—0.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 21.—Harvard defeated Yale Saturday afternoon, 17 to 0, winning a glorious football victory in a clean, fast game, abounding in brilliant plays, dramatic moments and unsullied by the slightest vestige of unfair tactics.

Success perched on the Crimson banner through no lucky turn of fortune. The Harvard players proved themselves to be masters of the game, excelling in every department, and playing such football as was never before seen, and was well nigh marvelous, considering the miserable weather conditions.

Every point was made by straightforward, open tactics, and no fluke or luck contributed in any way to the result.

Harvard's great speed of play, power and concentration of attack, superior kicking and splendid physical condition won the game for her easily. The Yale players fought with stolid pluck and at the end they rallied grandly out of sheer desperation, and finished strong.

For the first time in eight long years a Harvard team not only succeeded in defeating a Yale football eleven, but rolled up the largest score made in a game between the two colleges since 1886.

The Crimson crossed Yale's goal line three times, kicking two goals and ending the game with seventeen points to their credit, while Yale's score was as blank as their faces.

There was considerable of the traditional Yale grit shown throughout, but Harvard's confidence increased as the game progressed, until the frequent scoring intoxicated her followers and the demonstration at the end broke all bounds.

That the game could have been played under such fearful weather conditions and yet be marked by less than the average amount of fumbling, was indeed remarkable, and it was still more enjoyable, despite the same conditions, in that there were but few delays, no quarrels and the absence of questionable decisions and a clean, wholesome football game throughout.

The rain, which had been pouring down for two days, continued throughout the entire game, but in spite of the weather fully sixteen thousand people witnessed the game.

FILIPINOS IN EUROPE AGITATED.

Aguinaldo Sends Word to Insist on Independence or Death.

London, Nov. 21.—There is much agitation among the Filipino representatives in Europe over the Philippine situation.

Agoncillo, the representative of Aguinaldo, who has been in Paris watching the proceedings of the peace commissions, has started for Washington, D. C.

It is learned that on Wednesday last he called a meeting of all the Filipinos in Paris and London to meet him in Paris, when a committee was formed with the object of doing everything possible to induce France to recognize the so-called Filipino republic.

A telegram was sent to Aguinaldo asking for instructions, and the following reply is said to have been received:

"Insist upon absolute independence. Otherwise fight to the death. We are all united and the government is progressing smoothly. All the independent tribes of the mountains are submitting to Aguinaldo, and the chiefs are bringing in presents of gold."

The statements made by General Wesley Merritt in reply to the appeal of the Filipino junta of Hong Kong to the American people have caused indignation among the Filipinos.

They are specially incensed at the suggestion that they would loot and at the idea of being governed as a colony.

The Filipinos of Paris are sending a dispatch to President McKinley protesting against the assertions that have been made.

Fenced Himself In.

Lakewood, N. J., Nov. 21.—George Gould's magnificent place here has become so much of an attraction that the public has taken an interest almost proprietary in it.

In fact the estate has been so overrun with visitors that in self protection Mr. Gould has been compelled to interpose a barrier.

He has built a wall, surmounted by an iron paling, twelve feet high altogether, and his lawns and flowers and trees and shrubbery are no longer at the mercy of careless persons, who have been tramping over everything green in sight.

The new clock which the millionaire has placed over the front of his stables strikes the hours, half hours and quarters, and the clear, silvery tones can be heard a long distance away.

Recently Mr. Gould bought five hundred acres of ground adjoining his place, and this is to be turned into a game preserve. It will be stocked with quail and pheasant at first. Larger game will be added next season.

Postal Commission to Meet in Chicago

Washington, D. C., Nov. 21.—The joint commission of the Senate and House which is looking into postal affairs will meet in Chicago to-day to take up that branch of the inquiry relating to the cost of transporting mail over the railways, rental of postal cars, etc.

The commission consists of Senators Chandler, Wolcott, Allison and Faulkner, and Representatives Loud, Moody, Fleming and Catching.

Bits of News.

Bucharest dispatches say that two attempts have been made recently upon the life of ex-King Milan.

A three hundred thousand dollar fire visited Staten Island Saturday. Warehouses and newspaper offices were destroyed.

Governor-elect Roosevelt lectured at Lowell Institute, Boston, Saturday evening, to a large audience on the Indian question.

Robert Fullerton, the Silver Democratic candidate for assembly in the Eighteenth district, New York, filed an account of his campaign expenses in the office of the county clerk on Saturday. He stated that he had expended fifteen cents in silver, of which ten cents went for a pint of beer and five cents for stogies."

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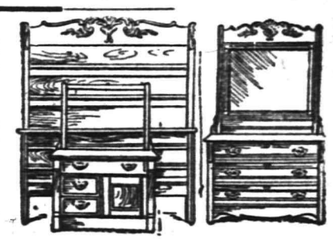

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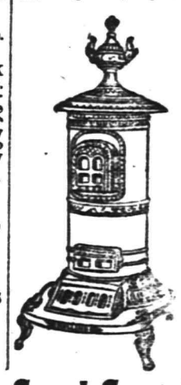

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COMING EVENTS.

November 21—Burrill Comedy Company at Music Hall, for one week.
November 21—Union Bible class taught by Rev. D. M. Stearns.
November 23—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at Crescent Rink.
November 24—Football game on Martine common between Plainfield and San Rem.
November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

Trolley and Election.

Though little has been said about the influence of the trolley in the municipal campaign it is a fact that street railway matters may constitute a lively issue.

It appears that a private conference of a number of wealthy gentlemen was held a few evenings ago, and at that time the probable attitude of the next city administration in reference to street railway affairs was discussed. In the minds of a number of those who are identified with financial institution, which hold pleasant relationships with trolley promoters, the fact that the next Common Council and Mayor may have something to say about the Bergen county trolley scheme has not been lost sight of.

It is said that at this meeting it was decided to have a certain committee of gentleman call upon DeWitt C. Ivins for the purpose of inviting him to become a candidate for Mayor on an anti-county trolley platform. They want to see the Republicans nominate him for Mayor and then they will endeavor to have his candidacy endorsed by the Citizens.

Mr. Ivins is openly and above board against the Bergen county trolley scheme, and in the event of his election as Mayor it would be expected that he would oppose the Bergen scheme on every hand. Mr. Ivins is also in favor of the Plainfield Street Railway Company being granted a franchise in perpetuity for its eastern extensions in this city, and if elected he would no doubt do his best to secure for them the concessions that they asked for in the franchise under consideration recently by the Common Council, and to which The Daily Press, The News and a majority of the people in Plainfield were opposed.

Mr. Voorhees' Good Sense.

Governor-elect Voorhees displays good sense when he urges that his inauguration as the chief officer of the State be accompanied by simple and unostentatious ceremonies. Enthusiastic Republicans and personal friends had been arranging to give the Governor a great send-off on his induction into office, but Mr. Voorhees has put a quietus on such plans by announcing that he does not want any military or spectacular display when he takes his oath of office.

Too often a select coterie of friends, well-meaning enough in their own way, make heroes of men when there is no reason for it. In his everyday life Mr. Voorhees is distinguished by his democratic manners and it would be a slight indication of an enlarged cranium should he countenance the attempt to make his inauguration a grand affair.

Mr. Martine Not a Citizens' Man.

James E. Martine has been called upon and urged by the leaders of the Citizens' party to accept the Mayoralty nomination on their ticket. Mr. Martine positively declined to consider such a matter, however, and told the Citizens' leaders that he would not, under any circumstances, consent to become a candidate of the Citizens'.

After urging a straight Democratic ticket, Mr. Martine realizes full well the inconsistency he would exhibit in associating himself in any way with the Citizens'.

A certain alleged Democrat in Plainfield, who has made great professions of loyalty to his party, but who at this time believes in subserving the party to a Citizens' movement on the plea that his devotion to the success of the people in the approaching city election is so great that he fears to take a risk on a straight party ticket, has had a quiet sort of a talk with a Republican leader, of whom he is a relative, urging that a certain Republican be nominated for an office that he (the alleged Democrat) secretly aspires to. The alleged Democrat wants this to be so because he thinks that the Republican in question is a weak man and that he (the alleged Democrat) will win if the Republican is nominated. It takes a pretty smart man to work three sides of a political game, but this alleged Democrat seems to be doing it fairly well.

An opinion just given by the New Jersey Court of Appeals holds that the law giving to trades unions the right to adopt and use a distinctive label for their protection is constitutional. This reverses a Chancery Court decision and is important. The Newark Hatmakers' Association adopted a label and a firm of hatmakers adopted a similar one. The Newark Association sought an injunction and have secured it. The labels of trades unions will now be respected in New Jersey.

Harry C. Runyon, secretary of the Board of Trade, assures that in all probability an application for the franchise to the eastern limits of the city will be made at the next meeting of the Common Council by the Plainfield Street Railway Company, notwithstanding the statement made by L. W. Serrell, Jr., to the contrary. Mr. Runyon, however, states that it was not L. W. Serrell, Jr., that brought the message of Chandler Riker to him, but another young man by the name of Serrell.

It is an unkind political fate that left Fred Bird off the Citizens' committee in the First ward. After having carried the Citizens' movement uphill for five months, as Mr. Bird says that he has, he is to be left at the top and not allowed the pleasure of riding down on what he anticipates is going to be a landslide.

In order to secure the nomination of their candidates the Citizens' will have to secure signatures on petitions representing one per cent of the vote cast at the last municipal election, which will be between 250 and 300.

Harmony will not commence with a big H in the Republican primaries tonight if indications count for anything. Extraordinary changes are likely to be made in the working machinery of the party.

Even if all do not agree with Councilman Barrows in his view of the local government, it will be interesting to read his communication in another column.

Election is two weeks from tomorrow.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

The Shrewsbury and Plainfield Society of Friends want the Legislature of New Jersey to abolish the death penalty. That has been practically done ahead by the juries in the various counties. So sympathetic is the average jury in this respect that it is a pretty hard task nowadays to convict anybody of murder in this State, and even in the worst cases the law permits all kinds of devices and tricks to delay the execution of sentence.—Tribune.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Republican primaries this evening in the city.

—A new choir has been organized at the First Church of Christ.

—Wedding dinners and receptions supplied by M. E. Stephenson's, 146 North avenue.

—A substantial new stone walk is being laid in front of the Arlington Hotel on Somerset street.

—Rev. D. M. Stearns will meet the Union Bible class and others interested in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening.

—Attend the auction sale of catering and household goods at Max Wiertz's, 201 West Sixth street, tomorrow at 2 p m. See adv.

—Thanksgiving at the Children's Home, dinner for thirty, will be served at the Children's Home at one o'clock Thanksgiving Day.

—Furniture selected at G. Q. Packer's for Christmas presents will be reserved until wanted. Now is your time to order while the stock is large.

—Wednesday, Nov 23d, and balance of the week, Mrs. L. Adams will have a special sale of a new lot of trimmed hats. Prices will be about one-half their value.

—Bill Nye says: "Polk Miller does not advertise goods he cannot deliver." He will tell in story and song about "Old Times Down South" in the Y. M C. A. entertainment Thanksgiving night.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

The Burrill Comedy Company opens a week's engagement tonight at Music Hall in the powerful play, "Infatuation." This company, composed of sixteen clever artists, supports Miss Laura Hulbert, the well-known emotional actress. Specialties will be introduced between the acts by refined vaudeville artists. Among them is Nellie DeVeau, the champion buck and wing dancer of America, the winner of the Richard K. Fox diamond medal, and other well-known performers. A special ladies' ticket has been issued for this evening's performance which must be presented for exchange at half price at box office before 7 p. m. The regular evening prices are 10, 20 and 30 cents, and matinee prices will be 10 cents for children and 20 cents for adults. The first matinee will be given tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

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"The Nancy Hanks," a musical farce comedy by Frank Tunnehill, Jr., will soon be seen at Music Hall. Manager Maze Edwards has lately perfected a number of first class attractions.

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A majestic revival of D'ennery great melo-drama, "The Two Orphans," will be the excellent attraction Thanksgiving week at the Star Theater, 14th street and Broadway, New York, commencing tonight. The favorite American actress Kate Claxton will be seen in her version of Louise, the blind girl, a role that has made her famous throughout the length and breath of the civilized world. This romantic drama has lived and will continue to live without the aid of disrobing scenes, explosions, burglars, and other accessories necessary for modern plays to attract attention. The story of the "Two Orphans" is too well known to require reciting. Suffice to say it is one of absorbing interest. Miss Claxton will have the support of a specially picked company, the leading heavy role being in the hands of that finished and clever actor, Charles A. Stevenson.

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Proctor's Twenty-third Street Theatre, the delight of the tired shopper, and home of continuous vaudeville and dramatic debuts, keeps up its high reputation with an exceedingly strong bill for the week of November 21st. At great expense Mr. Proctor has arranged for a special holiday production of Charles Dickens' beautiful story, "The Holly Tree Inn," the stage adaptation being by Augustus Thomas, and the principal characters being taken by the clever child actors, Mabel Taliaferra and Master Harold Walsh, supported by a competent company. Special scenery and costumes have been provided, and the little play bids fair to score a big success. Such a thing as a weak or unentertaining show is unknown at Proctor's, and this fact, combined with the popular prices, which never change, the courteous treatment which Mr. Proctor insists shall be extended to all his patrons by every attachee of the house, and the cozy surroundings, have all tended to make the Twenty-third Street Theatre the most popular continuous performance house in town.

Has Reported to the President.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, Commissioner to Puerto Rico, has returned from Washington, accompanied by his stenographer, Mr. Williams. The doctor had delightful conferences with President McKinley, the Secretary of State and Secretary of the Treasury. He will remain here about three weeks, when he and Mr. Williams will return to Puerto Rico to resume their labors.

—Trinity Commandery, Knights Templar, will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—If you are in a dilemma about the setting of your table for Thanksgiving, Woodhull & Martin will help you out with the "specials" they have advertized in this issue of the Press.

—A horse owned by Marsh, Ayres & Co. started to run away this morning on Plainfield avenue. A boy in the employ of the firm was in charge, and he quickly caught the animal before it had gone very far.

—The Grand Union Tea Company, 138 West Front street, owing to the demand, will continue all this week to give free with one pound of baking powder the greatest roasting pan out. Just the thing for roasting poultry.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Thanks-giving Things.

AS usual we have anticipated your wants. The good housewife's thoughts naturally turn to her Table Linen, and an investigation of her supply not infrequently convinces her that she needs a Table Cloth or some new Napkins It may be she expects company for Thanksgiving dinner and would like some better Linen than she happens to have on hand It is just here we are able to help her out for we have some extra fine Double Damasks, 72 inches wide, at $1.25 and $1 50 per yd. Bought under the old tariff they are 20 per cent under present values. We have cheaper good goods, however, at 75, 89 and 98c yard As Thanksgiving Specials we shall on Tuesday and Wednesday sell

All our 75c bleached Damask, 70 in, - - 50c yd
All our 69c unbleached Damask, 70 in, - - 50c yd
Napkins to match the bleached goods at - - $1 50 doz
(By the dozen only) For Tuesday and Wednesday Only.

LACE CURTAINS.

You may need New Curtains for your Parlor. If so you should certainly see ours. Last week we opened an entirely new lot for Thanksgiving and the Holidays the like of which was never before shown in this city. They are advance patterns for 1899 and are positively the newest things obtainable.

Nottinghams from $1.98 to $3 40 pr
Irish Point from - $2 98 to $9.00 pr
Dainty Sash Curtainings in new and exclusive designs, 10c to 75c per yd
18-in Irish Point Vestibule Lace, 49c to 65c yd

Down Stairs.

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You will not be in the proper frame of mind for true Thanksgiving if you are obliged to carve the Turkey with a poor Knife and Fork. Good Cutlery is cheap as you notice below:

2 pc Stag Handle Carving Set 75c
3 pc " " 95c
2 pc Rubber " " 98c
3 pc " " " $1 25
2 pc Celluloid " " $2 48
3 pc " " " $2.98
2 pc Smoked Celluloid Handle Carving Sets - $3.75

Full assortment Kitchen Cutlery, Paring Knives, Bread Knives, Butcher Knives, etc.

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A large Chair Sale is now under way. To get particulars of same it will be necessary to call.

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Children's fleeced, ribbed union Suits, all sizes at 25c.
Children's heavy grey underwear, size 16-6c, rise 2c. a size.
Children's heavy fleece-lined underwear, all sizes 25c.
Men's all-wool scarlet underwear, at $1.50 grades, slightly imperfect, to be 85c.
Men's 50 per cent wool, grey underwear, 39c.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 21—In accordance with a suggestion made by The Press a short time ago, a card club has been formed, composed of residents of the borough, and called the Washington Avenue Card Club. The club has been organized and the officers elected are as follows: President, Miss S. D. Barrett; vice president, R. B. Carpenter, secretary and treasurer, F. R. Haynes. The club will meet for the first time tonight.

The Thanksgiving service this year will be held in the Methodist church Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. All the churches in the borough as well as those in New Market will join in the services. Rev. F. E. Peterson, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, New Market, will preach the sermon, and Revs. Martine, Jamison and Todd will take some part in the services.

A new local train for New York was put on the timetable yesterday. The train leaves the station here at 9:08 o'clock, and makes almost all the stops from here to Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNabb, of Plainfield, have taken up their residence in the Staple house on Washington avenue which Mr. McNabb has recently purchased.

Isaac J. Stites, the blacksmith, has sold his house to his brother. A new sidewalk is being laid around it, and the property is being otherwise improved.

The football game Thanksgiving Day will be quite an attraction, and no doubt there will be a large crowd on hand to witness it.

A. F. Warden is a confirmed nimrod, and every fine day he is apt to be gunning for rabbits. He meets with good success, too.

T. W. Denlinger, of Mauch Chunk, has rented the Henry Ludivici house on Jackson avenue, and moved in there last week.

Miss Jennie Williams, of Westfield, who has been visiting Miss Janie Churchill for several weeks, has returned home.

John Beekman and James Martin have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Centreville.

F. W. Burger has sold his Washington avenue property to a New York lawyer who will soon move here.

Miss Martha Sirisky, of Raritan, spent Sunday with her brother, Bernard Sirisky, the barber.

Miss Nan White, of Somerville, spent Sunday with friends in the borough.

Miss Alma Enander has entered the Plainfield Business College.

E. Brown will soon move to Connecticut.

Miss Kate Bryan spent yesterday in Roselle.

Miss May Waring is ill at her home.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Morey are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son Thursday.

An interesting Sunday-school rally was held in the Baptist church last evening. Addresses were made by Mr. Teller, Mr. Crausse and Mr. Irving, all of Cranford. Mr. Baylis had charge of the vocal part of the programme, and Prof. Allen's orchestra, of Cranford, furnished the instrumental music. Mrs. Maguire and Mrs. Braker sang a beautiful duet, "Light After Darkness," and altogether a very pleasant evening was spent by those attending. Mr. Braker during his short stay with the church intends to have popular Sunday evening services, and Sunday evening next the service will be in charge of a noted New York slum worker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marsh and family are preparing to move from their home at the foot of the mountains to their house on Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton W. Pentz, of Bayonne, were the guests Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. Pentz's grandfather, Charles Kyte.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jimerson, of Westfield, were the guests Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Morey are entertaining Mrs. Morey's mother, Mrs. Stearns, of Brooklyn.

Fanwood Council, 744, R. A., entertain the grand officers at their meeting Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stillger, of Linden, spent Sunday with Mr. Stillger's parents.

George Adair, of Metuchen, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Clark.

The commissioners of appeal meet in the town rooms tomorrow.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 21.—The members of Central Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., and a large number of their friends went to the Methodist church last evening where they listened to an excellent sermon, delivered by Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, the pastor of the church.

There will be a union Thanksgiving service held in the Presbyterian church at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. In the afternoon there will be a football game between the Westfield team and the Dunellen team on the Broad street gridiron. These teams have played two tie games this season and the members are out for blood this time and a close and exciting game can be looked for.

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The Modern Cleaner

AND POLISH, COMPARES WITH OTHER CLEANERS AS A SEWING MACHINE WITH A NEEDLE.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Leggett's pharmacy is the only agency for "Huyler's."

—The Republican city convention will be held Thanksgiving Eve.

—The Republican primaries for the city election will be held tonight.

—An important meeting of Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will be held this evening.

—If you want want winter goods at rock bottom prices size up the prices on Willett's shoes.

—A Thanksgiving service will be held in Hope chapel Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

—A slight improvement is noticed in the condition of Mrs. William Wilson, of Grove street.

—Tomorrow evening Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. and A. M., will hold a regular communication.

—There will be a meetinng of the finance committee of the Borough Council this evening.

—This week will see a host of returning collegians who will spend Thanksgiving at home.

—There will be special Thanksgiving exercises in the Plainfield public schools Wednesday morning.

—The work of macadamizing Summit avenue is nearly completed, and it is one of the best streets in the borough.

—Rev. J. W. Richardson, of the Park Avenue Baptist church, preached in the Seventh-Day Baptist church Saturday morning.

—Early next month Rev. B. W. Hand will deliver a patriotic address in Washington Hall before several patriotic orders, of this city.

—At White's they are showing a large assortment of fine table linens, napkins and table sets. The prices are remarkably low for fine goods.

—If you want a delicious hot soda call on John Powers at his up-to date drug store. He has just installed a new hot soda apparatus and there is none finer.

—The regular November meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this evening in the Board rooms in the Babcock building. A large attendance is requested.

—Order your oysters for dressing at Rogers; they are cheap, and also place your order for prime oysters and half-shells at once with Rogers. They are the only dealers in this stock in the city.

—The next meeting of the Plainfield Ministers' Association will take place Monday, December 12th, and it is quite likely that the meeting will be held at the home of Rev. Cornelius Schenck, West End Park.

—A beautiful assortment of photographic frames, gathered from various makers, is now shown at Swain's, 317 West Front street. Also some of the newest productions in water colors, platino and carbon. 11 19 2

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Theodore Kurzhals, Jr., is detained at home by illness.

Alexander Kane, of Cottage place, spent Sunday in Philadelphia.

George Woodland, of Pearl street, has gone to Schenectady, N. Y.

Miss May Walsh, of West Fourth street, spent yesterday in Trenton.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of Fifth street, is visiting relatives at Astoria, L. I.

Miss Josephine Martin, of Harmony street, is visiting relatives in Rahway.

John D. Runyon, of Park avenue, has entirely recovered from the effects of a recent fall.

William Ford, of the regular army, is spending a few days in Plainfield with his parents.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard V. Sutton, of Third street, is quite ill.

Mrs. Winfield Schomp, of West Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Whitehouse.

Dr Zeglio, of Somerset street, has entirely recovered from his illness and is again attending to his duties.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coddington, of Mountain avenue, has been brightened by the arrival of a little daughter.

Miss Laura E. Runyon, of West Fourth street, went to New Haven Saturday to witness the game between Harvard and Yale.

Peter Saums, of Somerset street, is now wearing a broad and happy smile. It is a boy, and both he and his mother are doing well.

Miss Henrietta Cuming, of Putnam avenue, who has been confined to the house for several weeks with a sprained foot, is able to be out again.

Rev. W. C. O'Donnell and wife, of Fourth street, will have a house-warming tomorrow evening, at which time their many friends will call on them.

Miss Emma Gillem substituted for Miss Williams, and T. R. VanZandt for Horace Martin, Jr., in the choir of Trinity Reformed church yesterday.

Howard Wilson, of this city, who has been with Main's circus for nearly a year, is visiting his parents on West Fourth street. He will remain in Plainfield for some time.

The marriage of Miss Helen Jenks, formerly a teacher at the Bryant Public School, to Dr. R. M. Olin, will take place tomorrow at Perry, N. Y. The wedding will be attended by a few Plainfielders.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coard, East Ninth street, one week from today, will take place the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice Coard, to Ernest Franke. The wedding will take place at 7 o'clock in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cutter and son Raymond, of New York, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Cutter's father, E. C. Mulford, 403 East Fifth street, Mr. Cutter having been granted a week's vacation by the new Amsterdam Bank, where he holds a responsible position.

Col. J. M. Schoonmaker and family, of Pittsburg, Pa., are in town for a few days visiting relatives. They will remain over Thanksgiving. Col. Schoonmaker is vice-president of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad Company. He is also a brother to Mrs. F. H. Andrews, of Central avenue, and George B. Schoonmaker, of Madison avenue.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—As usual, Leggett will have a fresh supply of "Huyler's" for Thanksgiving. Do not delay your order, but be sure by sending early.

—The regular meeting of Redeemer Chapter, No. 1,300, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 23d at 8 o'clock at 143 Grove street.

—Tomorrow afternoon the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will hold a meeting in the chapel. A meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the church will also be held in the chapel tomorrow afternoon.

How's This?

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its regular meeting this evening.

—The Queen Esther Band of Grace M. E. church will hold a fair December 15th and 16th in the church.

—Watchung Lodge, International Order of Machinists, will meet in regular session tomorrow evening.

—Old Glory Council, Daughters of Liberty, will meet this evening and hear a report of the fair committee.

—An adjourned meeting of the City Council will be held this evening. Important business will be considered.

—There will be a big time in the Crescent Rink Wednesday evening, when the Twilight Social Club will hold their fourth annual masquerade ball.

—This evening at Trinity Reformed church there will be a Thanksgiving reunion service held under the aspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. A cordial invitation is extended to all, especially all old members.

—Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will be inspected tomorrow evening by Department Commander Wm. C Smith and his staff. A reception will follow which will be attended by members of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Director of Weddings.

An ingenious woman has opened a new field of occupation for her sisters. It is that of "director of weddings." This woman, realizing how much of an undertaking a wedding is, and how much care and trouble it is for the bride-elect, also into what sort of demoralized state it throws the whole household has taken upon herself the burden of the responsibility of it all.

She helps in the selection of the trousseau, after buying the material for the gowns, and superintending the making. She advises as to the gowns of the mother and sisters, and dictates as to how the bridesmaids shall dress. She installs herself in the home of the bride, sometimes before the wedding, and makes all arrangements for the decorations, and even arranges with the caterer.

Of course she has many original ideas, and is constantly in search of new ones, so that there may be, perhaps, some special novel feature to each wedding. She also is exceedingly clever in carrying out ideas suggested by the givers of the wedding, and tries in all ways to make herself popular.—New York Tribune.

Ready to Be Thrilled, and She Was.

An Ohio lady visiting Boston for the first time has been doing the sights. "I had my greatest thrill down at Copp's Hill burying ground," she said. "Yes, that's just the place for historic emotions," commented her interlocutor. She smiled. "As soon as my sister-in-law and I got into the place," she said, "I found myself almost stepping upon a grave with an inscription on a queer little iron cover sort of tomb. I jumped back, feeling the way you do when you step on a grave, and read the inscription, just three initials, no name or date. 'Isn't it pathetic?' I said to my sister-in-law. 'Oh, I don't know,' she answered, 'B. W. W. means Boston Water Works.'"—Boston Evening Transcript

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HUEBNER—In North Plainfield, Nov. 20th, 1898, John Huebner, aged 73 years. Funeral services at St. Joseph R. C. church, Tuesday, Nov. 22d, at 9 a. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

WANTED—A fresh cow. George J. Barry, 30 Rockview avenue, stable.

YOUNG woman wants situation at general housework. Call 116 Park avenue.

LOST—On Sunday, Nov. 20th, on North avenue, fifteen dollars. A suitable reward will be given for return to the Press office.

WANTED — Six carpenters; day work. Plainfield Poultry Farm Co., Washington Valley road.

WANTED—By colored woman, position as waitress, nurse, general housework or as upstairs girl. 616 W. 3rd St.

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply 534 East Front street 11 19 2

FOR SALE—A handsome, young, sound and very gentle polo pony; splendid driver and perfect saddler, at 207 LaGrande avenue. 11 19 6

WANTED—A heated room and board for two adults; good location; $40 a month. Address D., care Press. 11 19-21-23

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm, Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others

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Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

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70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
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72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

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Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers ..... 33c.
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Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural, ... 17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 33c.
All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 12c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

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Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 59c. pair
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Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black .. 10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 59c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 45c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 19c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 29c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths ..... 3c. each
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Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
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Friday, "RIP VAN WINKLE."
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TOLD BY A DAIRY.

Saturday.—Off for Germany at last! We have only been out five hours, though it seems more. I suppose I am to be envied. I am young—just twenty-five—never had a sick day in my life, have plenty of money, affections at present unoccupied. I am (bless the fates!) a bachelor, and am just starting on a sketching tour through Europe. I am told that I have been a very bad boy, but let me hasten to say that my present exemplary character renders all past misdemeanors insignificant. My conscience did so much active duty in the way of pricking during my youthful days that it has long since pricked itself an exit and fled away. My heart has been broken so often that, were it not for my excellent circulation, I should entertain the belief that that organ had been damaged beyond repair.

So now that I have introduced myself (by the way, I am usually considered quite a handsome fellow), let me look about the room, for I am writing in the public salon of the steamer and implore the muse for an inspiration. Ah! considerate muse, thou art indeed, wondrous kind! All I can see is a mass of curly golden hair Promising, so far. She is writing so busily that I can't see her face. There she has finished; she is going to look up. Ye gods and little fishes, what a face! I must sketch that girl. But she's gone. Well, we shall be six days on board the same vessel; I shall find another opportunity. Heigho! guess I'll go and have a smoke.

Sunday.—Prayer meeting in the salon this morning, which I did not attend. I pined to do so, but I am a great believer in the benefit which one derives from self-denial. Have not even caught a glimpse of my golden-haired divinity of yesterday; perhaps—oh, romantic suggestion!—perhaps she's seasick. There was a pretty brunette opposite me at breakfast; I caught her eye and smiled. She looked well when she blushed—most brunettes do. Sunday on board ship is deadly dull. Asked a fellow to play a game of poker this afternoon. He was evidently horrified; his expression was rich. I whipped out my sketchbook and caught it—see page fourteen.

Monday.—There's been a stiff breeze all day; many of the passengers have succumbed. My charming blonde (that pronoun sounds well) wasn't seasick; but the dragon, I mean her mother, was. She is traveling with her mother and brother. I have scraped up an acquaintance with the boy—milk-and-water sort of fellow; secretied to his mother's apron strings Worships his sister, too. He promised to introduce me to her. I shall get that sketch now.

Tuesday.—I came, I saw, she conquered. Dorothy Wayne—charming name, charming girl. Took her for a stroll on deck. She's bright, too. Of course I'm in love; when I'm not I feel like a fish out of water. I've always been thankful that the tender passion doesn't interfere with my appetite. The table is not very good, but I'm usually too hungry to be particular.

Wednesday.—It has just struck midnight. There has been a dance this evening. A dance over at midnight They keep abominably early hours on shipboard. I danced seven times with Miss Wayne; she waltzes like an angel. She wore a white gown cut low, with what-you-call-'ems down the front. Fine neck and shoulders that girl has. She was pleased to compliment me upon my mastery of the terpsichorean art; well, I have always been fond of dancing. There, I hear footsteps; some of the fellows. I asked them in for a game of cards.

Thursday.—Beastly day; cold rain and a heavy sea. I woke up with a bad headache this morning; lost at cards last night. Strolled into the dining room too late for breakfast waiter inattentive and everything lukewarm. Afterwards I went into the salon; Miss Wayne was there, writing She looked up as I entered and said that she had just finished. That was clearly an invitation and not to be resisted. I sat down beside her. She granted me the pleasure of her society until lunch time. The dragon (what a mother-in-law that woman would make!) seemed nervous all the morning; gave me black glances and tried all sorts of stratagems to get me away. I saw her little game and stuck to Dorothy closer than a brother. Young Wayne tried to hang on too, but I gave him a glance that sent him off.

After lunch he came up again and asked if I could spare him a few minutes. The poor little chap was awfully rattled. Well, then it all came out. Miss Dorothy was to be Lady Le Marchant in less than a week What deceivers women are! The dragon was escorting her over to meet Sir Peter Le Marchant, her affianced The old man had better keep his eyes open; I'm afraid my lady will prove one too many for him. She did not appear again till evening. I thought she looked rather subdued. Suppose her fond mamma had been pitching into her. Captain expects to get in to-morrow night. I'm rather glad; a sea voyage gets tedious.

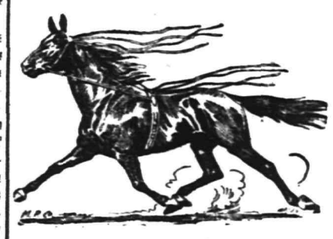
Friday.—Landed in Hamburg a few hours ago. Met an artist friend of mine who is staying here with his people. He took me right up to his hotel and I dined with his family. Awfully jolly people. He has two pretty sisters; I am going to paint the elder I've just been looking over my portfolio; I found a lot of sketches of that steamer girl. I tore them up. They really weren't worth keeping. A fellow does collect such a lot of rubbish when he is travelling.

WITHOUT HARNESS OR DRIVER.

Horses That Make Records All By Themselves.

Last year the Washington Park Club of Chicago secured the four pacing kings, Star Pointer, John R. Gentry, Joe Patchen and Robert J., and gave a one day's meeting at Washington Park. Star Pointer and Joe Patchen paced a great race, while Gentry went to beat the high wheel sulky record, and Robert J. tried to lower his mark of 2.01 1-2. Nearly twenty thousand persons paid admission to the track, and they gave the pacing kings a royal welcome. But when Marion Mills, a beautiful bay mare, came on the track without harness or driver and paced a mile alone in about 2.10, she fairly set the big crowd wild. Men shouted themselves hoarse and women stood on chairs in the excitement of the moment to wave their handkerchiefs as the knowing animal, after passing the wire, stopped, turned and jogged back to where her trainer stood. She was clearly the popular favorite that day, although the fastest four pacers in the world were her rivals. A few days before her appearance at Washington Park Marion Mills had paced a mile at Decatur in 2.04¾, which is the best time on record for "guideless wonders."

"Do you know how the 'guideless wonders' originated?" said a western horseman to a reporter. "Well, I can tell you. There was a man in a little country town out in Iowa who owned a rattle-headed pacer a few years ago. This pacer was fast, but he could never win a race on account of his acting, so the owner gave it up and turned him out on the infield of his half mile track. When the other horses were being trained and driven on the track the pacer on the infield would sometimes square away on the path he had worn next the rail, and would try to beat the horses in harness down the straight side of the course. One day it occurred to the owner to take him out on the track and see if he could do the trick there. So they rigged him out in hopples and put an overdraw check on him and tried the experiment. It succeeded beyond their expectations, for the pacer got excited and went two miles as hard as he could before they stopped him. A few days afterward they



tried it again. By this time everybody in the village had heard about the horse that would race without a driver, and half the population turned out to see the second trial. Of course they were scattered out around the track more or less, and they helped to make him go by shouting as he passed them. Within a week that pacer was the talk of the town and the country for miles around. The secretary of the county fair heard about him and paid the owner $20 to take his horse to the show and exhibit him in the fall of that year. It got into the papers and the man who owned the horse got several thousand dollars by exhibiting him the next year."

Sheep without Wool.

The principal kind of meat consumed by the people of Arabia, both native and foreign, is the mutton of the somali, or black-head sheep, and, no matter by whom eaten, all pronounce it the best mutton ever tasted. This sheep, as its name indicates, is from the Somali country, on the African coast. These sheep have no wool, but short, fine hair, similar to that of a dog. The most peculiar thing about them is that they have a large lump of pure fat growing right at the root of the tail, and this fat varies in size and weight according to the condition of the sheep. A medium sized lump of this fat weighs about four pounds. Such a sheep, which weighs from thirty-five to forty pounds, is sold at from four to five rupees (85 cents to $1.05). The skins, when sun dried, are exported, and large quantities of them go every year to the New York market, where they are known as "mocha skins," but, like the "mocha coffee" of commerce, this is merely a term and nothing else. In 1897 these skins were imported into New York to the value of $628,226.—New York Press.

Robin Roosts Discovered.

For many years naturalists like Audubon and Wilson studied and wrote of this bird before it was known that there were "robin roosts" as well as pigeon roosts. Only within the last few years was the fact brought out that a bird more familiarly known than the passenger pigeon followed this mode of spending the night, although it adopted spring instead of fall for massing by hundreds in a high, sheltered wood for a night's protection from cold, or because it is the period before pairing time, or for some other reason at present beyond men's ken. With what stealth must this well known and much observed bird have found its way in such numbers to the same patch of timber night after night in the early months of the year, according to locality, coming from all directions so swiftly that a secreted observer could not count, keeping up a chatter that could be heard for a long distance, until the last bird, somewhat belated, perhaps, found shelter in the darkening grove, when all became as silent as thousands of wings were folded to rest.

FIRST CHURCH IN THE KLONDIKE.

Good Work Begun by the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions.

The Rev. S. Hall Young and Dr. W. A. McEwen, two young Presbyterians sent out by the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, started for the Klondike last August. The two missionaries reached Klondike City just before the winter set in and before all means of travelling had been closed. On their journey they were robbed of the greater part of their provisions. Their first step was to rent a hall in which to hold services. They leased a small house for seven months for $850, payable in advance. The upper floor was divided into six 8x10 rooms, which were let very readily for $20 a month in advance. After the first service had been held, however, one of the lodgers came home drunk and set fire to the building. The house was totally destroyed. The loss was a great blow to the church, as much of the material burned could not be replaced at any cost.

Services were next held in the "Opera-House," which is the largest room in the city. The missionaries spent all their money in fitting up the new church, but when their cash was gone they found the miners very willing to give credit. The rudest furniture that could be found cost the church $200. Each window sash cost one-half ounce of gold, or about $10. Twelve joints of stovepipe cost $1.50 each. The pews were made of rough, unplaned boards, supported by rough logs. The missionaries borrowed sixteen rough boards to be used for seats.

The church is always kept warm and comfortable, in spite of the artic cold, to provide a meeting place for the miners away from the saloons. The reading-rooms have already become very popular. The miners have taken great interest in collecting reading matter. The library consists of about 1,500 books, magazines and pamphlets.

The labor bureau, which has been running for some time, has also done much good in relieving those unable to find profitable employment—for the Klondike has its unemployed poor the same as New York. A number of women from the surrounding country have taken an active interest in the church work and a regular chapter of the Christian Endeavor Society has been formed. One of the most important acquisitions of the church is a piano, which is played at the various services by Mrs. Kaiser, a woman banker from Jacksonville, Tenn.—New Work World.

PURPOSE PUT PITT IN PARLIAMENT.

He Allowed Nothing to Interfere with His Career and Never Knew Defeat.

William Pitt resolved in his boyhood to win a seat in the British Parliament, and every fibre of his being became alive with that purpose. Friends besought him to make a career worthy of his illustrious father; and his soul expanded, and achieved wonders under the power of that idea. No hardship was too great, no sacrifice too exacting, no study too irksome and no labor too forbidding for his conquering spirit. His was a triumphal march through the fields of literature, over the hills of science, and into the realm of wise statesmanship. He passed directly from College to the House of Commons. In a single year he rose to be Chancellor of the Exchequer; in two years he became Prime Minister of England, and from that moment his reign of influence and power was phenomenal. For a quarter of a century he was the power behind the throne of Britain, never relaxing his grip of political supremacy for love, wealth, learning or religion, and never knowing defeat, even temporary disappointment, from the beginning to the end of his remarkable career. He was the most influential and famous man in Great Britain before the dew of his youth was wiped from his forehead. Purpose did it.—Success.

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Secretary Gage Does Not Leave Room to Write Above His Name.

Secretary Gage is cautious as to the manner in which he signs his name for autograph fiends. One of these gentry recently accosted the Secretary as he was leaving the White House after a Cabinet meeting. Always willing to oblige, Mr. Gage paused to write his signature. The autograph man indicated a place in the middle of the page for the name. Secretary Gage shook his head, and said: "You'll have to find another place." A brother Cabinet officer was standing near and was attracted by the remark. After signing his name at the top part of the page of the album, Secretary Gage explained that many years ago he had learned never to place his name on a blank piece of paper where there was enough space above it to allow anything else to be written. "I know that man who wanted the signature just then was all right," said the Secretary, "but I never break my rule." The Secretary told several stories of people attaching their names to blank papers, with the result that they got themselves into trouble through orders being written above the names.—Cor. Chicago Times-Herald.

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Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Württemberg.

Stuttgart. Im Frühjahr entstand plötzlich unter den Hunden in Stuttgart eine größere Sterblichkeit; es herrschte zuerst die Ansicht, daß von böswilliger Hand den Thieren Gift gegeben wurde. Inzwischen hat jedoch die Sterblichkeit noch zugenommen, und es hat sich herausgestellt, daß die Thiere einer Seuche zum Opfer fallen, die in ihrer äußeren Erscheinung große Aehnlichkeit mit der beim Rindvieh vorkommenden Maul- und Klauenseuche hat. Ganz abgesehen von dem großen Schaden, welcher dem einzelnen Besitzer durch das Verenden der oft sehr werthvollen Thiere entsteht, wird die Seuche auch ihre fühlbare Wirkung auf das Steuer-Budget im nächsten Jahre ausüben.

Ebingen. In der Nähe der Gemeinde Bitz ist ein ergiebiges Marmorlagen konstatirt worden. Professor Fraas aus Stuttgart und Professor Kroken aus Tübingen, die an Ort und Stelle waren, bestätigten darnach, daß die zu Tage geförderte Felsenmasse echter Marmor sei. Nach dem Urtheil der Fachmänner soll das Lager „außerordentlich ergiebig" sein und einen bedeutenden Industriezweig versprechen.

Heilbronn. Der Vorstand des Aichamts, Stierle, wurde wegen Unterschlagung und Fälschung verhaftet.

Marbach. Der Schmied Daiber hat seine 28jährige leibliche Tochter erstochen. Daiber hatte früher den Sauferwahnsinn und ist schon öfter bestraft; seine Tochter war ein sehr braves Mädchen.

Rottweil. Wegen fahrlässiger Tödtung durch Ueberfahren mit einem Fahrrad wurde der ledige Schuhmacher Richard Leis von Dortmund von der hiesigen Strafkammer zu elf Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt. Leis hatte einen Knaben überfahren, der nach 12 Stunden seinen Verletzungen erlag.

Ulm. Die städtischen Kollegien genehmigten das Gesuch des königlichen statistischen Landesamtes um die Benützung des Münsterthurmes für meteorologische Beobachtungen. Die Instrumente, die die meteorologische Centralstation in Stuttgart liefert, werden auf dem oberen und unteren Umgange angebracht. Als Beobachter der Instrumente werden auf Kosten der Stadt die Münsterwächter angestellt werden. Die Ueberwachung übernimmt Direktor Schimpf. Die meteorologische Münsterstation wird nach der auf dem Eiffelthurme in Paris die höchste Thurmstation werden.

Baden.

Karlsruhe. Der Bürgerausschuß trat einstimmig dem Beschluß des Stadtraths bei, der sich für die Höherlegung des Bahnhofs ausspricht. Ebenso genehmigte er den vom Stadtrath vorgeschlagenen Ankauf einer Geländefläche von 12,847 Quadratmetern zum Preise von 113,317 Mark auf der Knielinger Gemarkung, um dort einen Friedhof für den westlichen Stadttheil anzulegen.—Dieser Tage wurde hier nach vorausgegangenem Gottesdienste die zweite israelitische Synode eröffnet.

Heidelberg. Acht Angehörige des hiesigen Studentenkorps „Rhenania," die Anfangs August von der Strafkammer in Mannheim wegen Herausforderung zum Zweikampf und Kartelltragens zu Festungshaft verurtheilt worden waren, wurden durch Beschluß des Senats der Universität auf vier Semester relegirt.

Mannheim. Die Firma Lever Bros, in Port Sunlight bei Liverpool, bekanntlich die größte Seifenfabrik der Welt, hat auf Neckarau-Mannheimer Gemarkung ein Gelände von 85,000 Quadratmeter gekauft, um darauf eine große Seifenfabrik zu errichten.

Thennenbronn. Als der 51 Jahre alte frühere Bierbrauer Christian Oel mit der Axt einen Pfahl in den Boden treiben wollte, schlug er sich mit dem Schneidetheil an die Stirn, worauf der Tod sofort erfolgte. Oel war angetrunken.

Elsaß-Lothringen.

Straßburg. Der Gemeinderath beschloß, in den städtischen Elementarschulen Schulküchen für Schülerinnen in größerem Umfange einzuführen.—Die in Folge des Dreyfushandels in Frankreich herrschende Aufregung und Unsicherheit hat zahlreiche einheimische Familien, die bisher ihre Söhne über die Grenze schickten, um sie in französischen Pensionaten erziehen zu lassen, bewogen, dieselben von dort zurückzunehmen, um sie elsaß-lothringischen höheren Lehranstalten zu übergeben.

Merzheim. Hier erschoß ein Gendarm einen Gefangenen, der einen Fluchtversuch machte, als er ihn in's Colmaer Untersuchungsgefängniß überführen wollte. Er schoß erst, als der Gefangene, ein viel vorbestrafter, gefährlicher Mensch, auf seine Halttrufe nicht hielt, und er glaubte, ihn nicht mehr einholen zu können.

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 10, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25, 1 35, 3 25, 3 35, 3 55, 4 35, 4 55, 5 20, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 25, 7 45, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 00 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25, 3 55, 6 45, 7 25, 8 55, 9 55 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 00, 7 47, 8 13, 8 37, 9 05, 9 56, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 12, 3 25, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 15, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 0 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 20, 5 45, 6 10, 7 35, 9 05, 11 35 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 40, 6 35, 7 35, 9 15, 10 15 p. m.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 0 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 03 5 26, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 41, 10 25, 11 38 p. m; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 18, a. m; 2 03, 3 40, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 46, 8 25, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 53, 2 05 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 27, 7 03, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 3 27, 4 35, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 10 a. m; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m; 12 25, 4 18, 5 10, 7 17, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m 4 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 13 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaququa, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 35 p. m. for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

9 00 a. m. Sundays for Easton

9 40 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 00 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 22, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 05, 10:27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 03 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 37 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 9 56 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 15, 8 29, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 16, 4 14, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 16, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 16, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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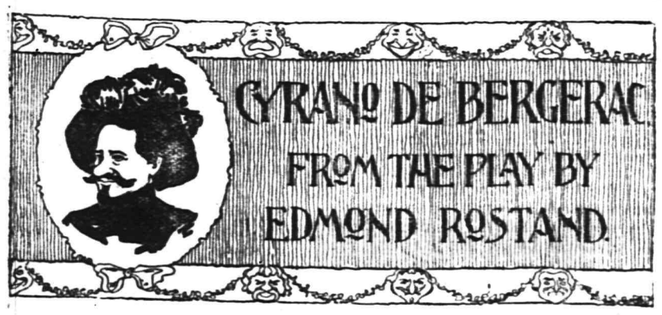

CHAPTER VI.

Then in the darkness, in the shadow of the wall beneath the lady's balcony, one lover in low whispers taught the other how to speak. And, that no passerby should spoil the plan, he bade his pages play at the entrance to the street a tune if any one should come, "Gay if a woman, sad if a man," said Cyrano.

"Roxane," called Christian's voice.

Roxane glimmered in white upon the balcony.

"Who's there?" she asked.

"'Tis I, Christian. I would speak with you."

"No! You speak too ill. Begone!"

"I pray"—

"No! You do not love me!"

"You accuse me—kind Heaven, hear her—of loving no more when I love more and more."

"Ah," cried Roxane, "that is a little better."

"Love grew great rocked in my restless heart, which he—the cruel—took for a cradle. And for that he was cruel. I have tried to stifle him—but vain the effort. Newborn, he is still a young Hercules. And as if they were naught he strangled the two serpents—pride and doubt."

"Ah! That is very good," cried Roxane. She left the shuttered window where she had been standing, as though to re-enter her room, and leaned over the balcony, peering into the darkness.

"But why do you speak so slowly?" she asked. "Have you some palsy of imagination?"

Cyrano pushed Christian farther into the background, and, schooling his voice to be like the youth's, answered her.

"It is that night is come," he said, "and in the dark my words must creep to find your ear."

"My words encounter no such difficulty."

"The winged words from you, madame, come down. They travel quickly. But mine must climb, and that needs longer time."

"But now they mount with speed, methinks."

"They've had practice. They have caught the art."

"I speak to you, in truth, from a great height," sighed Roxane. "I think I will come down."

"No, no!"

"Stand, then, upon that bench beneath my balcony."

"No!"

"And pray why not?"

"To speak thus, without seeing—'tis sweet. We scarce divine each other. You see a darkness, cloaked and tall,

UNDER THE BALCONY OF ROXANE.

and I—the whiteness of a robe of spring. I am but a shadow, and you are light. You do not know what these minutes are to me. If sometimes I am eloquent"—

"You are!"

"Never until this hour have my words sprung straight from my heart. A blindness falls upon me when your eyes look into mine. Tonight—tonight for the first time, it seems to me that I am speaking straight to you."

"A new tone's in your voice."

"A new tone, true, for in the night that hides me I dare at last to be myself. I dare—I know not what. Forgive me that I'm moved. This—this is so sweet—so strange"—

"So strange?"

"Yes—strange to be sincere. The fear of being mocked has always locked my heart."

"Mocked? But why?"

"Ah—for my heart's wild beating! I sought to clothe my love with witty words, to hide it from the curious gaze. I longed to reach up starward, and am afraid of ridicule. I stooped and picked a wild flower. This wit of ours! To catch your fancy at the first—'twas good, but now 'twould be a profanation of the calm night to speak the words that garnish fine love letters. Come, let us look upon the stars. Let the wide sky take from us all our make believes. I dread that, in the alchemy we're skilled in, the very essence of our love may dissolve—escape us. Ah, it is sin in love to play at fencing! The moment comes—and blest that moment—when every polished phrase and rounded word is sad and vain."

"And if that moment's come for us?" floated the whisper down from the balcony.

"All, all that came to me I'd toss to you in one wild cluster, not set in a bouquet. I love you! I stifle—I love! I'm mad! Do you not begin to understand, my sweet? Do you not feel my soul mount up to you? Ah, this is too beautiful, too dear, that I should tell you all and you should listen! It is too much. I never hoped for this. Could I but die now! Have words of mine the power to make you tremble there among the branches? For you do tremble like a leaf among the leaves! I feel it! Whether you will it or not, the blessed trembling of your hand thrills through the tendrils of your jasmine."

He caught the vine and kissed it passionately.

"Oh," cried Roxane in a voice faint with excess of happiness, "I tremble! I weep! I love thee! I am thine! Ah, thou hast conquered me!"

And then, though Cyrano's were the words that won her, Christian's were the feet to mount to her balcony, Christian's the arms to infold her, his the face for her kisses.

"Ah, well," mused Cyrano in the gloom, all sweet with white stars of flowers; "ah, well, some crumbs of joy still fall to me, for though you kiss his lips the words you kiss are mine!"

Now, it was no part of my Lord De Guiche's plan to betake himself to Arras without pursuing the advantage he thought he had won with Roxane. She had pretended an interest in his movements. She had suggested to him a subtle scheme of revenge upon her insolent cousin. She had called him "Antoine." Surely when she had yielded so far to his lovemaking surely he had but to make love a little longer to win more favor. What if she had besought him by his love for her to go where glory waited! Glory should wait on love.

Therefore it happened that on the night when Cyrano's lovemaking, mounting to Roxane's balcony through the jasmined darkness, had broken down her coldness and had won her—for Christian—there came a friar through the still street where the ugly eloquent waited. The pages guarding the corner had played twice—gay and sad.

"Gay?" said Cyrano. "A woman passes. No. Sad? Ah, gay and sad! It is a monk."

And through the street there glided a cowled and vestured figure.

"I seek Mme. Robin—Mme. Madeline Robin," announced the friar "Lives she not here?"

Some subtle sense of danger to his lady caused Cyrano to give the friar a false direction. Discovering his mistake, the friar returned. While they talked Roxane and Christian came to the door with her duenna to learn the cause of the chatter.

"I have a message for your fairness," exclaimed the friar, "from a great noble."

"Ah—De Guiche!" breathed Roxane softly.

"'Tis here." And the friar drew forth the note and gave it to Roxane.

Behind Roxane stood Ragueneau, whom hungry poets had eaten out of stock and shop and whom a gay newsdealer had bereft of his wife also. At Cyrano's prayer Roxane had made the ex-pastry cook one of her retainers, and his was the hand that held the lantern by which she read De Guiche's note. It ran:

MADEMOISELLE—The drums beat. My regiment girds its armor on. It starts. And I—they believe me gone already, but I wait. I disobey you. I am here—hidden in the convent. Tonight I come to you. I send you this to let you know by a poor monk as simple as a child, who has no understanding of the thing he bears. Your lips have smiled on me too sweetly, and I must see them once again. Send every one away. Receive me all alone—the bold one you forgive already—I hope it. For he is yours—

Roxane had read the letter swiftly and softly. She turned her eyes upon its bearer and said:

"Father, this is what the letter bids me. Listen:

"MADEMOISELLE—All must bow to the cardinal's will, no matter how hard it seems. Therefore I send these lines to your fair hands by this devout, this wise and cautious friar. It is our will that he pronounce upon you in your own dwelling, within the hour, the nuptial benediction. Christian becomes your husband secretly. We send him to you. He does not please you, but resign yourself. Think well how heaven will reward your zeal and be always assured, mademoiselle, of the respect of him who is and who will always be your very humble servant."

The simple friar looked up with delight.

"The noble gentleman!" he said. "I knew there was no wrong planned."

Roxane's smile for a second was inscrutable. Then she threw herself into her part.

"This—this is unbearable!" she cried. "Marry him!"

The friar looked at Cyrano.

"Is this the choice made for mademoiselle?" he asked with sympathy.

"No. I am!" cried Christian.

The good friar's lantern swung slowly around. He was puzzled. Why should Roxane object to wed this highly favored youth? Roxane saw the dawning suspicion in his eyes.

"Ah, stay!" she exclaimed. "A postscript! 'Give to the convent 20 pistoles.'"

"The noble lord!" said the reassured friar. "Come, mademoiselle, resign yourself to the cardinal's will."

"I am resigned," said Roxane, with the air of a martyr. Then she said in a quick undertone to Cyrano:

"De Guiche comes. Keep him out till I am wed."

"Father," said Cyrano, "how long will this marrying take?"

"A quarter of an hour will suffice."

"No one shall enter for that time," whispered Cyrano to Roxane, and as the wedding party filed into the house he began his lonely guarding beneath the balcony

CHAPTER VII.

At the corner of the street the flutes played a sad air. The pages thus announced the coming of a man.

"It's he," said Cyrano. "How shall I keep him? How detain him? I have it! Now, Cyrano, forget the Paris accent. Assume again the twang of Bergerac."

He climbed lithe as a cat into the branches by Roxane's balcony. He clung to them, ready to fall at the proper instant. De Guiche came along, grumbling softly to himself in the darkness.

"Which is the house?" he growled. "This mask half blinds me. Ah! That's it. I think that's it. What can that idiot friar be about? What's this? What's this? Where did that man fall from?"

For Cyrano had fallen straight before his path heavily, as though from some great height.

"From the moon," he answered gruffly, disguising his voice.

"What!" cried De Guiche, retreating a step from the madman.

"Where am I? What's the hour? What country is this? What day of the week? What time of year? I'm stunned. I fell like a bomb straight from the moon."

De Guiche made fruitless efforts to stay the apparent maniac's flow of words or to pass him. But Cyrano rushed on.

"It may have been a hundred years. It may have been a second only. I do not know. I only know that there—up in that ball of yellow saffron"—

"Let me pass, sir!" cried De Guiche.

"Oh, where am I? Tell me the truth! Keep nothing back! Where is it that I am? Where have I fallen like a shooting star? I had no time to choose the place where I should land. Oh, tell me! Where am I? But—great heaven! Let me look on you! You're black! Have I, then, fallen into Africa? Are you a native?"

De Guiche, puzzled for an instant by the reference to his complexion, suddenly recalled his mask.

"Oh, my mask!" he exclaimed.

"Ah! Am I, then, in Venice or in Rome?"

"I go—a lady waits me!"

"Now I am sure!" cried Cyrano. "I am in Paris!"

In spite of himself the impatient lord laughed. At once the maniac from the moon, with an air of complete good comradeship, began to apologize for his appearance.

"So 'tis to Paris that I've fallen! You'll pardon me my looks? I've journeyed far, you see. My eyes are full of star dust, and my spurs are tangled with the planets' filaments. See! I must brush me! A comet's hair is on my doublet. In my leg, if you'll believe me—nay, do not hurry—there's a tooth of the Great Bear, who bit me as I passed, and if you'd press my nose, monsieur, between your fingers milk would run forth. You are astonished? 'Twas from the milky way. A most amazing journey! I mean to write it for a book, and the small gold stars I carry will serve for asterisks."

Again and again De Guiche essayed to pass. Again and again Cyrano frustrated him. He did it all with such whimsical grace that, despite his annoyance, the noble lord found himself amused and interested. A rendezvous with a lady, no matter how fair—that might befall one any night—but a talk with a man who, crazy though he certainly was, had all astronomy and all mythology at his tongue's tip—that was of less frequent possibility.

Cyrano was in the midst of a description of his method of mounting to the moon.

"At the hour when the moon wooes the sea," he said, "I lay me on the shore fresh from the sea bath. And keeping the head first—for the hair holds sea water—I mounted in the air straight, straight as an angel! Then"—

"Then?" queried the half hypnotized De Guiche.

"Then—but the quarter of an hour is passed," suddenly exclaimed Cyrano in his natural voice. "Sir, you are free; the marriage is made!"

De Guiche sprang forward.

"What!" he cried. "Am I mad? That voice! That nose! Cyrano?"

Cyrano bowed low.

"Cyrano, at your service," he replied, "while we have plighted vows."

One thing Roxane had overlooked in making her hasty plans for a wedding to thwart De Guiche's hopes. She had forgotten that while the commander of the forces remained in Paris the soldiers left there were under his direction. Her husband and her cousin must do the bidding of their chief. And the chief's bidding that night when he found himself fooled by the woman he had believed half won to his dishonorable love, and by her insolent cousin to whom he owed a long due grudge, was not a light one. The Gascon cadets were ordered straight to Arras.

No time was given the young bride to weep farewells. Her husband before the marriage vows had ceased to vibrate in the air was hurried forth. Scarce had she time to beg her valiant cousin to keep her lover safe in battle, prudent in danger, faithful to her and a dozen other easy things when both were gone. And De Guiche, vanquished in love, felt himself victor, at any rate in cruelty.

At Arras life was not a pleasant affair. Though the French troops were the besiegers, they suffered for provisions almost as keenly as if they had been in the fortified town they attacked, for, while they bombarded the town, the troops of Spain gathered about them, and thus there was a siege within a siege, and the forces of France were as hungry as the men in the town. The cadets were reduced to eating cannon wads soaked in axle grease, sometimes catching a gudgeon and shooting an occasional sparrow.

Things had reached a crisis one morning. Even the Gascons vowed that they had not come out to fight the gray wolf hunger. They grumbled fiercely at their lot. They picked the commander to pieces. They found fault with his wide lace collar and his manners of the court. Hunger gnawed at them until they were ready to mutiny against even their beloved captain, Carbon de Castel-Jaloux.

Cyrano, returning from a mad dash he made each morning through the Spanish lines, that he might send to Roxane in Paris love letters, all signed Christian, for the bargain made in Ragueneau's bakeshop still held force, found all the camp in turmoil. The men had vowed they would no longer stand their lot.

Cyrano himself was scarcely ruddy, scarcely strong, but it took more than the want of food to kill his courage. At his captain's command he began to rally the men. First it was with jests.

"If you be so hungry, eat your patience then," he counseled one grumbler.

"Always your pointed word!" cried the man whom he rebuked.

"So would I die," said Cyrano, "like this, making a pointed word for a good cause, felled by a thrust from some brave adversary's sword. Thus would I die—upon the blood stained earth—a point within my heart, a point upon my lips."

They did not care for that, the Gascons. Their answer was:

"We're hungry!"

Then Cyrano bade the fifer play and do the work his wit had failed in doing.

"Play not the calls to battle," he commanded, "but simple things they heard of in old Gascony—each piping note like the call of a little sister. Let them rise slow, like the slow rising smoke that curls from out our chimneys there. Play the tunes the goatherds play—now heard, now lost down in the valley. Hear you it not? See you not your country—the evening purpling on the river, the woods, the hills, with huddling sheep the shepherd drives? See you not Gascony?"

The men sat staring—not at the camp, not the arms, the sentinels, the trappings of war, but far past all these into far Gascony. The higher love had killed the lower. Homesickness drove out hunger.

It was thus that De Guiche found them—Gascons again, who could laugh at starvation as they would laugh at whistling bullets. They were ready to bear themselves before him with their customary air of insolent high spirit.

He did not like their manner. He, too, was hungry. Their eyes seemed always to challenge his courage. Today he even went so far as to boast of his strategem of the day before, when, dropping the white scarf that showed his rank, he had escaped from a detachment of the enemy, only to return later and rout it.

"Ah!" said Cyrano. "The white plume of Henry of Navarre had not been dropped thus. Some would not so lightly abdicate the honor of serving for a target. Had I been there, I would have picked it up and put it on."

"A Gascon boast," sneered De Guiche.

"Nay, give it me and I will wear it."

"Another boast. It's gone—dropped in the Spanish lines where none may venture—as you knew."

From his pocket Cyrano drew forth the scarf.

"I found it there this morning," said he, bowing. "Permit that I return it."

The rage on the commander's face gave place to an uglier look.

"I thank you," he said. "I'll use it for a signal. See! Here upon the ramparts I wave it. A man below there runs—a false Spanish spy. He came to warn me that the Spanish will this day attack us, for our force is weakened. Perhaps you did not know it, but the marshal secretly has gone with a strong escort to Dourleus, where the king's provisions are. Our camp being thus made vulnerable, the Spanish will attack it. And with the scarf you very kindly gave to me I have just signaled to the false spy to tell his general that this is the weakest spot to fall upon. Here the attack will begin. You'll have a chance to prove your boasted courage, sirs. The marshal will return in time to save the day for us, but not to save the men who are first assaulted. Brave Gascons, who complain of paltry odds, be good enough to let yourselves be killed."

He finished with his sneer. Carbon was already forming his men in line of resistance. Cyrano with all his old light hearted insolence bowed low to De Guiche in thanks, and to the cadets he cried:

"So we shall win for the Gascon coat of arms, with its six bars of blue and gold, the blood red one it lacked."

And to Christian he said:

"My heart misgave me this would be today. Here is the letter that I wrote for you to send Roxane. A farewell letter, it is sad. Death matters not, but not to look upon her face again—for you, I mean—oh, that is terrible!"

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CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constitutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
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Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

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FINAL TERMS TO SPAIN.

Cession of the Philippine Islands Demanded. Twenty Million Offered in Return.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Paris, Nov. 21—The Spanish and American Peace Commission met in joint session at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Americans declared that the United States must have the entire Phillippine archipelago, and, for a treaty cession of the islands, the Americans tendered to Spain $20,000,000

November 28th is fixed as the date on which the United States Commission desires a definite response to today's propositions and all other subjects in issue here.

The Americans refuse to arbitrate article three of the peace protocol bearing upon the future disposition and control of the Philippine Islands.

It was declared that it is the purpose of the United States to maintain in the Philippine Islands an "open-door" to the world's commerce.

President Rios, of the Spanish commission, refused to continue further negotiations.

Funeral of Mrs. Crittenden.

The funeral services of the late Mrs Crittenden were held yesterday afternoon from the home, 90 Grove street, and was largely attended by friends and neighbors. The services were in charge of Rev. Dr. W. R Richards, pastor of the deceased, and he was assisted by T. Logan Murphy, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross. Both divines spoke tender words of sympathy and comfort, and dwelt at length upon the Christian character of the deceased. During the services Charles L. Lewis, of this city, sang two beautiful solos.

Mr. Moore Not in It.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—I desire to notify the Republican voters of the First ward that I am not a candidate as a delegate to the city convention and my name appearing on one of the tickets in said ward is withwout my authority.

George W. Moore.

HOW SEWARD DISCHARGED A DEBT.

In a Year's Time He Paid $200,000 to Creditors and Was a Rich Man Besides.

Calvin Hudson, an old-time lawyer of Rochester, used to tell a good story of William H. Seward, in whose office he studied law for about two years. Seward retired from the Governor's chair $200,000 in debt. He returned to Auburn and went to practising law.

It was not long after this that Woodward, the famous manufacturer of ploughs, began to have a lot of trouble with firms all over the country, who infringed his patents. He began to look about him for a lawyer to prosecute them. Realizing that it was a gigantic task, he would have none but the best lawyer to be secured. In his search he went to Albany and attended the Court of Appeals for several days. Seward was arguing a case in that court, and Woodward's attention was attracted to him. Woodward became convinced that the lawyer, whom he did not then know, was the one to conduct his case, so one day when court was over he made his way to the clerk of the court and asked who the young attorney was. He was much surprised to get the reply, "Why, that's Governor Seward."

Woodward engaged Seward to conduct his case for him and after some months Seward went to Albany to have the first case against the infringers tried.

The opposition was represented by twelve lawyers, among whom were Senators, Congressmen and some of the best attorneys in the State. After much debating among themselves as to who should conduct the defence, they finally settled the job upon one of their number. He was no match for Seward who easily won the case and got a strong opinion from the Court.

Armed with the opinion, Seward went back to Auburn and began the fight all along the line, wherever there was an infringement. He sent a copy of a voluminous brief to every man who was concerned in the infringement, and they were scattered all over the United States, together with the opinion. For several weeks briefs left Seward's office by the bushel basketful. He carried the enemies' works by storm. There were no more suits. At the end of a year Seward had paid up the debt of $200,000 and was a rich man besides.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

FEW DRESSES

or wraps are really worn out. They fade a little or get spotted and rusty looking—color goes out of style, maybe—and the dress is discarded. It's a woeful waste In nine cases out of ten a couple of dollars spent for cleaning or dyeing will give you a new garment, especially if the material was good in the first place.

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MR BARROWS TALKS.

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macadam, re-macadamizing, storm sewers, culverts, crosswalks and street cleaning.

Early in the present year Mr. Laing told me that he did not think there was enough money spent on street work, and that the city should be bonded for same; now he criticises what is called "excessive expenditure" and that the "home of the Council is in the club car or at the "Country Club." Three members of the Council, viz. Messrs. Andrews, Baker and myself belong to a club car. Mr Baker is not a member of any committee, and neither Mr. Andrews or myself serve on any like committees; but one member (Mr. Baker) is a member of the Union County Country Club.

Councilman Liefke at the same meeting complained that he "could not find out what was going on, unless he goes outside the Council." He serves on the following committees: License, composed of himself, chairman, and Messrs. Homan and myself. Here is a local majority and as a member of that committee I can certify that but one meeting has been called this year. On lights and trees he is associated with Messrs. Newman and Hetfield, all local men, and on alms he is associated with Messrs. Andrews and Hetfield, a majority of local men. Contrary to custom of former days when under both Democratic and Republican administrations, secret meetings were held, this Council has not had a meeting (even the organizing caucus) except that a notice was given to every member of the Council.

We are but human, still we have endeavored to represent the city, and requests coming from citizens have been heeded, notably storm sewer in East Second street, same in Plainfield avenue to the bridge, amending the "Building Ordinance," refusing "Trolley Extension," and re-macadamizing West Front street, Westervelt, Sandford, Belvidere, Madison and Watchung avenues, and East Fifth street. Other work is just as pressing, but it cannot all be done at once. With patience for another year, we can see Plainfield out of the mud and her streets to their former pride.

Opposition is healthy but let it be honest. We cannot carry sewers to tide-water and keep the tax rate down. Today in the town of Montclair, one of similiar size as regards population and assessed valuation, taxpayers on the average pay twenty-five per cent more on the same property value.

Fanwood and Westfield both tax heavier, without beginning to return same benefits.

Citizens should realize how hard it is to keep taxes down and improvements up. Let them open their eyes to what other places pay and get in return. Forget slight inequalization in taxation and assessment. Be patriotic and stand behind the men you place in office; that Plainfield's welfare and growth may continue on the lines that have already made her the model home city, homes of all classes, that are not equalled elsewhere, and where brains and education are the standard by which citizenship is judged.

Respectfully,
Elliot T. Barrows,
Councilman 3d ward.

HOW THE FIGHT WILL GO

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follows:

For member of the Common Council, Frank H. Smith; for delegates to the city convention, William A. Westphal, Alonzo T. Ayers, Edward Mosher, James Huntington, Daniel Galbraith, John Porter, Neil Head, Richard Norward, Chas. Sheldon; for Justice of the Peace, William H. Abbott; for Constable, Frank Vanderhoof; for city executive committee, William A. Westphal, Alonzo T. Ayers, William Newcorn.

WEDDED AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

Nuptials of Daniel Sullivan and Agnes Higgins Celebrated Yesterday.

A pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Joseph's church. The contracting parties were Miss Agnes Higgins and Daniel Sullivan, both of this city. The bride wore a suit of mixed goods, trimmed with cream lace and silk, covered with chiffon. The bridemaid was Miss Katie Ladless. The best man was Michael Higgins a brother of the bride. The church was filled with friends and relatives of both parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Brenon of St. Josephs church. The groom has completely furnished a house on West Fourth treet, where a supper was served and the bride and groom received the congratulations of the guests.

—Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold a sewing meeting in the church parlors.

The condition of J. W. Yates is practically unchanged, and is very critical.

AMERICAN RIDING IN ENGLAND.

A Sporting Writer Dissects Tod Sloane's Elements of Success.

Thousands who take only the most casual interest in the turf, but are always attracted by great horsemanship, are asking expert advice on the intrinsic merits of the American style of riding. A sportsman sends an instructive letter on the subject. He says:

"Let me see whether I can give an explanation of Sloan's success. In the first instance I should say he is a man of absolute courage; and it is this which, combined with kindness, wins the confidence of all the lower animals and is the first essential of a good jockey. Horses are wonderful judges of character. Secondly, Sloan's position, exactly that of a monkey on a stick, does offer less opposition to the air than the ordinary seat of a horseman. In scientific phraseology, it diminishes the friction to a minimum. Again, this position enables him to grasp the reins within a foot of the horse's mouth, and the nearer the object to be guided the more accurately can be applied the directing force. Thirdly, Sloan, I am convinced, recognizes the great fact that if we are either in a train or in a conveyance or on horseback we become one with the moving mass if we sit still. This is proved by the well known fact that the circus rider does not jump over the banners; he simply lets his body become a moving mass with the horse, and as he approaches the banner he jumps into the air. The impetus which he has obtained from the horse carries him over the banner nearly as quickly as the horse has travelled, and he alights on the steed's back, but if we watch the bareback rider we shall see he does not keep interfering with the horse's movements. He in effect says the animal will do his part of the work if left alone. Those who have watched Sloan in his races will have noticed how he jumps off rapidly, and at once settles down on his horse, and is not constantly changing his position in the saddle, or interfering with the special step of his horse; because it must be remembered that each horse, like each man, has his or her special mode of progression. Sloan simply makes himself one with his horse in movement; he does not offend the naturally sensitive temperament of such a beautiful creature as a thoroughbred horse; he does not sacrifice a race for the sake of making an artistic finish, but with unequaled skill and judgment, and with a cool, intelligent head he wins his races when and how he can, always remembering that friction means loss of energy, and that with interference with a horse's method means loss of power and opposition to nature. For my part, I am glad to see Tod Sloan on our racecourses. It will, I hope, be the cause of young men who are of light weight, good traditions and intelligence making jockeyship their calling. There is ample room for them, and they might serve a good purpose."

VEGETATION IN THE CANARIES.

Three Harvests a Year are Always Expected.

The soil is very rich. With irrigation three harvests a year are regularly gathered on Canary and Teneriffe. The water supply is largely kept up by the cloud belts, which even in the driest seasons form almost daily over the higher mountains, feeding the springs there which are the life of the land. But the rocky, volcanic nature of the coast forbids the entrance of many plants, and this fact has had great influence on the character of the flora. The craggy hills and stony shores have a decidedly desert aspect, and adaptations to drought in the form of fleshy, hoary and coriaceous leaves and stems abound.

Euphorbias take the place and have the appearance of the cacti of American deserts. Fleshy Crassulaceae of the Sempervivum group are more abundant here than in any other part of the world. There are twenty-two species of them which are found nowhere else. Such fleshy plants are not confined to the volcanic wastes and shores. They project from the most precipitous and rocky sides of the gorges. The urban flora, which makes Laguna and other old towns so picturesque, and which Berthelot describes as largely a duplication of that of the ruins of the Coliseum of Rome, consists conspicuously of fleshy-leaved Sempervivums and Senecios, whose roots penetrate the tiles of the houses and the stones of the streets. It is curious how many of these fleshy plants have their leaves growing in rosettes, producing a similarity between the members of widely separated orders.—Appleton's Popular Science Monthly.

The Youth's Predicament.

A youth who much desired to wear the matrimonial yoke had not sufficient courage to "pop the question." On informing his father of the difficulty he labored under, the old gentleman passionately replied, "Why you great booby, how do you suppose I managed to get married?"

"Oh, yes," said the bashful lover, "you married mother, but I've got to marry a strange girl."—Tid Bits.

The late Empress of Austria, it is said, kept up a constant correspondence with her Irish friends, and in a letter written recently to an Irish lady alluded to the terrible death of her sister, the Duchess d'Alencon, at the charity bazaar fire in Paris, and remarked that she felt a presentment that some tragedy awaited herself in the future.

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MACHINE TICKETS WIN IN ALL WARDS.

Hot Fight in the First and Second Wards.

CUMING'S PLUCKY FIGHT.

GEORGE P. MELLICK DEFEATED HIM AT RECORD-BREAKING PRIMARY.

The MacMurray Faction in the First Ward was Defeated by a Small Majority — Delegates Elected There Are Unpledged—No Fight in Third Ward—Opposition in Fourth Did Not Appear.

Never in the history of the Republican party in Plainfield was such an interest shown by the voters in ward affairs as last night. The party primaries were held to nominate Councilmen, Justice of the Peace and Constable and to elect delegates to the city convention and members of the city executive committee of the G. O. P. The attendance at all of them was remarkably large, in the Second ward there being ninety more voters out than ever attended a Republican primary in that ward before. All was without incident in the Third and Fourth wards. In the other two, lively contests were closely watched. The result was a victory for the "machine" tickets in every ward.

FIRST WARD

The First ward primary saw three tickets on the field. There was a split among the ward leaders that resulted in a very close fight. City Clerk MacMurray and Postmaster E. H. Bird, and their friends favored a ticket pledged to W. N. Runyon in the race for the City Judgeship. J. Fred MacDonald, J. B. Coward and W. R. Codington and their supporters advocated a ticket that included unpledged delegates. They also substituted the name of Harry B. MacDonald for that of Councilman C. J. Neuman in the city committee. The third ticket was understood to include delegates who favored William Newcorn for the City Judge nomination.

There were 261 voters out to the primary. The officers of the primary were: W. R. Codington, chairman, and J. B. Coward, secretary. The officers of the election were: George W. Moore, judge; Guillermo Thorn, inspector, and John H. Tier, Jr., clerk.

Ralph I. Tolles was the only candidate for the Councilmanic nomination. He received 256 votes. John Gjetlesen received 259 votes for Constable nomination. For the Justice nomination, Henry C. Corsa, of the MacMurray ticket, defeated Dennis E. Carney, of the other faction, 133 to 127. The vote for the three members of the city executive committee was: W. R. Codington, 258; J. B. Coward, 258; Harry B. MacDonald, 147, and C. J. Neuman, 117. The first three were elected.

The vote for the five delegates to the city convention, the first five being elected, was as follows: Thos. Hanna, 135; Alexander D. Mallinson, 133; Fred J. Vieweg, 132; Wm. J. Douglass, 132; Isaiah L. McVoy, 131; D. S. Dunavan, 128; H. H. Corey, 128; W. W. Warnock, 119; Willard Case, 118; John Anthony, 118; Amos Andrews, 118; George W. Moore, 10; E. Apgar, 9, and I. H. McVoy, 9.

The result was a victory for the MacDonald-Coward-Codington faction by a vote of 133 to 118 for the other leaders' ticket, and 9 for the Newcorn ticket. It was nearly midnight before the counting of the ballots was completed.

SECOND WARD.

The primary in the Second ward was a record breaker as far as numbers was concerned. Until last night, the greatest primary was that preceeding the last city election when 160 voters came out. Last night there were 251 out. The result was a complete victory for the "machine" ticket which was so arranged as to be very strong. C. S. Foote was withdrawn for the Councilmanic nomination and George P. Mellick, a very popular man, was placed at the head of the ticket. He was supported by a powerful ticket. The faction favoring Thomas A. Cuming for the Councilmanic nomination made a good fight but lacked the excellent organization of the "machine." They had enough votes out to capture an ordinary primary but in the remarkable turnout Cuming was defeated by a majority of 78. He ran six or eight votes ahead of his ticket.

At the business meeting Stephen A. Ginna was elected chairman and Chas. C. Lister secretary. The delegates were empowered to fill vacancies. The officers of the election were W. H. Drayton, judge; W. P. Spangenberg, inspector; H. C. Durar, clerk.

The vote for the Councilmanic nomination was as follows: George P. Mellick, 163; Thomas A. Cuming, 85. For the Justice nomination, J. E. Mosher, 169. For Constable nomination, John Sheehan, 169. For three members of the city executive committee, John B. Dumont, 167; John E Keeley, 162; Stephen A. Ginna, 170; George D. Patten, 85; Robert Guttridge, 81; Edward C. Petrie, 77. For six delegates to the city convention, Stephen A. Ginna, 249; Josiah Browne, 169; Charles S. Foote, 163; L. L. Croom, 168; J. B. Dumont, 169; B. VanD. Hedges, 170; L. B. Bromfield, 79; Armstrong Mulford, 68; Fernando Brown, 77; Charles C. Lister, 79; Henry C. Squires, 80.

THIRD WARD.

A rumor of the fight at the Third ward primary that gained credence yesterday afternoon, proved entirely without foundation. The "machine" ticket went through with flying colors and without any contest. At the business meeting, W. M. Stillman was chairman and Roger F. Murray secretary. Resolutions were introduced by J. W. Murray, Jr., George J. Tobin and William T. Kirk providing for the signing of the certificates of nomination, for the filling of vacancies by the delegates and the filling of any vacancies in the nominations by the ward members of the executive committee. These were all passed.

The officers of election were J. Caspar Kirkner, judge; A. I. Littell, inspector; Nathan R. Titsworth, clerk. There were 106 ballots cast and one rejected. The vote for Councilmanic nomination was B. Frank Corlell, 103; F. C. Kinsman, 1. For Justice nomination, John Neagle, 105. For Constable nomination, Amos Moffett, 105. For seven delegates to the city convention, Alexander Gilbert, 105; J. W. Murray, Jr., 104; John Cose, 105; J. Evarts Tracy, 104; Frank E. Marsh, 105; I. W. Rushmore, 104; Nathan R. Titsworth, 104; Charles F. Abbott, 1; Jacob Kirkner, 1. For three members of the city executive committee, Alexander Gilbert, 105; Ernest R. Ackerman, 104; Elliott T. Barrows, 98; Roger F. Murray, 2.

The delegates in the Third ward are all in favor of Councilman William N. Runyon as the candidate for the City Judgeship.

FOURTH WARD.

The reported opposition to the "machine" in the Fourth ward failed to materialize and the "machine" ticket went through without trouble. The delegates on that ticket are all in favor of Judge William Newcorn for City Judge, as Mr. Newcorn is one of the hardest workers in the "machine."

At the business meeting, William Newcorn was elected chairman and Isaac P. Runyon secretary. The delegates were empowered to fill all vacancies.

The election officers were James Huntington, judge; Fred J. Huff, inspector; William H. Abbott, clerk. There were 230 ballots cast. The vote for the ticket was as follows: Councilman, Frank H. Smith, 230; Justice, W. H. Abbott, 229; Constable, F. Vanderhoof. Delegates to the city convention, William A. Westphal, 224; Alonzo T. Ayres, 226; Edward Mosher, 228; James Huntington, 228; Daniel Galbraith, 225; James Porter, 228; Neil Head, 228; Richard Norwood, 226; Charles Sheldon, 226. Members of city executive committee, William A. Westphal, 224; A. T. Ayers, 226; William Newcorn, 216.

PARK BOWLERS LOST.

Bad Start for Home Team in Central Journal League.

(Special to The Daily Press)

Elizabeth, November 22.—The bowlers of the Park Club, of Plainfield, came to Elizabeth last evening to roll their first games in the Central Journal League against the Elizabeth Club. The result was three victories for the home team. The scores of the games were 790-777, 797-680, 847-750. No phenominal scores were made and the visitors were in poor form. Hibbard, who rolled his first championship game, did particularly good work while "Doc" Thiers rolled a very even game. The other Plainfield bowlers were VanBuren, F. H. Ball and F. O. Ball. The Elizabeth Club was represented by Morrell, Vanderveer, Keys, Lane and Pope, the well-known combination.

HONOR FOR DR. RICHARDSON.

Selected as Third Vice-President of State C. E. Society.

Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor of the Park Avenue Baptist church, has been selected by the State officers of the Christian Endeavor Society to fill the position of third vice president, in place of Rev. W. T. S. Lumbar, of Moorestown, who has resigned.

The Endeavorers are to be congratulated in securing such an able man for an officer.

—The Republican city convention will be held tomorrow evening.

CITIZENS' LOOKING FOR CANDIDATES.

J. M. Hetfield Mentioned for Head of Ticket.

HE HAS MANY FRIENDS.

W. A. CODDINGTON GATHERS STRENGTH FOR JUDGESHIP.

Said to be a Compromise Candidate to Suit Angleman and Hetfield Factions—F C Lounsbury May be Candidate for Collector or Mayor—Is Considered a Strong Man on the Ticket.

In the heat of the municipal election that is now close at hand, the usual political affiliations are seemingly dropped in a great many instances and it is difficult to tell just where anybody stands. One thing is certain, the regular Republican ticket will appear as usual. There is also little reason to doubt that a Citizens' ticket will make its appearance in time for election. Just at present, the Citizens' movement can be considered a rather uncertain quantity, it's liable to spring up at any moment and sweep things before it. The majority of the independent voters are holding back, however, to see just who is going to be nominated and on that will depend the direction of their support.

There are a host of names that have been mentioned for the various nominations on the Citizens' ticket, and new booms spring up every day. The fewest are, perhaps, for the Mayoralty nomination, as it is clearly recognized that it will take a man of much strength to overcome the usual Republican majority. Just now, the name of Former Postmaster John M. Hetfield comes to the front with suggestive prominence. A staunch Democrat, he has many friends in both parties as well as among the independent voters. He is a Plainfield business man and is well up in municipal affairs.

Out of the dozen names mentioned for the Citizens' nomination for City Judge, that of Former Judge W. A. Coddington seems in the lead. The factions supporting Winfield S. Angleman and Councilman Walter L. Hetfield are said to be at a dead-lock, and the candidacy of the ex-Judge will be pushed as a compromise measure. His general popularity and his wonderful run when a candidate before cause a belief among his friends that he can successfully run against Councilman William N. Runyon or Justice Newcorn, which ever happens to come up as the Republican nominee.

The nomination for City Collectorship has been a much disputed one and the candidates are decidedly numerous. A "dark horse" has appeared in Fred C Lounsbury It is yet too early to make any definite predictions but Mr. Lounsbury is thought by the leaders of the Citizens' movement to be a valuable man for the ticket and one that should be used if possible. He has long been talked of for Mayor, but has declared it out of the question. If the choice does not fall on J. M. Hetfield, it may be that Mr. Lounsbury can be persuaded to head the Citizens' ticket.

Last year, Eugene M. Laing ran for the office of a member of the Board of Education, but was defeated. This year, his friends want him to try it again, and, they hope, with better success.

The Citizens' movement has not yet reached that stage that aught but hints regarding the ward Councilmanic nominations can be made. In the First ward J. C. Blimm has been prominently mentioned. Over in the Second a strong backing comes from the second district in favor of Alfred Cocks, of Woodland avenue. He has been steadily advocating a Citizens' movement for several months, and stands well in his community. He is a large property owner there.

George W. V. Moy, the druggist, is suggested as a Citizens' candidate in the Third ward. In the Fourth ward there is a likely prospect that Councilman Elmore D. Moffett will stand for re election.

Plans are now being laid to hold a meeting of the joint committees of the Citizens' movement Wednesday evening, when a slate will be drawn up to be submitted to a mass meeting of the Citizens' to be held later.

Football Thanksgiving.

The Thanksgiving Day game of the Plainfield football eleven will be played Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. After considerable discussion the management has come to that decision, which is final. The Plainfield team will be strengthened by Raymond A. McGee and two of the Yale 'varsity substitutes.

—Press want ads bring results.

THE TRADESMEN PLAN.

THEY WILL TRY TO HAVE TROLLEY EXTENSION MADE.

To Arrange a Conference Between Street Railway Company and the Council—Report on the New Central Depot

The Board of Trade came near not holding a meeting last night, for until 9 o'clock a quorum was not present. But at that hour a number of members came in, and a meeting lasting for about half an hour was then held.

Two resignations were asked for and granted, those of Charles A. Reed and William A. Coddington. One application was made for membership, E. D. Barrett.

The committee on transportation, railroads and telegraphs, consisting of B. A. Hegeman, Jr., John D. Runyon and E. M. French, were instructed to arrange a meeting between the trolley representatives and the Council soon so that both the Council and the trolley company can find out on just what terms the spur to the 'Plains can be laid. The Board of Trade, being anxious to have the extension built, are going to find out exactly where the hitch is, and just what the company will do, and just what the Council will accept.

The committee on the new railroad depot reported that they have arranged for a conference with the Central Railroad officials some day next week. Two or three dates have already been set, but for some reason had to be broken. The committee on stations consists of B. A. Hegeman, Jr., E M. Laing, E. M. French, Chas. H. Hand, J. F. Hubbard, J. D. Runyon, W. A. Woodruff, D. C. Ivins, George Kyte, A. L. Pope and R. A. Meeker.

MET THE OLD MEMBERS.

INTERESTING SERVICES HELD BY TRINITY ENDEAVORERS.

Meeting Led By Mrs. F. E. Woodruff—Number of State and County Officers Present—A Handsome Display.

An interesting and somewhat unique Christian Endeavor meeting was held last evening in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed church, when a Thanksgiving service and reunion of the former members of the society since its organization, about thirteen years ago, was held under the direction of the prayer-meeting committee, of which Miss Ella C. Benedict is the chairman.

The service was led by Mrs. F. E. Woodruff, while Mrs. E. E. Anthony presided at the piano. There was a very large attendance, including many former members. From a number of former members who could not be present, letters were read showing that they had not lost interest in the welfare of the society. The meeting throughout was a very helpful one and will long be remembered by everyone present.

Among those present were State, county and local officers of the society, including F. G. Williams, of Rahway, president of the Union County Union; E. E. Anthony, treasurer of the State Union; Miss Florence G. Hawkins, president Plainfield Local Union; A. A. Lake, of Dunellen, second vice-president Plainfield Local Union.

One very encouraging feature of the reunion was the handsome display of fruits and vegetables, which were brought in abundance by the young people. Over the pulpit desk there was arranged an arch and a portion of the fruits and vegetables were displayed therefrom. It presented an attractive sight. The members of the society will distribute the gifts among the poor of the church. The arrangement of the fruit and vegetable display was in charge of the flower committee of the society which is composed of Miss Gertrude Tier, Miss Beulah Waters, Miss Lizzie Denckiau, Miss Florence Smalley, Miss Louise Fisher, Miss Nellie McGinnis and Miss Bessie Martin.

THANKSGIVING IN THE SCHOOL.

Public Exercises to Be Held in the Public School Tomorrow.

The public Thanksgiving exercises of the High School will begin at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. Dr. Richards will give a brief address. The members of the school who will participate in the programme are as follows:

The Meaning of Thanksgiving—An original composition.....Harold Nomer
Thanksgiving in Spain on the Discovery of America.....Dora Bennett
A Thanksgiving Declamation..Walter Squires
Whittier's "The Huskers' Song" and "Song of the Corn."
Martha Anthony. Mary L. Mann.
The Nation's Thanksgiving....Wm. A. Fisher
A Thanksgiving Story.....Elsie T. Smith

The exercises will be interspersed by music by the school.

SEEK THE WAY FOR THE TROLLEY ONCE AGAIN.

Board of Trade Stand as Sponsors For The Petition.

APPLICATION TO COUNCIL.

HEARING ON THE APPLICATION SET DOWN FOR DECEMBER 9TH.

D. C. Ivins is Heard in the Matter of the Sewer Assessments—A Lively Discussion Over the Police Ordinance—Councilman Hetfield Says That Patrolmen Don't Want It—Storm Sewer.

The adjourned meeting of the City Council last evening was a quiet affair, owing to the holding of the Republican primaries. It was after the hour when the meeting was called to order, and there was not a great deal of important business considered. Some of the members came in late, having previously attended the primaries. Mr. Barrows moved, after the reading of the minutes, that the regular order of business be suspended so that the report of the commissioners on assessment for sewage could be received and considered. After Clerk MacMurray read the official notice for such action, President Baker gave all an opportunity to speak for or against the confirmation of the report.

D C. Ivins was present and had a few words to say regarding the assessment of $25 on the property at 321 Hillside avenue. An assessment was levied in 1896 and on March 4th, 1897, it was paid. The sewer was extended by this property some thirty or forty feet, so as to install a flush tank. As it is at present the sewer is no benefit to the property in question. The sewer was located in Webster place, and Mr. Ivins made a connection to it. He is now assessed $25 for the sewer that has been run through Hillside avenue, which he claims is of no benefit, and he asked the Council to remove the second assessment.

There were no other persons present who desired to be heard, and on Mr. Barrows' motion the commissioners' report was read by the clerk.

At the conclusion of the reading of the report, Mr. Barrows made a few remarks regarding Mr. Ivins' statements. He expressed the opinion that Mr. Ivins is getting off cheap by paying the $25 on the Hillside avenue assessement. He said that several residents on that avenue wanted the sewer, and it was granted.

Mr. Ivins took exception to the remarks by Mr. Barrows, and stated that a majority of the owners did not want the sewer on Hillside avenue, in fact several of the property owners desired to remonstrate to the Council against its introduction in the street. He said that he thought it unfair to directly assess twice one piece of property, and it seemed according to Mr Borrows, that the Council desired to squeeze out of him $25.

Mr. Hetfield, Mr. Buckle and Mr. Runyon thought it unfair to assess Mr. Ivins twice and favored a remittance of the $25, while Mr. VanHerwerden expressing the same opinion offered a resolution that the whole report of the commissioners be referred to the street committee, for further consideration, and that they report at the next meeting.

Bids for the macadamizing of East Ninth street, East Sixth street and Franklin place, were at this time received. A. I & N. B Smalley's bid was, East Ninth street, 53 cents; East Sixth street, 51 cents; Franklin place, 50 cents. David Bowden bid 55 cents for East Sixth and Ninth streets and Franklin place. C. M. Meeker bid 52½ cents for Franklin place; 57 cents for East Sixth street, and 59 cents for East Ninth street. Samuel A. Richardson, of Dunellen, bid 83 cents for East Sixth street; 81 cents for East Ninth street; 81 cents for Franklin place. All bids were according to specifications and were per running foot. They were all referred to the street committee, they to report at the next meeting.

At the request of residents on the south side of Central avenue near Seventh street, a crosswalk was granted. The walk is needed very much.

At this stage of proceeding the Plainfield Street Railway Company, at the request of the Board of Trade and a large number of the leading merchants of the city, petitioned the Council for a franchise to extend their tracks as proposed sometime ago in the east end of the city. The petition was received and referred to the street and sewer committee, and later Mr Barrows offered a resolution setting Friday evening, December, 9th, as a time when a public hearing will be given for or against the trolley extension.

Mr. Hetfield of the laws and ordinance committee reported on the matter of the county trolley. He stated that the papers referred to the committee were so indefinite that the committee had nothing to report regarding them. On his motion they were received and filed.

At this time the Council engaged in a discussion regarding the police ordinance, which has been laid on the table a number of times. The discussion arose when Mr. Buckle called the ordinance from the table and moved that it be placed on its first reading.

Mr. Hetfield stated that he had seen a number of the members of the police force, especially the patrolmen, and had learned that it was not at their request that the ordinance was introduced, that they had told him it would be of no benefit to them. He had learned, however, that the officers of the force who belong to another organization, were urging the enforcement of the ordinance. He even went so far as to state that members of the Patrolmen's Benefit Association had requested him to ask the Council to appoint a committee of two to confer with a similar committee from the Association for the purpose of discussing the ordinance, and Mr. Hetfield moved that that committee be the Police Board. In connection with that motion he moved that the ordinance be laid on the table and that the board report on the matter at a future meeting.

This motion was adopted and Mr. Barrows amended the motion so that the report will be received at the first meeting in December, when the ordinance will be taken up again.

Regarding the ordinance, Mr. Buckle spoke. He said that it is his idea to place the police force out of the control of political influence. He thought that during the past year Plainfield had been well governed, not that he wanted to take credit to himself as a member of the police committee, for he thought Mr. Barrows was entitled to the credit. There had been fewer charges against the force, and he was sure that the citizens of Plainfield would approve of the adoption of the ordinance. It has nothing to do with police pensions, and there is no political influence about it.

Mr. Hetfield agreed with Mr. Buckle in some respects, but he did not believe that there is a man on the police force who feels insecure unless he wants the ordinance passed.

Mr. Hetfield stated that he understood that an officer of the department had sent patrolmen to Mr. Buckle to urge the adoption of the ordinance, but he was sure that the majority of the patrolmen desired further consideration on the subject.

In conclusion Mr. Hetfield said, by way of explanation, that he had not been holding up the Park avenue storm sewer improvement, as published in the News, and Mr. Barrows vindicated Mr Hetfield by stating that Mr. Hetfield had not worked against it. This concluded the business and the meeting adjourned.

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The "Royal Blue Limited," the new train service inaugurated last Sunday by the B and O. R. R. Company, is styled by experts to be the finest train service in the world. The cars and equipment, fresh from the Pullman Company's factory, is thoroughly up to date and cannot be excelled. Last Saturday officials of the company received guests and members of the press at Jersey City, where every courtesy was shown. A sumptuous dinner was also served in the dining car.

The train is made up entirely of Pullman chair and dining cars. The first run on Sunday was an ideal one, the trip being made in five hours, as scheduled. The train on both trips was filled with passengers, who seemed to know at once a good thing. One of the train crew is Frank Webster, of Duer street, who is baggagemaster. He makes a trip from Philadelphia to Jersey City.

The new train bids fair to become very popular with a good class of people, who can take advantage of this superior service.

Birthday Anniversary.

Yesterday was W. R. Mattox's sixty-second birthday, and it was made a very pleasant time for him indeed. At the meeting of Howell Division, Sons of Temperance, last night, genial Bob was called upon for a recitation and gave "Pictures on the Floor." Afterwards he was called up and presented by Benjamin Hand with a package of silk handkerchiefs made by the ladies. Coffee and cake were then brought in and a good time was enjoyed.

—Tomorrow evening there will be an important church business meeting held at the First Baptist church after the prayer meeting service.

RUNYON IN THE LEAD FOR CITY JUDGESHIP.

Second and Third Ward Delegations Will Support Him.

HAS THIRTEEN VOTES NOW.

LACKS BUT ONE TO GIVE HIM MAJORITY IN CONVENTION.

First Ward Delegates Favored DeMeza—Probable That Runyon Will Get the Necessary One Out of the Five—They Are Not Pledged — Justice Newcorn Gets Solid Delegation in Fourth Ward.

Now that the Republican primaries are over and the delegates to the city convention elected, the uncertainty in the race for the nomination for City Judge is beginning to assume more definite shape. While the race is not yet run, it can fairly be said that William N. Runyon is in the lead.

The delegations elected in the Second and Third wards are out-and-out Runyon men. The Second ward has six votes in the city convention and the Third seven, making thirteen votes that Mr. Runyon is certain to receive. The Fourth ward will support Judge Newcorn in his candidacy with its nine votes. The five delegates from the First ward are unpledged, and now both sides are trying to secure them.

There are twenty-seven delegates to the city convention, and without any help from the First ward Councilman Runyon has within one of a majority of the votes. The First ward delegation elected is reported to be composed of Judge DeMeza men. It seems very probable that the present Judge will not try for re-election, in which case these delegates are left without a choice. The friends of Mr. Runyon are confident that they can secure at least one First ward delegate, which is all that is needed to give Mr. Runyon the nomination. Mr. Newcorn, on the contrary, must capture the entire delegation to win.

CHANGE IN MAIL DELIVERY.

Delay of One Hour for a Few and Gain of Several Hours by Many.

Postmaster Elias Bird has made a change in the delivery of the morning mail, which it is hoped will please the great majority of people who live just outside of the central business portion of the city. Heretofore there have been two early morning deliveries in the business portion, one at 7 o'clock and the other at 8:30.

But this plan, followed out, makes it impossible for the carriers to deliver the 8:30 mail to those living outside the business portion until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and a great many complaints have been made by these folks. To remedy this Mr. Bird has put off the delivery of the 8:30 morning mail one hour but in this way has made it possible for it to be delivered all over the city. A few of the business men may be disappointed, but the satisfaction which will be expressed by the great majority will more than make it up.

GOT THEIR MONEY BACK.

Dr. Bondy's Lawyer Settled With Plainfielders Who Were Swindled.

John Keeley, Robert Guttridge and Joseph Blatz, who went to Jersey City yesterday to have Dr. Bondy brought here to answer to the charge of swindling them out of various sums of money, came back last night without their man, but with something better —their money.

Bondy's lawyer consented to pay their claims in full, if they would not prosecute the man, and this they agreed to do. Keeley's claim was for $24, but he demanded $7 more for trouble and worry it had caused him. He got it. Guttridge claimed $50 and Joseph Blatz $65.

Citizens' in the Second Ward

There was a gathering of the supporters of the Citizens' movement in the Second ward last evening at the store Hezekiah Hand on South avenue. Leonard Spangenberg was made chairman, and Alfred Cocks secretary. The committee of ten to confer with the other ward committees was partially appointed. It will be completed today. No action was taken aside from discussing the issues of the coming election.

Sent to Industrial Home.

Kate Morris, colored, for a great many years a servant in the family of Chief T O Doane, has been taken to the City Industrial Home, and it is quite likely that she will be taken to an asylum. Of late her mental condition has been gradually getting worse and Chief Doane was forced to have her taken to the Home.

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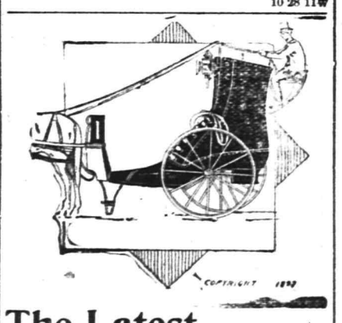

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FINAL TERMS TO SPAIN

Cession of the Philippine Islands Demanded.

STATION IN THE CAROLINES

Twenty Million Dollars Offered in Return.

An Answer Wanted by November 28. Refusal of Senor Montero Rios to Continue the Negotiations.

Paris, Nov. 22.—The Spanish and American peace commissions met in joint session at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Americans declared that the United States must have the entire Philippine archipelago, and, for a treaty cession of the islands, the Americans tendered to Spain twenty million dollars.

November 28 is fixed as the date on which the United States commission desires a definite response to yesterday's propositions and all other subjects in issue here.

The Americans refuse to arbitrate article three of the peace protocol bearing upon the future disposition and control of the Philippine archipelago.

It was declared that it was the purpose of the United States to maintain in the Philippine islands an "open door" to the world's commerce.

On the terms named the United States proposes a mutual relinquishment of all claims for indemnity, national or personal, subsequent to the outbreak of the last Cuban insurrection.

It was also announced that the United States desire to treat of the religious freedom of the Caroline islands, as agreed upon between the United States and Spain in 1886, and also of the acquisition of one of the Caroline islands for an American naval station, and of cable landing rights at other places in Spanish jurisdiction, and the revival of certain Spanish-American treaties as heretofore in force.

The memorandum of the American commission embodying the above proposition is long and was not read in full. The vital portions, however, were communicated verbally to the Spanish commissioners in practically these terms.

The fact was cited that, the proposal presented by the American commissioners in behalf of their government for the cession of the Philippines to the United States having been rejected by the Spanish commissioners, and the counter proposal of the latter for the withdrawal of the American forces from the islands and the payment of an indemnity by the United States to Spain having been rejected by the American commissioners, the latter, deeming it essential that the present negotiations, already greatly protracted, should be brought to an early and definite conclusion, now begged to present a new proposition embodying their concessions, which for the sake of peace their government would, under the circumstances, be willing to tender.

The memorandum stated that the government of the United States is unable to modify the proposal heretofore made for the cession of the entire archipelago of the Philippines, but the American commissioners are authorized to offer to Spain, in case the cession should be agreed to, the sum of $20,000,000, to be paid in accordance with the terms to be fixed in the treaty of peace.

The memorandum then states that, it being the policy of the United States to maintain in the Philippines an open door to the world's commerce, the American commissioners are prepared to insert in the treaty now in contemplation a stipulation to the effect that, for a term of years, Spanish ships and merchandise shall be admitted into Philippine ports on the same terms as American ships and merchandise.

The American commissioners are also authorized and are prepared to insert in the treaty, in connection with the cession of territory by Spain to the United States, a provision for the mutual relinquishment of all claims for indemnity, national and individual, of every kind, of the United States against Spain, and of Spain against the United States, that may have arisen since the beginning of the late Cuban insurrection and prior to the conclusion of the treaty of peace.

Next followed the terms nearest approaching to a formal ultimatum to Spain.

The United States commissioners expressed the hope that they might receive from the Spanish commissioners on or before Monday, the 28th day of the present month, definite and final acceptance of the proposals made as to the Philippines, in connection also with the demands as to Cuba, Porto Rico, and the other Spanish islands of the West Indies, and Guam, in the form in which these demands have been provisionally agreed to.

In this event it would be possible for the joint commission to continue its sessions and proceed to the consideration and adjustment of other matters, including those which, as subsidiary and incidental to the principal provisions, should form part of the treaty of peace.

It was at this juncture that the Americans notified the Spaniards that freedom of the Caroline islands, as they desired to treat of the religious freedom of the Caroline islands, as agreed to twelve years ago, also of the release of political prisoners now held by Spain in connection with the insurrections in Cuba and the Philippine islands, also of the taking over of the island of Kusais or Ualan, in the Carolines, for a telegraphic and naval station; also of cable station rights at the other points in Spain's jurisdiction and also of the renewal of certain treaties previously in force between the United States and Spain, and which may have lapsed or been vitiated by war.

After these declarations were made the meeting was adjourned until Wednesday.

The president of the Spanish commission, Senor Montero Rios, afterwards refused to continue the negotiations.

The Soleil, reviewing at length the peace negotiations, says:

"How miserable is the fate of our Spanish neighbors. American rapacity has not left them an inch of the territory they have possessed in America since the time of Columbus, or in Oceania since Magellan. But that is not the worst of their misfortune. Their whole edifice of political economy and administration is going to pieces. Their parliamentary parties, which, moreover, never had strong root, are completely disorganized and no one dares assume the responsibility of power. The present ministry remains because no one wishes to replace it. But it is almost powerless before the ills which threaten the country."

Touching the fate of the Spanish soldiers who are now returning to a life of idleness, the Soleil says:

"If they employ their leisure in conspiring no one can reasonably be astonished."

The Petit Bleu says: "Spain is becoming resigned at the idea of giving the islands up, and the Cortes will understand and approve of the inevitable sacrifice."

The Figaro declares that Spain will give in because she is powerless to do otherwise.

Reported Withdrawal Discredited.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The report of Spain withdrawing from the peace negotiations is discredited at the White House.

It is entirely contrary to dispatches received at the state department yesterday.

There were no dispatches at the state department and had an important occurrence taken place Secretary Hay would have been at once notified.

Everything was proceeding satisfactorily, the dispatches stated, and an agreement would be reached.

The president was not in the least worried over the report, and continued to receive visitors up to 1.30, and then went to work on his message.

Secretary Alger, after getting a copy of the Associated Press bulletin, went over to the White House and read it to the president. This was the first Mr. McKinley knew of it.

A cabinet member stated that he did not believe the story because all official information showed that the negotiations were progressing favorably, and while a final agreement was not expected at once, he thought it would be brought about during the remainder of this week.

He said that in all probability the story was started by an over-zealous correspondent, who, seeing the commissioners break up after a short session, jumped to the conclusion that the Spanish commissioners had withdrawn.

Gen. Schofield's Views.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—Lieutenant General Schofield called on the president at the executive mansion yesterday afternoon. In speaking of the Paris negotiations, the general said:

"I do not believe that Spain will submit except by a display of force by the United States. She cannot afford to, according to her own argument. She has mortgaged the Philippine islands for debt, and they therefore do not belong to her, consequently she cannot place herself in the position of giving away that which she herself has not a clear title to. She will have to be forced, as was the case in Cuba. This is my view of the present situation."

LOSS OF MARIA TERESA.

The Cruiser Abandoned and Rapidly Going to Pieces.

Nassau, N. P., Nov. 22.—The wrecking tug Merritt has arrived here. She reports that the tugs Potomac and Vulcan sailed yesterday from Cat island for Norfolk, Va.

The cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa has been abandoned. She is going to pieces rapidly and her contents are floating out through different places on her sides.

The Court of Inquiry at Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 22.—A court of inquiry will convene at this navy yard to determine the officer or officers responsible for abandoning the Maria Teresa off Watling island while being towed from Cuba to Norfolk.

The court, it is said, will also recommend what, if any, proceedings shall be instituted against those responsible.

The court will consist of Captain Benjamin F. Day, who is a member of the examining and retiring boards; Captain John Schouler of the bureau of navigation, Commander B. F. Tilly and Captain Waller of the Marine Corps, the latter to act as judge advocate.

Among those to be examined are those aboard the Vulcan, but as that vessel is still at Cat island, the inquiry may have to be postponed until some future date.

Lieutenant Commander Harris will, no doubt, testify, and also the men on the Leonidas, which vessel was a convoy to the ill fated ship.

Anthracite Mining Activity.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 22.—Anthracite mining, which has been brisk during the last two months, is now nearly at the height of activity.

There was a considerable hindrance to the production for several weeks on account of the lack of cars, but this trouble has been largely overcome.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company is striving to mine twenty-eight thousand tons a day. The larger part of this company's output is sent to the lakes.

The men working on the coal trains are kept so busy that they make from twelve to sixteen days' overtime each month.

Mexico Surrenders Temple.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—A telegram has been received from the state department from Minister Powell Clayton reporting that the government of Mexico has acceded to the representations of the United States for the surrender to the United States authorities of Temple, the American citizen under arrest at Nogales, Mexico, charged with killing a Mexican in the state of Arizona.

This action on the part of the government of Mexico removes what might have been a cause of considerable friction between the two countries.

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GEN. GARCIA IN NEW YORK.

He Heads a Commission Appointed to Give President McKinley Information.

New York, Nov. 22.—Major General Calixto Garcia, until recently commander of the Department of the East of the Cuban army, arrived yesterday from Havana on the steamer Seguranca, at the head of the commission appointed by the military assembly.

Three members of the commission accompanied General Garcia—General Jose Miguel Gomez (not a relative of Maximo Gomez), Colonel Gonzales Lanuza and Lieutenant Colonel J. R. Villalon. General Miguel Sanguilly, the fifth commissioner, arrived in this city two days ago.

There was a great crowd of Cubans and their friends at Pier No. 17 when the Seguranca docked. General Garcia's two sons, Captain Justo Garcia and Ezequiel Garcia, were there to meet their father.

When the tall form of General Garcia appeared at the top of the gang plank the Cubans on the pier set up a rousing cheer and the old campaigner removed his broad-brimmed soft hat with a graceful gesture. He no sooner set his foot on the pier than he was surrounded and embraced by a score of friends and relatives.

General Garcia presented a striking picture. His hair and moustache was as white as snow, and his face is bronzed, bringing out into striking relief the great scar in the center of his forehead, an honorable relic of the ten years' war.

He was dressed in civilian clothes the only sign that his vocation has been one of war rather than peace being the soft campaign hat and a long overcoat which might have belonged to a military uniform.

A crowd of two hundred Cubans, men and women, followed the general off the pier. They did not want to let him get out of their sight. Finally his sons carried him off to his home, No. 165 Lenox avenue, where he will remain until he is ready to go to Washington.

Anti-Cigarette Law Stands.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 22.—The anti-cigarette law passed by the last Tennessee legislature is declared constitutional in an opinion given to the press by Judge Caldwell of the supreme court of the state.

The opinion declares that cigarettes are not legitimate articles of commerce, because they are wholly noxious and deleterious to health, and therefore are not within the provision of the federal constitution protecting legitimate commerce.

Kansas Cattle Dying.

Topeka, Kansas, Nov. 22.—Information comes to the live stock sanitary board that cattle in many sections of Central Kansas are dying from eating frostbitten oats.

The voluntary growth in the fields was very rank, and whenever stock was turned on the oat stubble death resulted.

Scores of cattle have died from the poison and the live stock sanitary board is warning the farmers against the danger.

Blizzard in Kansas.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 22.—Kansas is experiencing a genuine western blizzard. Sleet began falling shortly before midnight Sunday, which later on turned to snow. A high wind is blowing, drifting the snow badly.

Trains on all the railroads are being delayed.

The thermometer has fallen over thirty degrees in twenty-four hours. Cattle are suffering severely and in some localities the coal supply is insufficient.

Dewey Says Keep the Whole.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 22.—President Brown of Norwich University has received a personal letter from Admiral Dewey under date of October 3, in which the admiral says:

"I trust the entire archipelago will be retained by the United States. Any other arrangement will lead to no end of trouble."

Rush Orders on Warships.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 21.—Rush orders for the war vessels now being repaired at the Charlestown navy yard have been received at that place.

Three vessels, the double turreted monitor Amphitrite, the cruiser Detroit and the gunboat Castine were specially mentioned in the order.

Bits of News.

The war investigating commission has decided to visit Montauk Point on Wednesday.

The business section of the town of Perry, Ia., suffered a fire loss of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars on Monday morning.

Attorney General Griggs has decided that a person may draw money on a check without a stamp, provided the check be payable to himself from his own funds.

Fire in John P. Squire & Company's lard manufactory at Cambridge, Mass., caused a property loss of eighty thousand dollars and many firemen were injured.

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The Present Statistician of the Agricultural Department Likely to Have Charge of the Work. The Twelfth Census Not Likely to Include All the Classifications Contained in the Eleventh.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—Although the appropriation bills will engage the attention of the House during the first few weeks of the coming session, it is the general opinion here that a bill authorizing the taking of the twelfth census will be under consideration before the New Year.

This matter was put off from day to day during the last session and despite the urgent appeals of those interested in the work, no action was taken by both houses on it.

During the closing days of that session, however, a bill directing the compilation of the next census and making provision for its administration, passed the Senate and went over to the House.

Speaker Reed appointed a large and powerful special committee, with Congressman Hopkins of Illinois as its chairman, to take charge of the Senate bill. Before this committee could be called together, however, Congress had adjourned.

Chairman Hopkins has given notice that he intends to get his associates in session early in December for the purpose of considering the Senate measure, and the chances are excellent for its passage by both branches of Congress in January or February.

If this programme is followed out, the president will have an opportunity to appoint the superintendent and start the census work as soon as the preliminaries were begun about ten years ago.

The last act authorizing the taking of the census was approved by the president March 1, 1889, and the appointment of Robert Porter as superintendent was made on April 20.

President McKinley asked Mr. Porter to take charge of the work this census, but he declined.

It is believed to be practically settled that the twelfth census will not include all the classifications of statistics compiled for the eleventh census. There was no end of charges that unnecessary work was done ten years ago, and that much of the data gathered at great expense was perfectly useless.

There were innumerable divisions of the various branches, and many of these are to be dropped with the coming work.

There are already a number of candidates for superintendent in the field, prominent among whom is John Hyde, statistician of the agricultural department.

Mr. Hyde was a chief of division in the last census and has practically entire charge of collecting the population figures. He outlined the system to be followed by the enumerators in the big cities and in the country districts, and planned the classification of the returns at the headquarters in Washington.

Mr. Hyde is from Nebraska, and it is understood that he has the solid support of the senatorial and congressional delegation from that state in his candidacy for the position of superintendent of the next census. He has also been assured that he will be indorsed by a large number of other western senators and representatives for the place.

Marsh Wants to Plead Guilty.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—The trial of Gideon W. Marsh, the former president of the wrecked Keystone Bank, will probably begin on next Monday.

The November term of the United States district court began yesterday and there was a chance that Marsh would be arraigned to plead to the five indictments against him, a possibility that drew a very large crowd to the court house.

There is no doubt that the returned fugitive desires to plead guilty if he can be assured of a light sentence. The maximum punishment for Marsh's crime is twenty-two years' imprisonment. The minimum is eleven years. If Marsh will consent to divulge the names of the men who profited by the Keystone Bank frauds and who have never been punished, it is possible that he may be let off with a light sentence.

A Fire Thirteen Miles Long.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 22.—A special from Macomb, Mo., says: The largest and most destructive conflagration that has swept the Ozark mountains since 1884 is now circumscribing this town for miles north of and parallel with the Memphis railroad.

The autumn heavy foliage has rapidly fallen since frost and the fire is supposed to have been started from sparks from freight engines yesterday afternoon.

A scope of country thirteen miles long is in flames, miles of fences, orchards, plantations, farms and dry pasture fields, stocked with cattle and other animals, and many old settlers' homes lie directly in the path of the fire. The residents find themselves totally unable to check the spread of the flames.

For a New Silk Plant.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 22.—The silk firm of J. B. Martin & Co., of Lyons, France, has substantially decided to establish a large branch at Norwich, Conn.

The company has a capital of five million dollars and employs three thousand hands.

A town meeting at Norwich on Saturday night last voted to relieve the projected enterprise from local taxation for ten years and to give one thousand dollars to a local construction company which is to be formed to buy water power and supply a plant.

OCCUPATION OF CUBA.

The Start Not to be Made This Week, For Lack of Transports.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The war department has definitely given up its purpost of starting the army of occupation off to Cuba this week. The trouble is lack of transports. This seems to dispose of any chance of the transfer of formal possession of the island on December 1, but it is believed that New Year's Day will see all Cuba under the flag of the United States.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—The war department has found that it is impracticable to occupy Cienfuegos before the first of January next, and Major General Wilson, commanding the First Corps, which was designated to occupy Cienfuegos, has been directed to make such disposition of the troops that were about to sail as in his judgment will best serve the interests of the army.

A short time ago a brigade under command of General Snyder was ordered to be placed in readiness for immediate service, and occupation at Cienfuegos.

Since that time it has been found that there are now nineteen thousand Spanish troops at Cienfuegos, and that more Spanish troops are to be sent there; that the Spanish garrison cannot be removed in time for occupancy by the American troops on or about December 1.

This was the date originally fixed when General Snyder should go to Cienfuegos.

Besides the nineteen thousand troops originally at this place, it has been found necessary to send a large number of troops from Havana on account of the disturbances and mutiny which have taken place.

The preparations thus far made do not indicate that the United States authorities are in any great hurry about sending troops to Cuba.

No ships for transports have been assembled at Savannah, and no orders have been issued for the quartermaster's department to send transports to southern points for the embarkation of troops to Cuba.

CLOSED DOOR IN PORTO RICO.

Expressions of British and Canadian Disappointments.

London, Nov. 22.—Ottawa cablegrams speak of the keen Canadian disappointment at the news that the establishment of American authority over Porto Rico has been followed by the adoption of what is called a "mediaeval navigation law."

This disappointment is fully shared here among the warmest friends of Anglo-American co-operation.

There is the highest reason for repeating that an American expansion which means hidebound protectionism in American colonies has no attractions, but quite the reverse, for the great bulk of Englishmen.

Such methods must effectually kill that Anglo-American alliance of which the British ministers have made themselves warm advocates.

No responsible, seriously minded Englishman will support an alliance so contrary to English traditions and political and commercial freedom.

The Much-Kissed Mate.

New York, Nov. 22.—Osborne W. Deignan, chief boatswain's mate on the auxiliary cruiser Resolute, has returned from his trip to his native place of Stewart, Ia.

He confirms the story that when he arrived at Stewart there were two hundred yound ladies lined up to kiss him. He survived the ordeal and was present at a banquet given in his honor at Des Moines.

A resolution was unanimously approved at the dinner to the effect that the state officers, many of whom attended the dinner, endeavor to get Deignan an appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and that two thousand dollars be appropriated to attain that end.

There may be some difficulty in this, as Deignan is twenty-one years old, while the age limit for entrance into the academy is nineteen years.

On this occasion Deignan presented his boatswain's whistle to the club.

Will Welcome Our Fleet.

London, Nov. 22.—In consequence of rumors that an American squadron of warships is to visit Portsmouth, the mayor of that place has written to the United States embassy promising a cordial welcome.

Mr. Henry White, United States charge d'affaires, thanked the mayor of Portsmouth for his courteous letter, which, he said, he will not fail to transmit to Washington.

Mr. White, however, added: "I have not yet received information of the visit, but my government will not fail to be gratified by the knowledge that such a welcome awaits our squadron in the event it comes."

Dawes Treaty Rejected.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—Secretary Bliss has received a dispatch from Indian Inspector Wright in the Indian territory, announcing the rejection of the Dawes commission treaty by the Creek Indian nation.

Inspector Wright says that the count of the returns in the Creek elections has just been completed and that the treaty is defeated by the majority of 152 votes.

He added that there was no fraud shown, but that the chief opened the returns before counting, according to the tribal laws. There was no disorder at the polls.

Col. Hood Occupies Holguin.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Word has been received from Colonel Hood of the evacuation of Holguin.

He has taken possession of the city and appointed Colonel Rodriguez, a well known Cuban, as alcaide.

Colonel Hood says that the city is very much neglected and that in some places the grass in the streets is four feet high.

Post Diggers Found Gold.

Steubenville, Ohio, Nov. 22.—Gold has been discovered on the property of the Riverside Iron Company. The find was made while digging postholes.

If the same relative yield continues the property will be developed.

WILL FIGHT POLYGAMY

Congressman - Elect Roberts, of Utah, May Lose His Seat.

SAID TO HAVE THREE WIVES

It is Claimed He Violated Edmunds's Act and Can be Tried When He Reaches the Capital, Bitter Contest On. Churches of All Denominations Will Aid.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The case of Brigham H. Roberts, member-elect from Utah, is attracting much attention here among congressmen, and when he arrives his course beyond doubt will settle whether he is eligible to a seat.

In the District of Columbia the Edmunds law in relation to polygamy is in existence, and Roberts could be arrested and tried if he brings more than one wife with him.

The only way he could be unseated on the charge of being a polygamist would be to prove the fact.

The first course would be to try him under the Edmunds act. If he is convicted, of course Congress can easily get rid of him; but leading members of the House say it must first be proven that he has three wives before anything can be done.

The contest, however, will be brought into the House and will be fought bitterly.

During the campaign it was intimated that, if elected, Mr. Roberts would never get his seat.

The Mormon Church, powerful as it is in Utah, has enemies all the more bitter, perhaps, because of their helplessness, and it is announced that they will support the Populist candidate, Mr. Warren Foster, who ran against Mr. Roberts in his contest for the seat.

The contest will be based solely on the charge that Mr. Roberts is a polygamist and accordingly a violator of the Edmunds law.

It is assumed by the entiles of Utah, as they are called by the Mormons, that in this fight against Mormonism, as represented by Mr. Roberts, the churches of every denomination will lend the aid of their far reaching influence.

AS TO PEACE JUBILEES.

Why the President Objects to Premature Rejoicing.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The White House officials corroborate the press dispatches stating that the president had requested the peace celebration committee at Atlanta to change the form of its expression from peace jubilee fo a celebration of the victory of our arms.

The reason for this request is the uncertainty of peace negotiations. Even should a treaty of peace be signed, it could not be ratified until after Christmas.

Moreover, there are indications that there may be other troubles pursuant upon the peace treaty which would make a peace jubilee celebration a little premature.

It is understood that the president regretted the various peace jubilees before peace has actually been accomplished, but that in the case of Chicago and Philadelphia they had proceeded too far for his suggestion to be of any avail.

It is said here that the Atlanta people have expressed their willingness for the change and that the president is very much gratified.

To Occupy Cienfuegos January 1.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 22.—The occupation of Cienfuegos, Cuba, which was expected to take place within the next few weeks, has been postponed until January 1.

A dispatch has been sent to Major General James H. Wilson, at Macon, Ga., notifying him of the change of plan, as follows:

"It is found impracticable to occupy Cienfuegos before January 1. In view of the altered conditions, the secretary of war directs that you give such orders concerning brigade designated for this service as will meet the situation.

"H. C. CORBIN."

Senator Quay Indicted.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—The grand jury has presented to the county court true bills of indictment against United States Senator M. S. Quay, his son, Richard R. Quay, and ex-State Treasurer Benjamin J. Haywood, charged with conspiring unlawfully to use public money deposited in the People's Bank of this city for the purchase and sale of stocks and for other purposes not authorized by law.

John S. Hopkins, former cashier of the People's Bank, now dead, is named as a party to the conspiracy.

Vote of Soldiers Received.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 22.—The votes of four companies of the First Provisional regiment, stationed at Honolulu, have reached the secretary of state by mail. The remaining companies of this organization, as well as the Forty-seventh regiment and the First United States engineers, doing duty at Porto Rico, still have to send in their votes.

22d Free To-day.

New Rochelle, Nov. 22.—The Twenty-second regiment of New York volunteers will be mustered out of the service of the United States to-day. It is expected that the men will reach New York city about two o'clock in the afternoon and will march to their armory, where they will turn in their arms and equipment.

Mustering Out Eighth Ohio.

Wooster, Ohio, Nov. 22.—The mustering out of the Eighth Ohio volunteer infantry, "the president's own," began yesterday. The muster out will include 1,106 officers and men, over $135,000 being required to pay the regiment off.

Cotton Workers on Strike.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 22.—Three thousand operatives in the cotton mills here struck yesterday on account of a reduction in wages.

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The subscribers, commissioners of adjustment in and for the city of Plainfield, appointed by the circuit court of the county of Union, on the twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of performing the duties and exercising the powers conferred by chapter CXII of the laws of 1896, entitled "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents, in cities of this state, and imposing and levying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment", passed March 30, 1896, and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto, having filed a report of their proceedings and of the assessments, charges and liens fixed and certified by them, together with a map on which the lands so assessed and charged have been indicated by block and lot numbers, and said court having on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1898, ordered that said report and all matters touching and concerning the same be referred back to said commissioners to reconsider the subject matter thereof, and that the said report be corrected and revised by said commissioners, or a new report be made by them in the premises to said court without unnecessary delay pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided;

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers, commissioners aforesaid will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1898, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear, either personally or by counsel, all persons interested in the re-assessment or adjustment under said act, of the taxes, assessments or water rates in arrears in the said city.

Dated Nov. 15th, 1898.

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Twentieth Day of December

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Fourth Tuesday of November

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COMING EVENTS.

November 23—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at Crescent Rink.
November 24—Football game on Martine common between Plainfield and San Rem's.
November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.
November 27—R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, will again address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.
November 28—Harry Steele Morrison, the boy traveler and writer, Y. M. C. A. Hall, 8 p. m.

The "Curfew Bell."

Mrs. S. R. Krom, as secretary of the W. C. T. U., writes to The Daily Press to say that it was not the Woman's Town Improvement Association, but the W. C. T. U. that sent the petition to the Common Council for the enactment of a "curfew bell" ordinance in order to keep immature children off the streets after certain hours of the night.

Mrs. Krom also encloses pamphlets describing what has been accomplished by the "curfew bell" in western cities where it has been tried. A partial summary of what the "curfew" ordinance will do is as follows:

First—It is absolutely free from any politeal and denom national feature.

Second—It costs nothing to enforce it.

Third—It improves parents and children morally and socially, builds up homes, and increases the attendance in churches, Sabbath-schools, and day-schools, and is a complete remedy against truancy in the public schools.

Fourth—It lessens commitments to the station-house, jails, and reform schools in cities where enforced, 60 per cent.

Fifth—It will lessen convicts in the penitentiary in the same proportion and protect the trades of honest mechanics.

Sixth—Police officials say it will save thousands of boys from becoming tramps and rescue a multitude of young girls from lives of shame.

Seventh—The curfew prevents accidents and fatalities to youths who willfully board street cars after night.

Eighth—Cities with curfew have no bands of boy robbers.

Ninth—Where cities have the curfew, young hoodlums no longer raid empty houses and appropriate the brass and copper fittings or destroy windows.

Tenth—Families with children are leaving cities and towns and leave vacant houses where there is no curfew, expressly to avoid the influence of neighbors' children who are on the street at all hours of the night.

Eleventh—Superintendents of reform schools certify that the curfew if honestly enforced will prevent commitments to their schools.

Jersey Grows Healthier.

According to the advance sheets of the annual report of the State Board of Health, New Jersey is growing healthier and its past glories as a Gretna Green are gone forever. The total number of marriages in the State during the last twelve months is 13,213, as against 18,171 in 1897. This shrinkage is due to the passage of the Lloyd law, which provides that non-residents of the State who come here to be married must procure a license. The decrease is principally in the number of non-resident marriages. Last year 4,090 couples crossed the State line to wed. This year only 262 couples from other States were made man and wife here. Last year's record shows that the Camden ministers alone married 4,494 couples while this year they have married only 824 couples.

The eleven Republican Assemblymen-elect of Essex county have decided to support John Kean, of Elizabeth, for United States Senator. In the organization of the House the support of the delegation will be given to these candidates: Speaker, David O. Watkins, of Gloucester; clerk, Thomas H. Jones, of Essex; sergeant-at-arms, John B. Flavell, of Essex; assistant engrossing clerk, Elmer Freeman, of Essex; assistant to clerk, Herbert H. Matts, of Essex.

Healthy opposition between two factions in a political party generally results in an improvement of its working forces as a whole, and if this rule works well with the Republicans they as a party probably do not regard the contests that took place in the primaries last night as bad omens. This is the first time in several years that opposition to what is commonly called "the machine" has developed with such formidable strength, but as is very often the case in contests between "regular" and dissatisfied party members, "the machine" will still continue to grind at the same old stand.

If Spain will only agree to the President's ultimatum on or before Thursday, what a glorious Thanksgiving it would be. With the peace terms finally settled on Thanksgiving and the smashing of Cevera's fleet on the Fourth of July, these two holidays would become the most notable days of American history.

In order to have their nominations printed on regular ballots, furnished by the city, the Citizens' will have to have the acceptances of their candidates, together with their petitions, filed with the City Clerk by Saturday.

As anticipated, the application for a trolley franchise bobbed up serenely last night.

THE HORSE HAS HIS DAY.

This is the season when the horse is the idol before which the fashionables of this country lay their offerings. The New York Horse Show has come to be one of the great events of the year; but other American cities are not far behind it in this respect.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

Assemblyman Murray, of Union county, is opposed to the re-election of Speaker Watkins on the ground that as Mr. Watkins will continue as Acting Governor until the inauguration of Governor-elect Voorhees, his re-election to the Speaker's chair will produce embarrassing complications. Mr. Murray directs attention to the fact that the first duty of both Assembly and Senate, after organization, is to appoint a committee to notify the Governor that they have organized, and he wants to know how the Senate committee could notify Mr. Watkins while he was in the Speaker's chair, or how that official could appoint a committee to notify himself. Unless Mr. Murray can find some complications more serious than these, he will hardly win many to his side in opposition to the Speaker's re election. There is nothing to prevent Mr. Watkins, immediately after taking the chair, from calling some other member to preside in his stead temporarily, and in the meanwhile he can retire to the executive chamber and receive the formal notification of organization by the committees of the two Houses.—Newark News.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The telephone wires will not be placed under ground on Park avenue until the office is removed to that avenue, which will be early next year.

—Henry J. Wierenga, the popular furniture and freight expressman, has received the contract to deliver the tiling pipes to go under ground for the electric light company's wires. Mr. Wierenga will give all orders prompt attention that is left for him at Blair's, 126 Park avenue.

—Miss Holmes, formerly of 220 East Front street, has removed to more commodious rooms at 440 West Front street, where she has resumed her scientific massage treatment by appointment. Miss Holmes can furnish the best of reference from both leading physicians and families.

—At the meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club held yesterday afternoon in the Casino, Miss Harriet R Shreve gave her paper on Current Events in place of Miss Elizabeth R. Cock to whom the paper had been assigned. Miss Florence Tweedy gave the paper in the course of study, "The Intellectual Movement of the Times."

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Summons issued—In the case of Shaw against Freeman, on contract, returnable November 28th. Murphy & Blatz are for the plaintiff.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

"Infatuation," a four-act society drama from the pen of Howard P. Taylor, was the opening piece presented last night at Music Hall by the Burrill Comedy Company. A packed house greeted the company at their initial performance and it is putting it mildly to say that everyone present was well pleased. Miss LauraHulbert, in the leading role, was appreciated. She is a woman of the highest intellectual qualities. She speaks the most beautiful English of any actress on the stage. Miss Hulbert is a thoroughly schooled dramatic star. In pathetic parts she can invariably touch the heart of the auditor, in the subtle variations of feminine character. Her costumes were gorgeous. The scenery used by the company was all new and beautiful. The company is well balanced and contains performers of high standard. The specialties were very good. The play will be repeated Wednesday matinee by special request. Tonight "Old Glory," a patriotic melo-drama, which deals lightly with the Cuban question.

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Marie Wainwright will appear at Music Hall early next month in "Shall We Forgive Her," under the direction of Jacob Litt. The play is one of unusual dramatic strength. It tells a story of absorbing heart interest and holds the mirror up to nature. To present "Shall We Forgive Her" in a perfect manner, Manager Litt has selected an exceptionally strong company. Miss Marie Wainwright personates the heroine, a character that requires great dramatic ability, in a faultless manner. The accessories and scenic adjuncts are in keeping with Manager Litt's well-known prodigality in this direction.

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To the enterprise, energy and lavish expenditure of Mr. Proctor in the effort to give the best vaudeville shows in America there seems to be no limit. Not content with giving his patrons the creme de la creme of the dramatic and operatic stars he now turns his attention to spectacular productions, a series of which will be given at his spacious uptown house, the Pleasure Palace, during the present season, in conjunction with the continuous vaudeville bill. The first on the list was produced last night and is a stirring military and patriotic spectacle entitled, "The Battle of San Juan Hill." To present this grand subject in befitting style, Mr. Proctor has caused the Palace stage to be enlarged, so that it now measures 150 feet in depth, and 75 feet in width—unquestionably the largest stage in the world. There are nearly 200 participants in the spectacle, all of whom were actually in the battle, including members of the splendid Roosevelt Rough Riders, New York's pride the gallant 71st., and the heroic black troops the 9th and 10th U. S. Cavalry. Special scenery has been prepared, all the uniforms and accessories of every kind are correct down to the smallest detail, and the entire production is under the direction of that prince of stage managers, R. A Roberts.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Thanks-giving Things.

AS usual we have anticipated your wants. The good housewife's thoughts naturally turn to her Table Linen, and an investigation of her supply not infrequently convinces her that she needs a Table Cloth or some new Napkins It may be she expects company for Thanksgiving dinner and would like some better Linen than she happens to have on hand It is just here we are able to help her out for we have some extra fine Double Damasks, 72 inches wide, at $1.25 and $1 50 per yd. Bought under the old tariff they are 20 per cent under present values. We have cheaper good goods, however, at 75, 89 and 98c yard As Thanksgiving Specials we shall on Tuesday and Wednesday sell

All our 75c bleached Damask, 70 in, - - 50c yd
All our 69c unbleached Damask, 70 in, - - 50c yd
Napkins to match the bleached goods at - - $1 50 doz
(By the dozen only) For Tuesday and Wednesday Only.

LACE CURTAINS.

You may need New Curtains for your Parlor. If so you should certainly see ours. Last week we opened an entirely new lot for Thanksgiving and the Holidays the like of which was never before shown in this city. They are advance patterns for 1899 and are positively the newest things obtainable.

Nottinghams from $1.98 to $3 40 pr
Irish Point from - $2 98 to $9.00 pr
Dainty Sash Curtainings in new and exclusive designs, 10c to 75c per yd
18-in Irish Point Vestibule Lace, 49c to 65c yd

Down Stairs.

THANKSGIVING CUTLERY.

You will not be in the proper frame of mind for true Thanksgiving if you are obliged to carve the Turkey with a poor Knife and Fork. Good Cutlery is cheap as you notice below:

2 pc Stag Handle Carving Set		75c
3 pc "	"	95c
2 pc Rubber "	"	98c
3 pc " "	"	$1 25
2 pc Celluloid "	"	$2.48
3 pc " "	"	$2.98
2 pc Smoked Celluloid Handle Carving Sets	-	$3.75

Full assortment Kitchen Cutlery, Paring Knives, Bread Knives Butcher Knives, etc.

DOUBLE ROASTERS.

Finest in the world for Roasting Turkeys. Will brown them beautifully without scorching.

Small size 25c. Medium size 39c Large size 49

Iron Drip Pans 6c, 8c, 10c, 12c. 15c, 19c
Granite " 12x18, 35c; 14x14, 39c; 16x16, 45c.

A large Chair Sale is now under way. To get particulars of same it will be necessary to call.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,
234-236-238 W. Front St.

The Best Specimen of Effective Oratory

is the very favorable expression of the

Hosiery and Underwear

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At Peck's.

TAKE THE TROLLEY TO

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Your eyes won't deceive you at the sights you will see, your judgment will tell you what to do.

SILAS DEWEY DRAKE, President and Manager.

A BIG DRIVE IN MEN'S SUITS,

ALL WOOL, - - - - - $2 95
SCHOOL SUITS, - - - - $1.95

NO MISREPRESENTATION,

SEBRING'S,
202 West Front St.

FIGURED SILKS, 49c., 59c.

About 150 yards figured Silks in desirable colorings, remnants of 3 to 5 yards. to be 49c. and 59c. yard, former prices 60c. and 75c. yard.

THE RIBBON BARGAINS.

We place on sale another lot of satin and gros grain ribbon in 12 leading shades, suitable for fancy work. No. 40, 13c; No. 22, 10c; No. 16, 8c; No. 5, 5c.

CHILDREN'S EIDERDOWN COATS. $1.49.

Eiderdown Coats, light blue, pinks, white, red, nicely trimmed, well made, at $1.49 well worth $1.75.

UNDERWEAR BARGAINS.

Children's fleeced, ribbed union Suits, all sizes at 25c.
Children's heavy grey underwear, size 16-6c., rise 2c. a size.
Children's heavy fleece-lined underwear, all sizes 25c.
Men's all-wool scarlet underwear, at $1.50 grades, slightly imperfect, to be 85c.
Men's 50 per cent wool, grey underwear, 39c.

I. LEDERER.

"J. & M." MEN'S SHOES!

BEST in the world.

We sell them for only $5 and $6, black and tan; are sold for more money in New York. Men's good Working Shoes $1.25, $1.50. Men's good Dress Shoes, $1.50, $2, $3. Women's real Dongola Kid only 98c., $1.25. Women's best $2 and $3 Shoes ever sold. Boys' and girls' Shoes right up-to-date, good wear, $1.25, $1.50. We have women's, girls' and boys' Shoes, made on "Mannish" last. They are the latest. New bargains on our 48 cent and 98 cent Bargain Tables. It will pay you to look after them.

GOOD TRUNKS CHEAP.

DOANE & EDSALL.

OPENING OF FALL AND WINTER

CLOTHING.

We extend to the people of Plainfield and vicinity a cordial invitation to visit our store and inspect our Fall and Winter Clothing for men and boys before purchasing elsewhere.

WE ONLY SELL RELIABLE GOODS,

the prices of which are lower than any other store in this city. Our window display and prices speak for themselves.

WERNER'S CLOTHING HOUSE,
210 West Front Street.

P. S.—No trouble to show goods. You will be treated with courtesy whether you buy or not.

REMEMBER only 5 short weeks to **CHRISTMAS.**

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Presents selected now will be reserved.

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OYSTERS Per Quart : : : 30c
PRIME STOCK, : $1.00, $1.50 $2.00 Per 100

ROGERS.

The Royal is the highest grade baking powder known. Actual tests show it goes one-third further than any other brand.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, November 22.—Mayor Brakeley had a scare Saturday night for he thought some sneakthief had gone through his house and made off with a pair of trousers containing $50 in money in one of the pockets. The theft proved to be no theft at all, but this was not until the next morning, when a thorough search for the missing article of apparel was being made. The doctor had a hurrried call during Saturday night, and dressed hurriedly. He missed his trousers and came to the conclusion that a burglar had entered the house and run off with them. A hurried look around showed that nothing else was out of place, hats, coats, etc., all hanging on the rack. Then Dr. Brakeley thought perhaps a sneakthief had been secreted in the house, who had helped himself to the trousers and the money, then walked out of the front door. The doctor could hardly believe this, but as he was in a hurry, he put on another pair and went to his patient. In the morning the trousers were found lying behind a trunk, where they had fallen. The money was all there.

Adam Dealaman and A. N. Randolph returned Saturday night from a four days' hunting trip near Delaware, this State. They brought home plenty of game, among which were a dozen fine quail.

George Trimmer, the conductor, has been put in charge of the new local train which leaves here for New York at 9:08 and reaches Dunellen again at night at 4:43.

The fair held under the auspices of the Epworth League in Apgar's Hall last week, came to a close Saturday night. As near as can be estimated $125 has been made.

Mrs. James Dunham and daughter have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Dunham's sisters in New Brunswick.

The Central Railroad Company has had a gang of carpenters fixing up the flag houses during the past few days.

Mrs. Josephine Dunham has returned from Brooklyn, where she has been visiting her brother, who is ill.

A large number of people gather at the station every night to see the new fast Washington train go through.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrace J. Ronayne will return from their honeymoon Thursday or Friday of this week.

Fred Sandford and a party from Plainfield spent yesterday hunting in the vicinity of the borough.

Miss Anna Fenner, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Swackhamer.

I. J. Stites spent Sunday at Scotch Plains, and listened to a sermon by Rev. Mr. Woodruff.

Walter G. Runyon is spending a day or two with Fred Nelson, of Basking Ridge.

Wm. Dunham and wife, of Church street, spent Sunday with relatives in Westfield.

Mrs. William E. Terry and Mrs. Alvah Gray are spending the day in New York.

The Building Loan held a meeting last night and transacted routine business.

Mrs. Samuel Parsons, of New Brunswick, spent Sunday with friends in town.

William H. Terry is spending the day in Metuchen, his mother's old home.

Henry Garretson spent yesterday in Bound Brook where he went on business.

Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, visited relatives in the borough Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. H. Terry and Mrs. H. I. Terry spent yesterday in New York.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph spent yesterday with relatives in Piscataway.

Augustus Warden and family will soon move to Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Giles spent yesterday in New York.

Thursday many of the trains on the Central will be laid off.

Miss Conklin spent yesterday in Plainfield.

Miss Edna Baldwin has a new wheel.

In its advanced and chronic form a cold in the head is known as Nasal Catarrh and is the recognized source of other diseases. Having stood the test of continued successful use, Ely's Cream Balm is recognized as a specific for membranal diseases in the nasal passages, and you make a great mistake in not resorting to this treatment in your own case. To test it a trial size for 10 cents or the large for 50 cents is mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York. Druggists keep it.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 22.—Thomas Tyne, the last of the trio who assaulted Hans Lambertson election night, was brought before Judge Clark Saturday evening. Tyne had been keeping out of the way since the warrants were issued. Judge Clark found he was staying at a place near Metuchen. Saturday he was given his choice of a $10 fine or 30 days in the county jail. He concluded to take the $10 end of the bargain, the charge of assault being withdrawn.

After a pastorate of nearly six years, Rev. Edward True severed his connection with All Saints Episcopal church Sunday morning. Mr. True will not take a regular charge again, but will devote his time to literature. No regular pastor has been secured as yet, but the pulpit will be occupied for the present by a supply.

A window was broken in Raffel Meister's candy store by the boys Sunday evening. Meister says he is getting tired of waiting for a settlement and intends putting the matter in Judge Clark's hands unless a settlement is soon made.

Robert Walpole, Judge Clark and Wm. Lee, spent yesterday near the Passaic river hunting. As usual they came home loaded down with game, especially "Billy," who had been very fortunate, bringing several nice birds home with him.

Mrs. R. S. Welcome and daughter, of Maryland, were the guests Saturday and Sunday of Mrs. Welcome's sister, Mrs. T. M. Paff, Jr.

Miss Anna Murphy, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Thomas Walsh, returned to her home in Brooklyn Monday.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 22.—The commissioners of appeal are sitting at the township rooms this afternoon for the purpose of listening to complaints of the taxpayers but they have little to do as Assessor J. M. C. Marsh has done his work very well and there are very few complaints.

The High School football team will play the Newark Academy team on the Broad street ground Thanksgiving afternoon. The game between the Westfield team and the Dunellen boys will be played in the morning and not in the afternoon as at first announced.

A. H. Barnett, of this town, has purchased a hotel business at Irvington and will take charge Saturday. Mr. Barnett won the Milburn road race one year and he will now be right on the line which he covered in such good time on that occasion.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Fancy table apples at Neuman Bros. tomorrow at special prices.

—Anchor Lodge, F. and A. M., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

—Prof. William King will deliver a lecture in the Calvary Baptist church this evening.

—A Thanksgiving service will be held in the East Third Street mission Thursday evening.

—VanSickle, the North avenue butcher, received this morning a large consignment of fine Jersey turkeys for the Thanksgiving trade, which he will dispose of at right prices. Give him a call.

—Under the auspices of the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Union a Thanksgiving service will be held in the parlors of Trinity Reformed church Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

—A reception will be given this evening at the new parsonage of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church by Rev. and Mrs. W. C. O'Donnell, when the members of the congregation are invited to see the parsonage since it has been furnished.

—The Bard Company has been allowed to remove some of their old stock that was in the burned building to a store adjoining their present store on North avenue, formerly occupied by a candy merchant. All the insurance has not yet been settled.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mayor Wilson, of the borough, was in Philadelphia yesterday on business.

Mrs. L. L. Martin, of West Front street, is visiting relatives at Catskill, N. Y.

Charles Dunlap, of East Fifth street, is able to be out after his illness.

Sergeant Kiely was acting-chief yesterday in the absence of Chief Grant.

Robert Randolph, of Park avenue, has returned from Chicago to spend a few days.

Mrs. Brady, of East Third street, has about recovered from an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Clarence Leland, of Elmwood place, has returned from a visit with Newark friends.

Harry Woltman, of West Seventh street, is home from Princeton University for a few days.

Miss Grace White, of Brooklyn, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vail, of Elmwood place.

Ralph K. Miner, of East Sixth street, is expected home from St. Paul in time for Thanksgiving.

Thre is a continual improvement noticed in the condition of Charles Conover, of Elmwood place.

Miss Sadie Randolph, of West Eighth street, has returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Adolphus Giles and William Milligan, of this city, have returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Miss Williams, of Perth Amboy, has been spending several days with Miss Matie VanHorn, of Duer street.

Mrs. Harriot Burton Ford and Chas. W. Burton, of Watchung avenue, have gone to Atlantic City for a short stay.

Mrs. M. E. Dwight, of Rockview avenue, left yesterday to spend several weeks with relatives in Illinois.

Chief Marshal Wilson, of the borough, is again on duty, his wife, who has been seriously ill, being greatly improved.

Charles W. McCutchen, of Washington Park, recently puschased three handsome horses, two of which he drives as a team.

Among those who attended the horse show in New York last Saturday was Charles W. McCutchen, of Washington Park.

Edward Scheley, manager of the Fels-Naptha Company for this locality, has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Col. Scott, of West Front street, who is ill with pneumonia, continues to improve, and will no doubt be out again at an early date.

Edward Mundy, of Metuchen, who has been detained at the hospital under treatment for injuries received in a runaway, will be discharged this week.

Louis Feiring, of this city, who is employed by the Westinghouse, Church, Kerr Co., has been sent to Boston to take charge of a large contract.

Miss Amy Gertrude Burt, of West Seventh street, will return tomorrow from the Centinary Institute at Hackettstown to spend Thanksgiving at home.

The friends who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, of East Second street, have returned to their home in Hunterdon county.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard avenue, will return from Yale University to spend Thanksgiving at home. He will be accompanied by a college friend.

Frank Fulton will return to his office on a receiving ship in Brooklyn today, having spent a pleasant five days' furlough with friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Louis Feiring and family, of this city, have taken up their residence with Mr. Feiring's folks in the borough, where they will reside while Mr. Feiring is away.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfacee of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

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Park and North Aves.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD (E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

THOS. NEWMAN, Prop.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:36 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m.
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Thanksgiving dainties will attract many to Neuman Bros. grocery tomorrow.

—Minerva Temple, Rathbone Sisters, will hold a regular meeting this evening.

—VanEmburgh & Son are headquarters for ribbed corset covers, with or without sleeves.

—J. Fred MacDonald, the uptown grocer, has an attractive display of Fels-Naptha in his store.

—The streets of the borough were scraped yesterday under the direction of Street Commissioner Conover.

—Annual inspection of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., this evening by Department Commander Wm. C. Smith and staff.

—Next Friday evening the annual inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps will take place by the department president and her staff.

—The Sons of Veterans are rapidly completing arrangements for their fair to be held in Washington Hall December 5th to 10th inclusive.

—The members of Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., are making extra efforts to increase its membership. At the meeting to be held the latter part of next month a large number of new members will be taken in.

—People who have use for trolley cars are complaining about the wretched condition of the service from Dunellen to Bound Brook, Somerville, New Brunswick, etc. They say that the cars are not heated, and that very poor time and connections are made.

—Don't forget that at the masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at the Crescent Rink tomorrow night, there will be a grand cake-walk at 12 o'clock, the winners to receive a handsome cake and a gold-headed cane. A handsome fan will also be presented to the lady appearing in the finest costume.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

Thanksgiving Night.

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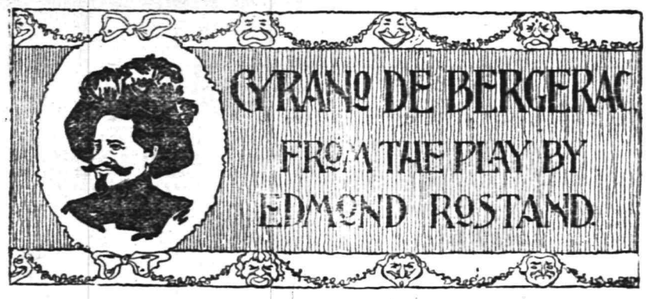

CHAPTER VIII.

On the rampart a sentinel called. There was a rumble of wheels, shots are fired and men rush to the wall. A cry came from a carriage. "In the king's service!" was the reply to the challenge. "The king's?" exclaimed De Guiche. The carriage rolled in, dusty and mud bespattered. It pulled up suddenly. The drums beat a salute. The carriage steps were lowered, and Roxane jumped out. "Good day, sirs," she called cheerfully as they all fell back and gazed at her. No one spoke until De Guiche forced his question. "On the king's service?"

"To be sure!" cried she merrily "King Love's! What other king?"

They gazed at her, stupefied with surprise, the men of Gascony. Christian

CYRANO, THE DUELIST.

stared dumfounded like the rest. Through Cyrano's lips a cry had come—a cry of pain and joy and loneliness and adoration for her daring. The others merely gaped like rustics.

"The siege," said Roxane airily, as though she spoke of a play, "the siege is too long."

De Guiche aroused himself. He remembered the fluttering white scarf that had bade his foes attack this spot.

"Madame," he cried, "you cannot stay here!"

"Oh, but I can!" retorted Roxane, still roseate, dimpled, daring, mistress of the situation, queen of the men "Will not some one roll a drum here? I would sit upon it. Ah! Thank you They fired at my carriage. Think of that. Good morrow, Christian. Catch this salute I waft you from my finger tips. Yes, fired at it. How came I through? The Spanish lines, of course. A difficult matter, do you think? Nay, not at all. I told the truth—used no diplomacy. Whenever some fierce don would stop and demand my passport of me, I smiled upon him through the window, and when he asked whither I journeyed I answered truly. 'I go to see my lover.' And then not one tried to stay me!"

She finished proudly, simply, with a look at Christian. Cyrano, watching her, went wild. But De Guiche, with the thought of his order in his mind, had no time to rage at lovers' glances.

"You must leave this place at once," he said. "There is no time to lose. It is not safe."

"You are going to flight!" she cried. "I shall stay here."

"It is a post of deadly danger," said De Guiche.

"Of danger? So, sir, you would make a widow of me? You protest? No matter. I will not stir a step from here. A fight? I never saw one. It will be amusing! And my hat! You will observe it could not have been chosen better to accord with a battle scene. And you, my lord De Guiche, were it not wise that you retire to headquarters? The attack may soon begin."

"This is unbearable!" cried his lordship. "I go, but for a few minutes only. I will return!"

His departure was the signal for the wildest outbreak on the part of the Gascons. Hair was curled, doublets laced, ruffles smoothed, presentations made to the beauty and the wit of Paris, whom love for one of them had brought so far afield.

"Had I but a nut to eat," cried one youth, "I could die happy, having looked upon her face."

"Hungry?" called Roxane. "Ah, Ragueneau, Ragueneau!"

And forthwith out from the carriage sprang the ex-cook, now Roxane's coachman. He carried food. He bore bottles. Pasties, cold fricassees, galantine, shoulders of mutton, ortolans, ham, truffled peacocks, old wine, all are seized by the famishing Gascons, who shout with joy to see the viands, and there, with death hastening to them, the cadets picnicked, banqueted and made merry in the presence of Roxane.

Cyrano had sought out Christian early in her visit.

"Be not surprised," he whispered, "to learn that you have written oftener than you knew. I have—I have sent her more than you knew of. I've written—frequently. Before dawn I've slipped through the lines to send them—a mere trifle."

"How often have you written?" demanded Christian. "Twice a week?"

"Oh, oftener!"

"Daily?"

"Yes; twice a day."

"And the author's joy was so mad a one to you that you dared death"—

"Hush!" whispered Cyrano. "Here she comes!"

Christian went to meet his wife.

"Now tell me all," he said, "why you have come this perilous way? Why you have braved these dangers—roughnesses?"

"You drew me here," she answered; "your letters, love. The last one—reading it, I could not bear to stay from you. Oh, love! Do not speak. Let me tell you all the tale—how from the night when, underneath my window, you sent your soul to mine, I have adored you. Before—I blush to own it—I crave your pardon for it—I loved you only for your look. But then, your soul, your soul it was! And all your letters since! Ah, I have grown altogether yours; this month as I have read my soul was faint for love. Ah, Christian, you have triumphed over yourself; you've won me anew. I love you only for your soul who loved you once but for your beauty."

"Do not say it," he appealed, realizing what such a confession meant.

"But I must! Were you ugly—hideous—I still should love you utterly!"

"My God!" cried Christian, chokingly, seeing the whole miserable web he had spun for himself. But before Roxane could even ask the cause of his dismay the cadets were crowding about their queen. Their captain had fastened her little lace handkerchief on a pole for a flag. They pressed about her, glad to look on her before they died. Apart from them, Christian, half mad with bitterness, had sought Cyrano.

"It's you she loves," he said. "She told me so."

"Look at my face!" interrupted Cyrano bitterly.

"She said she'd love me, even though I were ugly," answered Christian. "Because my face happens to be fair, is it right that I should destroy another man's happiness? I will no longer bear

ROXANE'S DISCOVERS CHRISTIAN'S DEAD BODY.

this. I'll be loved for myself alone, for myself as I am. I'll tell her all. She shall choose between us. Nay, do not try to stay me. I'll tell her. Our marriage—secret, unwitnessed—can easily be set aside. You'll have your chance. She'll have her choice."

"She will choose you," said Cyrano.

"Roxane! Roxane!" called Christian.

She came toward them, smiling, sweet, her face effulgent with the love that glowed within her heart. Cyrano grew dizzy at the sight and the wild hope of happiness that had leaped to life.

"Cyrano has something to tell you," said Christian, and was gone.

"He doubts my love!" said she, looking, half puzzled, after him. "He did not quite believe that I would love him were he"—

"Ugly?" said Cyrano.

"Ugly!" said she, blushing to say the word before him.

"Were he hideous—disfigured, grotesque?"

"He could not be grotesque to me. I'd love him all the more!"

The blood rushed through Cyrano's veins like fire. He trembled, lost himself. At last perhaps love stood waiting for him.

"Roxane," he cried, "Roxane! I have something to tell you. Listen! I"—

Beyond them was a sound of firing. He ceased to speak. Le Bret entered hurriedly and whispered something in Cyrano's ear. Roxane, cold with a sudden sense of danger, looked up. Behind him came cadets bearing something shapeless covered over.

"Now I can never tell her," muttered Cyrano.

Roxane pushed forward. The cadets lay their burden down. Some sought to hold her back, but she flew toward the cloaked, still figure lying there. She screamed and pushed the cloak aside.

"Christian!" she screamed. "Christian! Christian!"

But Christian could not hear.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Pat All Right.

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Oesterreich.

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Agram. Ein hier unbekanntes Paar verübte in der Nähe der Stadt auf freiem Felde einen Doppelselbstmord. Bei der Leiche des Mannes fand man einen Aufgabeschein über ein Packet mit der Adresse: „Alois Hrazdil in Sec bei Konitz in Mähren."

Budapest. Auf der kürzlich eröffneten Vizinalbahn Großbecskerek-Hatzfeld entgleiste der erste Probepersonenzug, der unbesetzt war, vollständig. Der Zugführer wurde getodtet und ein Kondukteur wurde schwer verletzt.

Innsbruck. Im Stubaithal wurde dieser Tage ein großer Steinadler, dem bereits mehrere Schafe zum Opfer gefallen sind und vor dem selbst ein Hirtenknabe einmal die Flucht ergreifen mußte, mit einem Schlageisen gefangen und dann getödtet. Der Adler hat eine Flugweite von 2.16 Metern.

Krakau. In Jaslo wurden 40, in Neusandec 42 Bauern wegen antisemitischer Exzesse zu Kerkerstrafen von drei Wochen bis sechs Monaten verurtheilt.

Laibach. Hier fand die feierliche Eröffnung der von der Landwirthschaftsgesellschaft anläßlich des Regierungsjubiläums des Kaisers in's Leben gerufenen im Marianum untergebrachten Hausfrauenschule statt.

Meran. Bei einer Produktion im Cirkus Amadeo Belley wurde der Direktor Belley von einem Schulpferd, das er zum ersten Male vorführte, an den Unterleib geschlagen. Er machte noch einige Schritte und stürzte dann todt zusammen. Die junge Frau des Direktors war Zeugin des Unglücks.

Salzburg. Hier starb Baron Karl Schwarz, der größte Eisenbahnbauer und Unternehmer Oesterreichs. Er hatte als gewöhnlicher Maurergeselle in Neu-Titschein seine Laufbahn begonnen.

Schärfling. Kürzlich fand hier die feierliche Eröffnung der den Wolfgangsee, Mondsee und Attersee verbindenden neuen Verkehrsstraße Schärfling-See statt, nachdem der Durchbruch der Kienbergerwand nunmehr fertiggestellt wurde.

Schweiz.

Bern. Auf der Eisenbahnlinie Bern-Biel schaute der junge Techniker Friedrich Hari von Adelboden unfern der Subergbrücke bei Bußwyl zum Fenster des Bahnwagens hinaus, indem er einer Hasenjagd draußen auf dem Felde zusah. Er lehnte sich dabei stark aus dem Fenster hinaus; der Zug brauste der Brücke zu und im Augenblicke war der Kopf des jungen Technikers zerschlagen. Der Verunglückte lebte noch bis zur Station Lyß; der Oberzugführer ließ einen Arzt holen, aber die Hilfe kam zu spät.

Zürich. Der seit zwei Jahren von der Staatsanwaltschaft in Zwickau wegen Urkundenfälschung steckbrieflich verfolgte 16jährige Graveurlehrling B. Meinel ist in einer hiesigen Herberge verhaftet worden.

Luzern. Der Postadjunkt Imhof aus Ochsenfurt, Bayern, der im November v. J. nach der Unterschlagung von etwa 30,000 Mark flüchtig ging, wurde in Luzern verhaftet.—Die Pilatusbahn hat dieses Jahr bis Ende September 37,300 Passagiere befördert gegen 32,000 im Vorjahre und 228,291 Francs vereinnahmt, oder 34,500 Francs mehr als letztes Jahr im gleichen Zeitraum.

Graubünden. Die diesjährige Hochjagdbeute im Kanton ist etwas größer als in den letzten Jahren. Im Ganzen wurden 10 Hirsche geschossen. Einer Wildprethandlung in Chur allein sind 220 Gemsen, 10 Rehe und 3 Hirsche geliefert worden.

Genf. Seit der Mordthat Luchenis hat sich die Polizei energisch an die Arbeit gemacht, um Genf von verdächtigem Gesindel zu säubern. In den wenigen Wochen sind über 500 Personen abgefaßt worden. Die meisten davon sind Franzosen und Italiener von denen bekanntlich eine große Anzahl ausgewiesen wurde. Durch Stechereien und übles Betragen zur Nachtzeit sind die Italiener überhaupt für einige Stadttheile zu einer schweren Plage geworden und die Bevölkerung verlangt Errichtung mehrerer neuer Polizeiposten und Vermehrung der Nachtpatrouillen.

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 37, 6 29, 7 00 7 26, 7 50, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 12 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 34, 5 37, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 09 7 39, 9 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunda 2 14, 3 37, 6 39, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, a. m.; 12 m., 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehal St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25 2 25, 3 25, 3 35, 3 55, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 26, 6 55, 7 25, 7 45, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25 3 55, 6 45, 7 25, 8 55, 9 55 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 00, 7 47, 8 13, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15 2 12, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 10 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 08 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 25, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 40, 6 55, 7 35, 9 13, 10 15 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 00 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 05, 5 36, 5 54, 6 04, 6 08, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 9 17, 11 23, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 16, a. m.; 2 05, 3 40, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 16, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33 7 46, 8 20, 9 18, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 53, 2 07 3 20, 4 10, 4 28, 5 05, 6 08, 6 08, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m Sundays 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15 6 27, 7 10, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 3 27, 5 05, 6 08, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 9 00 a. m.; 3 05 6 38 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m.; 12 35, 4 10, 5 10, 7 17, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

3 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaquua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m. for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 10 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

9 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

5 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton.

5 05 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 10 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

8 38 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, (5 37 for Sea Girt) 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 3 46, 6 21 p. m. Sundays, express Ocean Grove, 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 58, 10:37, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 37, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 37 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 8 13, 5 37 8 38 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 29, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 4 14, 5 09, 5 34*, 6 38*, 9 31, 9 37* night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 46, 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 29, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 16 4 14, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 46, 9 55 a. m.; 2 16, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn local 6 49, 7 40 and 9 40 a. m., 2 29 and 4 45 p. m. Sunday 10 29 a. m., and 6 04 p. m. Express 7 10, 8 14, 10 02 a. m., 12 15, 2 50, 5 10, 7 07 and 9 06 p. m. Sunday 7 10, 8 14 a. m., 2 50 and 7 07 p. m.

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How changed the times!
Today the maid
In modern raiment, gay, arrayed,
'Mid joyous chimes goes forth to dine,
And finds a dinner wondrous fine.
Full twenty courses grace the linen,
But only just a small beginnin'
She makes in each—a bite from many,
But little, scarce a crumb, from any!

How changed the times!
Two hundred years
Her grandam, rent with direful fears
Of dusky redskins everywhere,
Sat down to eat of humble fare.
Of courses found she there a twenty?
Oh, no; but three, and those a plenty.
But ah! she ate and when she'd finished
The store of food was clean diminished.

—WEST.

THEIR DUBIOUS THANKSGIVING.

BY JUDITH SPENCER.

"Tomorrow will be a dubious Thanksgiving," Mary North said sadly.

"Oh, no, it won't!" her sister Susan rejoined sarcastically. "Let me enumerate all that we've had to be thankful for during this past year. To begin with, our step-father died—and left us a large legacy of debts."

"Oh, now, Susan, don't!"

"And, then, we found that he not only mortgaged our dear old home, but had failed to pay the interest on it all these years, and that now—because we can't raise the money to pay it—the mortgage is to be foreclosed at once, and we will be turned out—for the town to take care of, I suppose, since mother is about helpless with rheumatism, and it takes all my time to care for her, and to keep us with clothes on our backs. And now that the Grosvenors have suddenly decided to go South, and no longer want you for nursery governess—the cup of our thankfulness is full.

"Oh, don't, Susan, please don't!" Mary had been pleading. "It is all so dreadfully sad and hard for us; but still it might be even worse."

"Worse!" ejaculated Susan.

"Yes, worse," replied Mary. "Why suppose—just suppose it had been mother who died," her sweet voice trembled piteously. "Or, suppose, now that she is so helpless, that you and I were not so perfectly strong and well. And, then, if she can keep so bright and cheerful with all that she is suffering, I'm sure we ought to keep up bravely—if only for her sake. And, Susan, it's a foolish thought maybe, but I can't help thinking that now—when everything looks so dark and hopeless to us—daylight must be at hand. Perhaps I shall get something else to do very soon—and mother may get better, so that she can be around again—and, anyway, God hasn't forgotten us in our trouble—and, I'm sure, He will not let us suffer needlessly."

The morning train that day had brought a stranger to this quiet town. He was rather a grim-looking personage, and was apparently in a very bad humor. It was very clear when he left the city in the early morning, and he found himself landed—umbrellaless—in a driving storm when he reached Hillsboro'. That had annoyed him, and his first thought was to take a train right back to town. But when on inquiry he found that there would be no return train until the one he had originally intended to take, late in the afternoon, he decided to go on and get his disagreeable business over and done with.

He had but a mile to go—the man at the station had told him, and the road was straight, so he could not miss the small, white cottage, just this side of the covered bridge. But the road had seemed to stretch out interminably, and the snow and freezing street combined to make walking more difficult at every step.

So there was not often a man in a worse humor than this man was, when the low, white cottage he was seeking at once came into sight. And now, as he suddenly hastened his footsteps, he somehow slipped and fell heavily, striking his head and doubling his left arm under him. But he made no murmur at this misadventure, but lay still and quite unconscious on the ground.

When he again opened his eyes, he was on the bed in a small, neat room; but all that he thought of at first was that his head was paining him terribly, while his arm was hurting him even more. Someone whom he could not see was fussing with his head and making the pain still worse. He felt so desperately cross and ill that he impatiently ordered the unseen meddler to leave him and his head alone.

"I beg your pardon," said a pleasant voice, "but it's a bad cut, and it should be dressed at once. I'm perfectly competent to do it, but your arm will have to wait till the doctor comes."

"What's the matter with my confounded arm?" He tried to move it, and groaned outright with the pain.

"It's broken, I'm afraid; but the doctor will be here to set it soon."

Then the hapless stranger fell to rating the place, the storm and his accident so soundly, that another voice from another as yet unseen individual, spoke up in sharp rebuke:

"Aren't you ashamed of yourself to talk so—when we're doing our best to help you!"

"Oh, hush, Susan," broke in the pleasant voice. "He's suffering dreadfully; he really don't know what he's saying."

"Yes, I do!" said the stranger gruffly, "and I beg your pardon; but you've been hurting me like the deuce!"

"Ah, here's the doctor," said the pleasant voice in a tone of relief. And then the stranger found himself transferred into the skillful hands of the professional—whose treatment of his wounds was much more rigorous than that of the deft and gentle fingers he had railed against but now.

When at last his head had been bandaged, and his arm had been set, the physician gave some brief instructions to his patient. he would have to remain where he was for several days, and must keep very quiet, on account of the wound in his head.

"But I must return to town to-day," the stranger said, peremptorily. "I have an engagement for to-morrow—and Thanksgiving dinners are not to be put off!"

"All right, go," said the doctor, "and the consequences will be brain fever."

The stranger was silent for a moment. Then he said shortly, "I see that I must submit. But how did this thing happen? Where am I? And who was fussing with me until you came?"

"You slipped on the icy path. Miss Mary North saw you fall, and when she reached you, you were insensible. She ran to get help. Fortunately it happened within a few yards of her home, and she and her sister together managed to carry you in; and they must have found you a heavy load! Then Mary ran to my house—full quarter of a mile away—and left word for me to come here as soon as I got home. I found her working over you, and your scalp was all ready for the stitches when I came. She's a clever girl, was studying to be a nurse, but unfortunately the money gave out, and she couldn't go on. She had to turn nursery governess, instead."

"And the other, the sharp one who's she?"

"The elder sister, Susan. Her tongue is sharp—but her heart's all right—and she's seen trouble enough to turn sweet grapes sour. That's all the family left now, except the mother, crippled with rheumatism, poor soul. Well, then, I'll tell them you are to be on their hands here for a day or two. I'll see you again, toward night, and bring you something you will need, until you can get back to town. Anything I can do for you? Any messages you want to send?"

The stranger dictated a telegram, explaining his detention, to a member of a well known firm in the city.

When the doctor heard the name, he looked up in surprise. "Then you came here from them—about the mortgage, I suppose?"

"I did—confound the entire business!"

"H'm," said the doctor, and went on writing at the stranger's dictation.

The signature was also a surprise to the doctor: "Willard Blackwell! Why, then, you are the head of the firm yourself!"

"I am—is there anything so strange about that?"

"Oh, no!" said the doctor; but involuntarily he sighed, and to himself he added: "Poor things, poor things!"

Another telegram was written to Mr. Blackwell's friend, to explain his enforced absence from their dinner-party on the morrow, and then the doctor left him, and Blackwell settled himself in grim endurance of the evils from which he could not escape.

By-and-by the door was softly opened, and, through his half closed eyes, he saw a pretty girl looking in upon him curiously; and at last he saw that the room he was in was connected with the one adjoining it—where the speakers were—by an uncovered stovepipe hole.

The voice of Susan spoke up sharply: "Here's another thing to be thankful for! To think of it being Willard Blackwell—or all persons in the world! If I had known that, he might have died outside there—I never would have lifted my hand to carry him in here!"

"Oh, Susan, yes you would!"

"Indeed, I wouldn't! And, after all those awful letters he's written to mother; now he has come here just to turn us out. You saw how ugly and cross he was—we can't expect one grain of kindness at his hands."

"I shouldn't ask it;" and here Mary's pleasant voice grew sad: "But it's a matter of business, Susan, and we musn't blame him for it. We owe all that money; we can't pay it; so the mortgage is to be foreclosed, and we must go. He knows nothing about its always having been our home, and that all this trouble has come about without our knowledge. It's not his fault that we must go. I only wish we knew where we were to take poor mother, and how we could make it comfortable for her."

"On nothing a year!" supplemented Susan. "Yes, and if that selfish Mrs. Grosvenor hadn't decided to go off to the South, at a moment's notice, and throw you out of your position, we needn't have worried about that," she went on. "And now she doesn't pay you what she owes you."

"But she will, Susan. She said she would send me a check next week."

"Next week—when we need it now! We're in a fine fix, truly! It was bad enough before; but now that we are saddled with this grumpy, horrid, cross old man——"

The involuntary eavesdropper started suddenly—for in spite of a few gray hairs upon his temples, Willard Blackwell had never thought of himself as old before—though grumpy and horrid and cross he most certainly had been!

"And our bitterest enemy! the sharp voice went on. "He will expect all sorts of luxuries, I suppose; and we haven't but a few cents left in the house; and not a thing to set before him but porridge and pork and bread—without butter! And I will not run any further in debt."

"But your bread is delicious, Susan; and I'm sure he's welcome to the best we have."

"And he was to go to a swell Thanksgiving dinner in the city, to-morrow, doctor said! He'll have to give thanks here, on very different fare, and, for that part of it, I'm almost glad!"

"Oh, my goodness, Susan, look!"

"For pity's sake, what's the matter now?"

"The stove-pipe hole is uncovered," Mary cried tragically; "and he can hear every word!"

"Serve him right if he had! But you said he was sound asleep."

The hole was quickly covered, and Willard Blackwell heard no more. But the various new sensations he had suddenly experienced gave him sufficient food for thought.

When the doctor came back at dusk, he found a remarkable change had taken place in his grumpy patient, whose gruffness had now entirely vanished.

"I beg your pardon, doctor, for my bad humor this morning. As you could plainly see, I had been—well—upset! And thank you for your kindness in loaning me these things. Could I ask another favor of you now?" Blackwell spoke with a curious, anxious diffidence. "It occurs to me that these—these kind ladies may not be entirely prepared for my sudden descent upon them—and, to-morrow being Thanksgiving, you know—well, I thought that perhaps they might allow me to supply the table, for one thing, while I am with them—and would you mind explaining to them that I would like to do so? And then, is there any place in the village from where you could send them in a good fat turkey, and plenty of fruit and vegetables, and anything else you think they might like? I'd be no end obliged and grateful to you—and you don't think they'd be offended do you? I'm such a duffer, and I've made such a bad impression to start with, that I must depend on you to help me out."

The doctor had looked at him in utter amazement; but, as their eyes met, he nodded and smiled; and, muttered his thanks, Blackwell thrust a roll of bank notes into his hand.

"He's not a bad fellow after all!" the doctor said, triumphantly, to himself; and presently the matter was all arranged and the good doctor went rejoicing on his way.

But as soon as Blackwell was alone again, strange and discomforting fancies swarmed through his mind. Would not this seem to his hostess merely a selfish man of the world's discourteous protest against the frugal fare which was all that they had been able to set before him?

His dinner and supper on that eventful day had certainly been meager enough, though daintily served by Mary herself; and his breakfast next morning, was frugal, too—but not so the Thanksgiving dinner. That was a beautiful and bountiful repast, deliciously cooked, and set out by Susan and Mary. And Mrs. North was brought to the table in her rolling chair; and Willard Blackwell left his room, for the first time, to take his place at the table with the family.

He looked so soldierly and handsome with his head bandaged and his arm in a sling, that even Mary was surprised, and Susan certainly would never have recognized him as the "grumpy, horrid, cross old man" whom she had expected to see.

That Mrs. North had guessed his errand, he knew at once, by the way her voice trembled and broke as she tried to speak to him.

Susan was regarding him sternly—she could not for a moment forget that he was their "bitter enemy." But Mary's eyes met his, and their pathetic wistfulness went suddenly to his heart.

He took Mrs. North's frail white hand and bent over it. "Excuse me for speaking of it now," he said, "but you don't understand my intentions in the least. (He had not understood them himself until that very moment—when he seemed to read them in Mary's eyes.) "I beg you not to fear that I will ever do anything to take from you the home which opened its hospitable doors to the wounded stranger. I assure you, everything can be arranged without embarrassing you in the least."

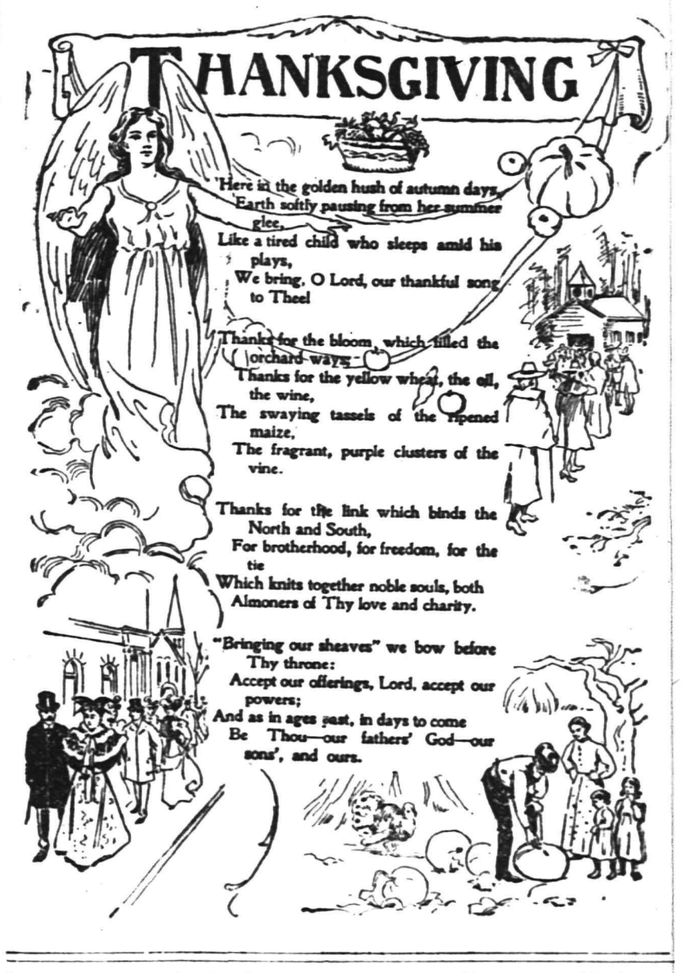
"God bless you, sir!" was all the frail little woman could find words to say. But Blackwell, looked up, met Mary's eyes again, and now they were luminous like stars. And he thought he heard her murmur: "An angel unawares!"

They took their places in silence, and reverently bent their heads:

"For the assurance we have just received, O Lord, we are truly thankful!" breathed Susan, and though it was not at all what she had meant to say, it was a good and sufficient grace.

For eight days Blackwell was a prisoner in that small white home. And when the doctor gave him leave to go back home to his own world, he left there with regret.

Blackwell carried away with him the consummation of the most thoroughly unbusiness-like business transaction of his life—but, with it, the memory of the loveliest girl's face that he had ever seen, transfigured now with happiness and gratitude. And he also carried with him the firm determination—which, in a year's time, was happily carried out—of utterly effacing that miserable first impression from even Susan's unelastic mind, and of winning sweet Mary North to be his wife.—The Ladies World.



NO DOUBT OF IT.

"'Pears lak dat old turkey gobbler am berry dissatisfied an' don't want ter stay up ter de Squire's. De poor t'ing has been follerin' me all de way down de road lak he wanted te go home wid me."

NOVEMBER.

When the bracing
breath of Au
tumn
Marches down the
meadows wide.
And the cattle cross the uplands
With a firm, exultant stride.
Then the mem'ries of the harvest
Are about us everywhere,
And the spirit of abundance
And Thanksgiving's in the air.

Far above I hear the honking
Of the southward-flying geese.
And a haze lies on the marshlands
Like a phantasy of peace—
Gaudy color schemes of Autumn
Are unfolding here and there,
And the crispness of November
And Thanksgiving's in the air.

In the kitchen there are odors
That my childhood used to know,
And my fancy travels on them
To the days of long ago;
And I revel in the bustle,
And I lay aside all care,
When the joyful preparation
For Thanksgiving's in the air.

Then I seek the silent forest,
And I walk those silent ways
Where I sought the joyous murmur
Through the lavish summer days;
For it seems like Nature's temple,
And I kneel and worship there,
When the spirit of November
And Thanksgiving's in the air.

—ALBERT BIGELOW PAINE.

SUPERIORITY.

White folks hab de learnin';
Cullud folks hab sense;
Dey don' hafter read an' write
An' make a big pretence.
White folks takes de paper;
Watches it all year
To fin' de proclamation
So's dey'll know Thanksgivin's here.

Turkey in de bahn yahd;
'Possum in de tree;
Goodness is a-gatherin'
Whah de 'simmon waits foh me.
Chicken coop is noisy;
Isn't any fear
I'll need a proclamation
Foh to know Thanksgivin's near.

—Washington Star.

BE NOT SO VAIN.

Be not so vain, thou turkey gobbler
hold
Not up so high thy head, with pride
so puffed!
E'en now the chestnuts ripen with
which, cold
And stark in death, full soon thou
wilt be stuffed.

How to Carve Your Turkey.

1. Insert the carving fork across the breast bone.
2. Cut through the skin between the breast and the thigh.
3. Bend the leg over and cut off close to the body and through the joint.
4. Cut through the top of the shoulder, down through the wing-joint.
5. Shave off the breast in thin slices, slanting from the front of the breast-bone down towards the wing-joint.
6. Carve only from the side nearest you.
7. Tip the bird over slightly, and with the point of the knife remove the oyster and the small, dark portion found on the side-bone.
8. Then remove the fork from the breast and divide the leg and wing.
9. Cut through the skin between the body and breast, and with a spoon remove a portion of the stuffing.
10. Serve light or dark meat and stuffing, as preferred.

The Duckling.—There goes the old turk that called us kids. Oh, say!

That Terrible Kid.

Mrs. Smith—Did you give your mother the invitation to take Thanksgiving dinner at our house?

Tommy Jones—Yes, ma'am.

Mrs. Smith—And what did she say?

Tommy Jones—Said she supposed we would have to go, but she'd rather stay at home and get a square meal.

Cause for Thanks.

Uncle Rastus—Yis, sah, it am jis es Ise said. Dere am nothin' fur me to be thankful fur.

Parson Prosey—You're mistak'n Rastus. Now, last night I saw you coming out of a hen house with a fine turkey. You should be thankful it wasn't the owner of that hen house who saw you.

Filling Him Up.

Mrs. Turkey—When my poor husband was lured to his death on Thanksgiving Day the cook praised him highly.

Brother Gobbler—Aw, she was only stuffing him.

A REVERIE.

I think of a Thanksgiving years ago,
When my cheeks were full and my hair was brown;
We stood by the window and watched the snow,
As in eddying flakes it came tumbling down.
She was only a girl—I was only a boy,
And the battle of life was as yet unfought;
But the world seemed happy and full of joy,
And to trouble we never gave a thought.

But now I can see that we lived in a dream,
For the years have brought me little but grief;
And the hopes I had—never what they seem—
Are crumbled away like a withered leaf.
For I, with my song, was to wrest from fame
A guerdon to lay at her willing feet;
For the world was going to murmur my name
In those days when I never thought of defeat.

But now as I sit by the window and think,
I can see the snow as I did of yore,
And the frost on the pane brings out every link
Of the past as it was in the years before.
There's a single gleam in my life today,
That makes me bear with this world of strife;
Though my dreams are vanished, my heart is gay,
For while she is married, she's not my wife.

THANKSGIVING SONG.

Heigh ho! for a Thanksgiving turkey,
All crispy, and roasted, and brown.
And ho! for the pies that gladden our eyes
When the late autumn snow's falling down;
Oh, grandmother makes the best pudding
That ever was eaten, I know,
And the turkey she'll stuff is quite good enough
To be carved by the King of Cairo.
Heigh ho! for the cranberry jelly,
Delicious and tempting to eat;
Grandmother can bake a pie or a cake
As good as a ten-dollar treat;
And the table she sets on Thanksgiving
Is laden with goodies for all,
While the odor of spice and everything nice
Is in kitchen and garret and hall.

THANKSGIVING TIME.

Perhaps you're fond or Springtime and the merry month of May,
Or Christmas, if you like it best, and I'll not say you nay;
But as for me, no time of year has such a subtle charm
As Thanksgiving in November, with the old folks on the farm.

For there's the dear old mother, with her sweet and gentle face,
She says it's no Thanksgiving 'less her boy is in his place;
And while she's there, why, bless ye, it needs no other charm
To call me home Thanksgiving to the old folks on the farm.
And when we sit at eve around the log fire's ruddy glow,
And I watch the flickering shadows on the hearthstone come and go,
I dream that I'm a boy again and life takes on a charm
That lasts till next Thanksgiving with the old folks on the farm.

JOHN W. LOW.

T'ANKSGIBIN' DAY AM COMIN'.

Oh, run an' feed de turkeys now,
Da gittin' plump, my honey;
Da'll be so fat
I rec'on dat
Da fetch a heap ob money.
An' one we'll keep, de berry best,
Jes' hea' da' wings a-drummin',
Yo' hurry, chile,
An' min' de while,
T'anksgibin' Day am comin'.

We'll hab de chillun all at home,
An' some ob de relations,
Den we an' da
'll gib t'anks an' pray
Fo' all de folks an' nations,
Dat God hab kep' de whole yea thro',
But hea' dem turkeys drummin',
Yo' hurry, chile,
An' min' de while,
T'anksgibin' am comin'.

THANKSGIVING.

I counted up my little store,
Why was to others given more?
Why were their lips with honey fed,
While mine had Labor's hard-earned bread?
A weary, hopeless task seemed living,
I could not bring to God thanksgiving.

There came a poor man to my door;
I shared with him my scanty store,
When, lo! my sense of want had flown,
And rarest riches were my own!
So sweet is love's divided bread,
I seemed with Heaven's own manna fed.
What blessed joy there was in living!
I brought to God my glad thanksgiving.

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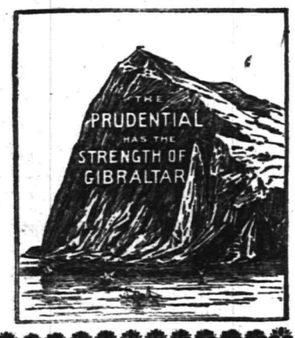

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SPORTING.

GOLF.

The bad weather of last Saturday affected the golf play on the Hillside and Park Golf Club links.

There will be prize play open handi cap to club members on the Park Golf Club links next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman and Irving West, of this city, attended the golf play at Baltusrol last Saturday.

Next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock there will be mixed foursome play for the Gilbert cup on the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club.

WHIST

Tomorrow evening the Park Club whist team will play a match game with the Elizabeth chess and whist team at the Park Club.

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Books in the Free Public Library on the literature of the American revolution. University Extension series:

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Thornton, J. W., Pulpit of the American revolution.
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PLAINFIELD BASKET BALL TEAM MADE FINE SHOWING.

When Time Was Called, The Score Was 9 to 9—After Ten Minutes of Play Brooklyn Scored a Goal and Won'

The basket ball team of the Plainfield Y. M. C. A., distinguished itself last evening by playing a tie game with Brooklyn's strongest team in the latter's own gymnasium. The home team was that of the eastern district of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A., which is classed only second to the famous Twenty-third street branch, of New York.

At the end of the first half the score stood 4 to 2 in favor of the home team. The Plainfield boys played a wonderful game, guarding their men with remarkable skill and showing a decided improvement in their accuracy at goal throwing. In the second half the visitors braced up and the score stood 9 to 9 when time was called. The game was then continued until one side should score. After ten minutes of play, Brooklyn threw a goal from the field, winning 11 to 9. Ten fouls were called on Plainfield and three on Brooklyn.

Plainfield was represented in the game by E. Moraller, Bonney, Egan, Carroll, M. Moraller and G. P. Smith. Bonney and Carroll alternated as left forward. Fred. G. Smith, of Plainfield, was referee.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

George Mehl, of this city, is doing special fire duty for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Heath, of Brooklyn, spent last night at the home of David W. King, Mrs. Heath's brother, 22 Craig place.

At the annual meeting of New York University held last week, Israel C. Pierson, of Watchung avenue, was elected secretary.

General and Mrs. H. H Abernathy, of West Seventh street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Netta, to Frederick Knapp Fish, Jr., of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler and their daughter, Miss Emma Butler, of San Francisco, Cal., are stopping at the home of Mr. Butler's son-in law, Dr. E. W. Hedges, corner of Watchung and LaGrande avenues.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff Have Been Married Five Years.

Last evening a pleasant surprise party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, of Coddington avenue, by a number of their friends. The occasion was the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Huff's fifth wedding anniversary, and while they were cognizant of the fact, they were wholly unaware of the intended surprise. An evening of sociability, games, music, etc., was enjoyed by all and a bountiful repast was served during the festivities. A feature was the presentation to the host and hostess of a beautiful cut-glass dish, which they accepted with sincere thanks.

Those present to celebrate the happy event were:

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ryno, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haberle, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kitchen, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woolston, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stryker, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams, Mrs. Amy Lorton, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, and the Misses Ella Hedden, Ethel Lorton, Emma Ryno, Ruth Stryker, and Messrs. Robt. Crosson, Arthur Mosher, Samuel Sorensen, W. J. Kitchen.

—Harry Page, of Elmwood place, has secured a position with Mr. Phillips, the electrician.

NEW SCHOOL STUDIES

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN NORTH PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL.

Advanced English and English Commercial Course to be Taken up—Fire Drills Discussed—Winter Course of Lectures.

There was an important meeting of the Borough Board of Education last evening, and all of the members except Messrs. McCutchen and Wells, were present. Heretofore there has been three courses in the High School classical, scientific and English. It was decided last evening to add two courses, that will be of incalcuable value to students. The courses are advanced English and an English commercial course. These new courses will be printed in a pamphlet form and distributed at once so that parents and scholars may become thoroughly acquainted with them. There will be a number of options offered in the junior and senior years.

The question of holding fire drills in the school was introduced and discussed somewhat. It was finally laid on the table to be taken up at the next meeting.

It was announced at the meeting that the winter course of lectures had been started, Prof. Metz, of Somerville, having given the first one recently. These lectures will be given about every two weeks by various persons of prominence and learning. Heretofore they have proved a great benefit to the scholars, and no doubt will continue to be beneficial.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Judge Coddington Has No Desire to be on the Citizens' Ticket.

To the Editor of The Daily Press.—I desire to state that I am not a candidate for the nomination of City Judge of the city of Plainfield, nor am I a candidate for the nomination of any office at the coming election. It has been rumored that I was a candidate for the City Judge nomination on the Citizens' ticket, but such is not the case.

I do not know who circulated the report, but certainly it was without any authority whatever from me. I had the honor to serve the city in the capacity of city judge for one full term of three years and since the expiration of my term of office I have never had any desire to again hold the position. However, I wish to thank my friends for the kind interest they have shown toward me in offering me the nomination at this time, but in justice to myself I deem it my duty to decline the honor they wish to confer upon me.

I am respectfully yours,
Wm. A. Coddington.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—At White's they are showing a large assortment of fine table linens, napkins and table sets. The prices are remarkably low for fine goods.

—Patriotic and Thanksgiving exercises will be held in the Borough Public School tomorrow. The school will then close for the rest of the week

—"Sorosis," the new shoe for women, has just been put on sale at Doane & Edsall's, who are agents for Plainfield. They are one of the most popular shoes made.

A Klondike Cow.

A farmer who lives near Chicago owned a cow, and five years ago the farmer's wife placed $500 in gold for safe keeping in a boxful of bran in the cellar. One day, during the mother's absence, the children found the box of bran and carried it to the barn for the cow to eat. When the woman concluded to look at her treasure again, it was gone and she believed it was stolen. About a week later the cow was taken ill, and acted so strangely that when she died, a veterinarian asked leave to dissect her, to discover the cause. When the stomach was opened, there was $500 in gold, and the farmer's wife did not regret the cow's death one bit.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

At the Strozzi Palace in Rome, there is a book made of marble, the leaves being of marvelous thinness.

There are 110 mountains in Colorado whose peaks are over twelve thousand feet above the ocean level.

The largest flower in the world grows in Sumatra. Some of the specimens are 39 inches in diameter.

The elephant does not smell with his trunk. His olfactory nerves are contained in a single nostril which is in the roof of the mouth, near the front.

Recent experiments to discover the best fire-resisting materials for the construction of doors are said to have proved that wood covered with tin is better than solid iron.

The skin of the reindeer is so impervious to the cold that anyone clothed in such a dress, with the addition of a blanket of the same material, may bear the intensest rigors of an Arctic winter's night.

All the officers of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Otis, Mass., are women except the rector. Women are now elected as vestrymen in some Episcopal churches; but this is supposed to be the only instance in which all the vestrymen are women.

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	Large Italian Chestnuts, per lb	10c
	Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel per lb	12c
	5-lb pail Mince Meat	43c
	Condensed Mince Meat per package	8c
	Fresh Eggs per dozen	17c
	R. & A. Plum Pudding	1-lb can 22c, 2-lb can 40c, 3-lb can 75c
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	New Evaporated Pears per lb	15c
	Choice California Prunes per lb	7c
	New Pulled Figs per lb	15c
	Choice New Dates per lb	8c
	Choice Malaga Grapes per lb	18c
	Choice Fruit Cake per lb	13c
	Cream Lemon Cakes per lb	7c
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We have been packed last Saturday, but we expect to be jammed this Saturday, and hundreds of pleased buyers from all over Plainfield and surrounding country have carried home some of the biggest bargains ever heard in this entire sale. Here are a few prices:

Men's mixed cassimere suits, $3.75 worth $10.00. Silk-roll melton overcoats, $4.50 worth $12.50. Elegant silk lined melton overcoats at $5.25 worth $13 50, Cutaway diagonal dress suits, $7 25 worth $18.00. Finest silk worsted dress pants $2 50 worth $6 50. Double breasted cheviot dress suits at $5 90 worth $14 00 Youths' nobby straight cut suits, $5 75 worth $11.00. Men's hair lined, striped, wool pants at $1.50 worth $2 75.

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WHAT'S TO BE DONE ON THE HOLIDAY.

Local Attractions For Thanksgiving Day.

MORNING CHURCH SERVICE.

FOOTBALL GAME AT MARTINE FIELD IN THE MORNING.

Golf Will Have Its Adherents on the Local Links—Matinee in the Afternoon at Music Hall—Star Course Entertainment at Y. M. C. A. Hall—What Will Take Place Tonight.

The veteran turkey gobbler eyed his noble offspring as the latter strutted about the barnyard before the admiring glances of the half-dozen turkey hens who gathered by the new chicken house Johnny had labored on so patiently most of the fall.

"He does not know of the evil in this world," sighed the elder bird. "He does not realize what horrid customs abound among those creatures known as men. Thanksgiving, indeed! Here I have mourned year after year the loss of my beloved children which have gone to satisfy the voracious appetite of these beings. And they call it Thanksgiving when we have to weep and sigh at the departure and undignified ending of our dear ones." And a salty tear trickled down the wrinkled face of the aged gobbler.

It all happened in a barn yard not far from this city, early this morning. Now, the once proud young gobbler is being rapidly prepared to send joy to the heart of the writer tomorrow when the bird, brown, crisp and most tempting-looking, will be served for his Thanksgiving dinner.

Yes, tomorrow is Thanksgiving, according to the proclamation of William McKinley, our honored president. Plainfield will observe the day in usual fashion. In the morning, union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Trinity Reformed and Seventh-day Baptist churches beginning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes will speak at the Trinity Reformed church and Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards at the Seventh-day Baptist church. A union Christian Endeavor service will be held in the lecture room of the Trinity Reformed church at 9:30 o'clock.

For lovers of outdoor sports, the football game on Martine Field, Park avenue, at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, will be well worth witnessing. The local eleven will meet their old rivals, the San Remo team of the New York Athletic club, once more and will try hard to defeat them. The visitors are well-known here as a gentlemenly team that will give the Plainfield boys a lively hustle.

The links of both the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club and the Park Golf Club will attract many of the members and their families, who will take advantage of the holiday for a morning or an afternoon of play.

Aside from the attractions at home in the shape of the Thanksgiving dinner, the matinee of the Burrill Comedy Company at Music Hall will draw many tomorrow afternoon.

The Alis team will probably play in the afternoon on Martine Field against the football team from Scotch Plains.

There are several attractions on the tapis for the evening. The Burrill Comedy Company will give another performance, "The Octoroon," at Music Hall. "An Evening of Song and Story" will be the title of the entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. Hall in the evening. It will be part of the famous Star Course of entertainments that have been so popular. A Thanksgiving sociable and entertainment will be held in the Grace M. E church during the evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Tonight, Thanksgiving Eve, the annual masquerade ball and cake-walk of the Twilight Social Club will be held in the Crescent Rink. The other attraction of the evening is the city convention of the Republicans to nominate Mayor and other city officers.

Boy Traveler to be Heard.

Harry Steele Morrison, "the Boy Traveler," of New York, will lecture at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening, November 28th at 8 o'clock. He is only 17 years of age, but has traveled quite extensively in Europe, and has interviewed Queen Victoria, Wm. E. Gladstone, King of Belgium, Emperor William, of Germany, and presidents of Switzerland and France. He had a narrow escape from being kidnapped in Paris and imprisonment in Germany. Of course you will want to hear him. Admission 25c.

—Press want ads bring results.

A PASTOR'S NEW HOME.

REV. AND MRS. W. C. O'DONNELL OCCUPY THE METHODIST PARSONAGE.

The Event Made the Occasion of a Reception by the Pastor and His Wife—Refreshments Furnished in the Church.

Another notable and pleasant event in the history of Monroe Avenue church was that of last evening when the beautiful and substantial parsonage, recently completed, was opened for the inspection and admiration of all who desired to call.

Rev. William C. O'Donnell, pastor of Monroe Avenue church, and his bride, occupy this beautiful home and last evening they gave a reception to the members of the church and their many friends. During the early part of the evening the home was thronged with people who brought their best wishes and congratulations to the popular couple.

The home is situated on West Fourth street, near the church, and is in every particular an ideal one. The structure from an exterior view is imposing, while the interior is as complete as possible. The rooms are large, well arranged and furnished throughout in a manner that displays rare taste and judgment. The pastor's study on the first floor front off the hallway, is a cozy and well-appointed room. On the opposite side there is the parlor and directly back are situated the dining room, kitchen, etc. On the second floor the bedrooms are located, together with a bathroom and handy closet room. In every room a pleasing arrangement is displayed by way of furnishing, in fact from the cellar to the garret there is not one thing lacking to make the home what it should be.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bowers, parents of Mrs. O'Donnell, received the guests in the parlor. Mrs. O'Donnell was gowned in her bridal costume, and both she and her husband received all with marked cordiality.

After the guests had arrived and had been received by Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell, they went to the church, where refreshments were served by the ladies of the church. Mrs. Lloyd and Miss Forster presided at the table and poured tea and chocolate. Those who assisted in serving were Miss Manning, Miss Ackerman, Miss Brower, Miss Alice Forster, Miss Hannah Forster, Mrs. Eakins, Mrs. Whitely and Miss Stafford, all of who are members of the King's Daughters or the Ladies' Aid Society. After the guests had been served with refreshments they adjourned to Epworth House, where delightful music was furnished by P. Ludwig Conde's orchestra.

Later in the evening a happy diversion was introduced, when short addresses were made by James McGee, Rev. W. C. O'Donnell and Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First M. E. church. The latter brought words of congratulation, while Mr. McGee extended his best wishes to the bride and groom. The pastor, Mr. O'Donnell, replied to the other addresses in his usual happy manner and was fully equal to the occasion.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CLUB AFFAIR.

Second Monthly Entertainment Was a Pleasing Success.

The second monthly entertainment of the Young Women's Club took place last evening at the clubhouse on Madison avenue and was in every way a success. There were twenty girls and young women present and everyone fully enjoyed themselves.

During the evening an interesting programme was presented consisting of vocal solos, by Miss Grace Carroll; instrumental solos, Miss Nellie Valiant; recitations, Miss Elsie Smith; songs, Beulah Rogers and George Rogers, Jr.

After the rendition of the above programme all present joined in a donkey party. This afforded plenty of amusement for all, and Miss Susie Lynch was the successful one to place the tail on the donkey, for which she received a favor of a box of candy.

Those who were in charge of the entertainment were Mrs. Young, Mrs. Valiant, Mrs. J. Everitt Kimball and Mrs. Samuel Kimball. The next entertainment will be held on the fourth Tuesday in December.

Nearly Fell Off the Train.

Seigmund Frucht, the Park avenue bicycle dealer, had a narrow escape from falling off the steps of the Newark train yesterday morning. He boarded the train after it had got under way, but being handicapped with a big bag, he couldn't get a foot hold on the steps, and hung there, in imminent danger of falling off, while Edward Martin, who had run up from the rear, held him up until he could recover his balance.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

WHO WILL BE NAMED AT CITY CONVENTION

G. O. P. Ticket to Be Nominated Tonight.

NO OPPOSITION EXPECTED.

PARTY LEADERS HAVE ANNOUNCED THE SLATE TO BE ADOPTED.

Rockfellow for Mayor—Runyon for City Judge—Martin for Collector—Jenkins for School Trustee—Newcorn May Get Complimentary Vote—Mr. Gilbert Will Nominate Mr. Rockfellow for Mayor.

For Mayor,
GEORGE W. ROCKFELLOW.
For City Judge,
WILLIAM N. RUNYON.
For Tax Collector,
JAMES A. MARTIN.
For Member of Board of Education,
DR. O. L. JENKINS.

Such is the ticket that the Republican leaders have settled on to support for the coming municipal election. Tonight that ticket will be nominated at the city convention to be held in the Republican headquarters on East Front street. There may be a fight on the nomination for City Judgeship, but the leaders are not inclined to believe that Judge Newcorn will carry the fight into the convention when he knows that he will be defeated. He may, however, they say, want the complimentary vote of his ward.

One feature of Republican city conventions in the past has been the absolute unity of it all. There has been a slate and it has been carried through without objection or opposition. The fight has been in the primaries and caucusses that precede the convention and the candidates who found that they could not win withdrew at the last and so allowed the party to present an unbroken front at the meeting.

For several days there has been little or no doubt as to the makeup of all the ticket but for the nomination for the City Judge. Mr. Rockfellow is apparently the unanimous choice of the party for the mayoralty nomination and will receive it without opposition.

According to the plans of the leaders of the party, Former Mayor Alexander Gilbert, chairman of the Third ward delegation, will make the speech nominating Mr. Rockfellow. In it he will briefly point out the issues of the campaign and the course that the Republican party should persue to lead it on to victory at the coming election.

The convention is composed of twenty-seven delegates, who are divided among the four wards as follows: First ward, five; Second ward, six; Third ward, seven; Fourth ward, nine They will meet at the Republican headquarters at 8 o clock. A chairman and secretary will be chosen. The call will be read. There is little probability that any resolutions will be adopted, the nominating speech of Mr. Gilbert will be expected to outline the platform on which the fight will be made.

There seems no doubt now that Councilman Runyon will be the nominee for City Judge. With the Second and Third ward delegations pledged, he needed but one more vote to give him a majority of the delegates in the convention. That one vote has been promised from the First ward and the party leaders are content to let the matter rest without bringing any pressure to bear to insure the nomination of Mr. Runyon. If Mr. Newcorn wishes the complimentary vote of the Fourth ward, it will probably be given. Otherwise, however, he will withdraw and allow the nomination of his rival to be made unanimous.

A Pleasant Time.

A sociable was given by the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church Saturday afternoon, which was attended by the Juniors and their friends. Among the enjoyments of the afternoon were recitations, singing and readings. Games were played followed by refreshments served by the committee, composed of Miss Minnie Serrell, chairman; Miss Marqueritte Serrell, Miss Daisy Bogert, Miss Bessie Flanders, Miss Bessie Wilson.

Laying the Conduits.

Patsy Christmas, the contractor, started work yesterday placing conduits underground to be used for the electric light wires. The work was started on Park avenue and will be pushed forward to an early completion, if weather permits.

Endeavor Anniversary.

The tenth anniversary of the Park Avenue Baptist church Christian Endeavor Society will take place Friday evening next. Rev. Dr. Brett, president of the State Union, will make an address.

CITY JUDGE DEMEZA DIES VERY SUDDENLY.

Succumbed This Morning to a Short Illness.

HIS HEART WAS TOO WEAK.

COULD NOT STAND THE STRAIN IT WAS SUBMITTED TO.

Taken Sick Saturday Afternoon With a Severe Cold, Which Developed Into Pneumonia—His Success in Life Was an Example of What Ambition and Perseverance Will Accomplish.

All Plainfield is now mourning the loss of one of her most efficient public servants, City Judge DeMeza, who passed away after a very brief illness. Most of his youth was spent here and he has grown up making friends on every side. Born of parents in moderate circumstances he left school at an early age and made his way by his own indefatigable and persevering efforts to a leading place in the legal profession.

In politics as in the other affairs of life, he was an active worker and the Republican party recognized his ability and aid in giving him the City Judgeship.

The last few years have seen a rapid increase in his practice. So large had it grown that when approached to again become a candidate for the office of City Judge he hesitated lest his duties should conflict.

Despite the protests of his friends,

THE LATE GEORGE W. DEMEZA

Judge DeMeza insisted on remaining at his duties summer and winter without a rest or vacation. A day or two was spent at the seaside but he gained little benefit from so short rests. Of late his health has not been of the best.

Saturday afternoon he complained of a heavy cold and went to bed. Sunday he tried to get up but felt so ill that he returned to bed and Dr. Zeglio was summoned. It was soon learned that that the young man was suffering from bronchial pneumonia. He grew rapidly worse and the crisis came yesterday morning. He rallied and Dr. Zeglio had hopes of his recovery if his heart was strong enough to bear the strain of the illness. He has been suffering from heart trouble for some time. The crisis in the illness was successfully passed but the Judge grew weaker This morning at 8:30 o'clock he quietly passed away after a long period of unconsciousness.

Judge DeMeza was the eldest son of Mrs. Charlotte DeMeza, of 430 West Second street. He leaves a sister, Miss Charlotte DeMeza, and four brothers, William G., John H., Harry G. and Thomas L., all of whom reside at his home on West Second street

Judge DeMeza was born at Hartford, Conn., on February 16th, 1871. When very young, his family moved to Plainfield, where his father engaged in the furniture business. They afterwards removed to North Plainfield, where young DeMeza attended the public schools until twelve years of age. He then entered the employ of Schepflin, Baldwin, Tweedy & Co., where he remained for three years, continuing his studies outside of business hours. He afterward studied for some time at private schools, taking up the higher branches of learning and the foreign languages. His father died when he was fifteen years old and he was thrown on his own resourses. He accepted a position with L. M. French where he remained for six months; then he entered the employ of A. L. Cadmus for about the same length of time. The study of law was his next choice, and he began to read law in the offices of Jackson & Codington. After he had been there a month he showed a natural taste for it and soon made his appearance in the justices' courts as the representative of Jackson & Cod-

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TAXPAYERS COMPLAIN ABOUT ASSESSMENTS.

Commissioners of Appeals Have Plenty to Do.

IN THE BOROUGH AND CITY.

WOMEN EXEMPTED FROM POLL TAX ACROSS THE BROOK.

The Number of Complainants in the City was so Great That it was Necessary to Issue Tickets so That They Could Appear in Rotation—Commissioners Will be in Session Several Days.

The Commissioners of Appeals of this city have their hands full at present. They met for the first yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Council chambers to consider the cases of all who thought they were unjustly taxed. Instead of the usual score of objectors, a great crowd assembled until every seat in the room was filled and many were standing. Little cards were given out bearing numbers, showing the order of the appearance of the objectors before the commissioners.

The three commissioners, J. B. Coward, A. H. Atterbury and W. W. Coriell, were present, as were the four assessors. The objectors came from all over the city, but the Second ward was largely represented. Several objectors were represented by their lawyers. Fifty cases were heard yesterday and this morning the hearing was continued. One hundred and sixty objectors have the little cards denoting the order of their hearing, and others will probably come later.

No action was taken on any of the cases and they were referred for consideration. The morning session closed at noon and the hearing will be continued tonight at 8 o'clock.

J. P. Emmons, A. B. Thorn and Robert Carson, Commissioners of Appeal in the borough, met yesterday afternoon, and from 2 o'clock until 11 o'clock last evening they were kept busy treating with dissatisfied property owners. No one made any big kick out of the one hundred and fifty persons before the commissioners. A great many objected to dog tax, claiming they owned no dog, while others claimed exemption from tax on account of being exempt firemen or veterans.

The commissioners learned that heretofore some women had been assessed for poll tax. This was removed. It can be stated that the assessment this year is fair and equitable. The Mayor and Council together with Assessor French spent one whole week examining every tax item, and their work has given satisfaction. Cases were found where the tax was too little, while in other cases it was not enough. These cases were equitably adjusted. Taking everything into consideration the people of the borough are generally satisfied and in almost every case the dissatisfaction was of trival nature.

The Don't C Club Entertained.

"The Citizens' Don't C" Club, of the borough, was entertained last evening by Miss Mary Hoagland, of Linden avenue, and many passers-by were puzzled to see the initials of the club displayed in front of the house with illuminated lanterns, but anyone curious enough to ask was willingly informed and their anxiety was set at rest. The club is composed of young women of the borough, but guests were present from Philadelphia, New York, Somerville, Bound Brook and this city. After the regular routine business was considered, the guests indulged in playing games of all kinds, after which refreshments were served. Before the guests departed each one was presented with a beautiful souvenir. All present pronounced Miss Hoagland the queen of entertainers.

A Dialect Recital.

Polk Miller, who appears in the Y. M. C. A. Star Course Thanksgiving night, is strongly commended by Chauncey M. Depew, Thomas Nelson Page, Ex-Governor Fitzhugh Lee, and other well-known men. Mr. Miller will give his dialect recital, consisting of stories, sketches and songs, illustrative of old times in the south, with the old Virginia plantation negro as a central figure.

Will Not Join Citizens' Ticket.

Deepite all rumors to the contrary, Thomas A. Cuming will not be the candidate for Second ward Councilman on the Citizens' ticket this election. To a Press reporter Mr. Cuming stated positively that he was not a candidate and that he would not accept the nomination under any circumstances He will remain with the Republican party.

SOME NOTED NOVELISTS.

EARLY AMERICAN WRITERS TALKED ABOUT BY PROF. SMYTH.

Washington Irving and James Fenimore Cooper, Their Life and Their Abilities, Dwelt Upon Interestingly.

Washington Irving and the New York writers were the subject of Professor Albert H. Smyth's third lecture in the University Extension course last night at the Y. M. C. A. The two most prominent figures were Irving, and James Fenimore Cooper, the novelist.

Irving was born in New York in 1783, and came from good old Orkney Island stock, just as James Russel Lowell's ancestors did. Like a great many later writers, Irving made his first start in literature by writing news letters for the press, the first publications being letters in the morning Chronicle. Washington Irving acted as minister to Spain and was an attache to the court of St. James during his life. He also took some interest in business, enough to represent his brother in Europe, but Irving's pen was the real means of his livlihood, although his books never brought him in anywhere near the sum people used to think they did.

Irving's works became popular both in his own country and in England. He died in 1859, the same year that saw the departure of so many famous men of letters. Irving lived to a ripe old age, and spent the last few years of his life at Sunnyside, near Tarrytown, New York.

Cooper became a novelist by reading a dull book, written by an author of the time, dealing with the courts and the society of England. The book was so dull that Cooper threw it down in disgust remarking, "I could write a better story than that myself." At the suggestion of his wife Cooper did write a book, but it was duller and more common place than the English novel.

When the book was shown to his friends, a good critic urged Cooper to write a book laying his plot in the wilderness, and with backwoodsmen and Indians for his characters. Cooper did so, and turned out the famous "Leather Stocking Tales," which have been read by millions in America, and translated into foreign languages.

Cooper was familiar, too, with the sea, and wrote sea tales of much interest. Cooper had no eye to details, and there are many things about his writings that a critic can easily pick out. But his stories run along in an interesting strain, holding the readers attention until the end.

VAUGHN GETS TWO YEARS.

Love Affairs Will Not Trouble Oscar for Awhile.

Poor Oscar Vaughn! Two months ago the redoubtable Oscar announced that he would be married November 22d, which was yesterday. But how unkind was fate. Instead Oscar, handcuffed to a horse thief, was escorted to the State prison in Trenton, his hair cropped close to the head, his body covered with a striped suit and he was introduced to the lock-step and other routine affairs of a prison life.

It will be remembered that Vaughn's last escapade was the renting of a room in a boarding house in Bayonne, and after the landlady had got out of his sight he made off with a number of valuables. He was soon after arrested and taken to the Hudson county jail in Jersey City. Monday he was tried, convicted and sentenced to two years in State prison. Yesterday he was taken to prison by Deputy Sheriff Hague, of Jersey City, together with Frank Rehm, a horse thief.

Cut His Right Hand.

John Schaeffer, of Dunellen, aged 20 years, an employe at the Climax Bottle Stopper Works, sustained a severe laceration of his right hand this forenoon while at work. He was taken to the hospital, where proper treatment was given. It is thought that he may possibly lose one finger, although the injury is not considered serious to any further extent.

A Difficult Operation.

One of the most difficult operations ever performed at Muhlenberg Hospital was performed Saturday by the hospital staff on the person of Peter V. Huff, 48 years old, of Somerville. Huff's intestines were removed and placed in position again, and now the patient is doing nicely and is expected to recover.

A Sacred Concert.

The sacred concert to be given in the First Baptist church by the choir will take place Monday evening, December 12th, and the proceeds will be devoted to the Sunday-school of the church.

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CITIZENS' TICKET PICKED TONIGHT.

Committee of Forty Will Meet to Nominate Tonight.

PETITIONS TO GO OUT.

FOURTH WARD CITIZENS NAME THEIR WARD CANDIDATES.

James Davis Will Run for Fourth Ward Councilman on Citizens' Ticket—Second Ward Committee of Ten Announced—Mr. Miner Will Not Accept Appointment—Third Ward Not Filled.

Tonight the committee of forty, that is to be the head of the Citizens' movement, will hold its first meeting at Councilman Elmore D. Moffett's office. At the meeting the candidates for the city ticket will be discussed and picked out Their acceptances will be secured and petitions started for their nominations. As the Citizens' party is not a party at all in the eyes of the law, it will be necessary to nominate by petition all the candidates on that ticket. These petitions are to be prepared at once.

The First and Fourth ward committees of ten that are to go toward the formation of the committee of forty have been appointed and their composition announced in The Daily Press. This morning the committee of ten from the Second ward was announced. It is composed of five Republicans and five Democrats, as follows: Willard M. Miner, Robert B. Waldo, Seymour G. Smith, Charles Ross and Henry Miller; Democrats, Sylvester Sharkey, James B. Guttridge, Hezekiah Hand, J. B. Mills and Leonard Spangenberg.

To a Press reporter this morning Mr. Miner, who is named on the committee, stated that he would not have anything to do with the Citizens' movement, but would stand by the action taken by Mr. Cuming, whose candidacy he supported at the Republican primary.

The Fourth ward Citizens' committee met last evening at the home of Jacob Kriney and placed in nomination three candidates on their ward ticket. Mr. Kriney was selected as the chairman of the meeting, and Geo. O. Stevens was the secretary. After due consideration James Davis, bookkeeper at Boice, Runyon & Company's coal yard, was placed on the ticket for Councilmanic honors. For Justice of the Peace Adam Young was named, and Peter V. Weaver was nominated for constable. Everything was done in harmony and each candidate nominated harmoniously.

The committee of ten from the Third ward will be appointed today.

Councilman Hetfield announces that he is not a candidate for the nomination for the City Judgeship on the Citizens' ticket.

Mr. Cuming Not a Citizens' Man.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—It has come to my knowledge that the leaders of the Citizens' movement are using my name to aid them in the formation of a complete ticket. I have already stated publicly that I am not, and do not expect to be, connected with the Citizens' movement, nor have I at any time seriously considered such a step.

The ticket nominated at the Second ward primary Monday night we consider an excellent one, and one which we believe will accomplish the same ends that we were striving for.

Thos. A. Cuming.

His Services Appreciated.

The fifth anniversary of Silas Yerkes' connection as teacher with the women's Bible class in Hope Chapel, was observed last night in a social way. There was a large turn out of the members of the class, fully 150 being present. There was vocal and instrumental music by the ladies, and addresses were made by Superintendent Squires Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, and Mr. Yerkes, in which the speakers touched upon the growth of the class and the harmony that existed between teacher and pupils. A table, to be used in the class room, was presented to Mr. Yerkes as a token of the esteem in which he is held.

Entertained Her Scholars.

Mrs. Powell, of Fairview avenue, entertained her Sunday school class from Grace M. E. church last evening. The full membership was present and the time passed in playing games, and in sociability. During the evening refreshments were served by the hostess.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance will meet in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. for Gospel service tomorrow evening at 7:15.

Miss Mary Peterson, a niece of William J. Pearson, of Vine street, is detained at the latter's home with diphtheria.

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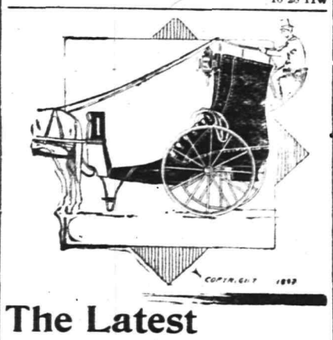

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New York, Nov. 23.—Senor Don Rafael Iglesias, president of the republic of Costa Rica, who was granted a six months' leave of absence on account of failing health, arrived here yesterday from Port Limon on the Atlas liner Altai.

He was met down the bay by Colonel W. H. Carter, assistant adjutant general, who came from Washington as the personal representative of President McKinley, and Dr. Juan J. Ulloa, consul general of Costa Rica to the United States.

The meeting on the deck of the Altai was of the most friendly sort, and Colonel Carter, after welcoming Senor Iglesias to this country, said that he had made all the necessary arrangements for a public or private reception, whichever was agreeable.

President Iglesias said that as he is travelling practically incognito and not on national business, he was opposed to display. He had simply come here for pleasure and the benefit of his health and expects to take a trip to England and France and on his way home will spend some time in the United States.

The president of Costa Rica, with the members of his party, were taken from the steamship aboard the army tug General Meigs, and landed at the foot of east Twenty-sixth street.

From there they were driven to a hotel.

President Iglesias was accompanied by Colonel Leonolo Bonilla, Dr. Antonio Giustaniani, Francisco Quezada, his private secretary; Ricardo Iglesias, his brother; W. H. Lynn, his brother-in-law; Mrs. Lynn and her two daughters, Miss Piza and General John S. Casement, a contractor engaged on the Costa Rica and Pacific Railroad. The latter resides at Plainsville, O.

The visit here of President Iglesias at the present time, when there is so much talk of the building of the canal across Nicaragua, is believed to have been brought about by the recent concession granted to the Grace syndicate, which goes into effect in October, 1899. When this concession was announced it was stated that Costa Rica's opposition could not in any way affect the new grant.

President Iglesias, when spoken to about the proposed canal yesterday, said that Costa Rica has important rights which it has reserved, and indicated that it was not all plain sailing for the new syndicate. Further he would not discuss the matter.

Dr. Ulloa said that the reason that Costa Rica has not joined the Republic of Central America, which is composed of San Salvador, Nicaragua and Honduras, is because the coalition is looked upon as an experiment, and not by any means as a staple compact.

The revolt now in progress in San Salvador, he added, is a serious one and is the outcome of the union which went into effect on November 1.

The Open-Door Policy.

London, Nov. 23.—Most of the afternoon newspapers comment upon and express sitisfaction at the "open door" intentions of the United States in the Philippine islands.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Whatever may happen in Porto Rico and eventually in the United States themselves, America's colonial policy in the Pacific is the 'open door.'

"It is a wise decision on every ground—in the interests of the prosperity of the Philippines themselves and as securing the good will of nations really friendly to America in the Pacific. The community of interests of the two English speaking nations are thereby definitely assured."

The Situation in China.

Pekin, Nov. 23.—The projected birthday audience of the dowager empress to the women of the diplomatic corps has fallen through, owing to the difficulties raised by the Chinese in regard to ceremonial matters.

The ministers of the foreign powers insisted that foreign interpreters should accompany the European women. To this the Chinese objected.

The health of the emperor of China is said to be again causing grave anxiety to those about him. He is described as being unable to walk unassisted and it is expected in well informed circles that his end is near.

The Dreyfus Case.

Paris, Nov. 23.—Lieutenant Colonel Picquart, who has been confined in the Cherche Midi military prison for some time, on the charge of revealing the contents of certain important military documents to a lawyer engaged in his defence, was taken from the prison by a side door yesterday and was driven to the court of cassation.

The court, however, was fully occupied with the examination of Generals Boisdeffre and Gonse, and was unable to hear him, and he was taken back to the Cherche Midi prison without testifying in the Dreyfus case.

The Silverware Trust.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 23.—Representatives of the important silverware firm of R. Wallace & Sons, at Wallingford, Conn., say that it has not joined the new combination nor been approached on the subject for several weeks.

At Meriden, Conn., several firms have thus far refused to join, while others have of late been active in promoting the trust.

A Virginia Election Contest.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 23.—R. A. Wise, the defeated Republican candidate in the Second Virginia congressional district, has decided to contest Young's seat in Congress.

He charges gross irregularities. He contested against Mr. Young two years ago and won the seat.

PORTER STARTS FOR CUBA.

He Goes on Important Mission for the President.

New York, Nov. 23.—Mr. Robert P. Porter, United States commissioner appointed by the president to draft tariff regulations for Cuba, left here yesterday for Boston, where he will sail today for Santiago on the Admiral Dewey, the first of the auxiliary cruiser class of merchant vessels constructed since the war with Spain.

Mr. Porter expects to return to this city the latter part of December. His stay in Cuba would doubtless have been longer had it not been for the fact that almost on the eve of his departure he learned that the government had decided to defer until January 1 American occupation of the port of Cienfuegos.

Mr. Porter said: "It is to be regretted that the government finds it impossible to take possession of Cienfuegos at once. Of course there are reasons of which we know nothing which render delay imperative. The port of Cienfuegos is more desirable at present even than Havana. It is a modern city a city of business people. Cienfuegos has suffered less from the war than any other port in Cuba. The Spanish commander there, whom I met on the occasion of my recent trip to Cuba, is of the Cervera type—a high-minded man who will offer no obstruction to American occupation. The people of Cienfuegos are neither pro-Spanish nor pro-Cuban. They will welcome a stable government."

The mission which Mr. Porter has undertaken at the request of the president is one of the most important ever intrusted to an American citizen. Upon the success or failure of his work depends the whole future of Cuba. It is a many-sided task, but his acknowledged pre-eminence as a tariff expert fits him peculiarly for the work.

DISORDERS IN PORTO RICO.

An Encouraging Report from Gen. Brooke.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The war department has received a dispatch from General Brooke about the disorders in the island of Porto Rico. The reports were of such a character as to give the department some concern, as it was alleged that United States troops were making serious trouble for the inhabitants of the island.

General Brooke was asked by cable for a statement of the case and requested to make an investigation. His reply is as follows:

Ponce, November 21.

Advices received daily from San Sebastian and other troublesome regions. Disorders were reported from that part of the island immediately after it came into our possession, but I have had it thoroughly patrolled and am still patrolling it. Everything quiet for three or four weeks.

Several bandits have been killed or wounded by patrols.

Reports very much exaggerated. Every point has been heard from to-day and quiet and good order prevail.

BROOKE.

A Government Beef Contract.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The war department has made a contract with J. W. Overton of Texas for furnishing beef to interior garrisons of United States troops in Cuba at 3-4 cents per pound.

This beef is to be driven to the garrison points and delivered dressed to the commissary department. These interior points will not include places which can be reached by rail from seaports, and only such towns in the interior where small garrisons are stationed.

The subsistence department will supply the seaport and railway points with dressed beef from the United States, which can be transported in refrigerator ships.

Quay Will Plead To-day.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—Senator Matthew S. Quay will appear before the bar of quarter sessions court No. 3, at 10 o'clock to-day to answer to the indictments presented by the grand jury, charging conspiracy unlawfully to use funds belonging to the state.

With him as fellow defendants will appear his son, Richard R. Quay, and ex-State Treasurer Benjamin J. Haywood, and the pleas of the defendants will be received and the time of the trial definitely fixed. The defendants will plead not guilty.

Sagasta Disclaims Repudiation.

London, Nov. 23.—A Madrid dispatch to the Central News says that Premier Sagasta in response to a question last evening, declared that in the event of Cuban insolvency, Spain, as the guarantor of the Cuban debt, would endeavor to make some arrangement with the Cuban bondholders.

The dispatch also says that Captain General Blanco has announced that he will shortly leave Havana for Spain.

Student Riot in Budapest.

Budapest, Nov. 23.—A demonstration of students occurred in front of the Hungarian chamber of deputies yesterday, and the police, who attempted to disperse the crowd, were attacked with showers of stones.

The disorder was finally quelled and a number of the ringleaders were arrested.

An Exposition at Caracas.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The state department has been informed that a national exposition of works of art and of natural, agricultural and manufactured products will be held at Caracas, the capital of Venezuela, beginning January 1, 1900, and closing on April 27 following.

Recall of the Peruvian Minister.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Dr. Von Victor Eguiguren, minister from Peru to the United States, was received by the president in the blue room of the White House yesterday, and presented his letters of recall. He was accompanied by Secretary Hay.

Secretary Long Goes Home.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Secretary Long left here on an early train yesterday for his home in Hingham, Mass., where he will spend Thanksgiving day with his family, returning to Washington, next Monday.

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NEGOTIATION RUMORS

How Spain May Treat Our Recent Demands.

DESPATCH FROM JUDGE DAY

Her Commissioners Undecided After Long Discussion. A Prediction that She Will Refuse Our Offer for the Philippines, but Let Us Work Our Will.

Paris, Nov. 23.—The Spanish peace commissioners telegraphed to Madrid the substance of the United States' memorandum presented Monday, and late in the evening discussed it among themselves.

As late as one o'clock Tuesday morning a Spanish commissioner affirmed that he and his colleagues did not know what to do regarding the American offer.

There is a difference of opinion among unofficial persons near the commissions, but the prediction is made that Spain will decline the American offer of money, that she will refuse to cede the Philippines, and will say to the United States:

"You may take the archipelago because you have the power to do so. As you advance we will retire, protesting against greedy aggression. We will faithfully carry out our protocol pledges, and leave Cuba and Porto Rico in your hands. You came here to engage in a discussion under the terms of the protocol; but, you evidently meant, when drawing up that document, to provide a conference in which, though we differ, man to man, you proposed to announce at the proper time what you will do, whether we agree to it or object. Such an attitude robs the conference of a negotiative character, and sets up the United States as a dominant power whose first purpose is to listen, but whose ultimate determination is to do its own will."

It is said that Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish commission, at the conference, remarked, after having heard the American offer, that if the vital portion had been read the Spaniards could answer it instantly; but, as the memorandum was very long, they would postpone their answer until Wednesday, adding that it would be easily possible to make it within forty-eight hours.

On the other hand, it is asserted that the Spaniards cannot justify themselves before their people and others by throwing away $20,000,000, added to the inevitable loss of the Philippine islands.

The Gaulois says: "The commissions being divided into an equal number of voices on the subject of the cession or retention of the archipelago, a recourse to arbitration is absolutely necessary and legal. The Americans, nevertheless, refuse to do so, and attribute to themselves sovereignty over the Philippines without the consent of the conference. They, therefore, themselves, tear up the protocol they had imposed upon the vanquished, and to keep up appearances and soften in the eyes of the world the violence of their proceedings, they offer the absurd compensation of $20,000,000."

A Despath from Judge Day.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—At the cabinet meeting yesterday a brief telegram was read which had been sent from Paris by Judge Day. It was substantially in accord with the newspaper reports of the proceedings.

No reference was made to any excitement attending the meeting, or to any open disagreement. It was stated that the next meeting would take place to-day, when a reply from the Spanish commissioners was expected.

The cabinet discussed the matter and it was the judgment of the members that there will be at least one more meeting after to-day, even if the Spaniards conclude to reject the American proposals.

No doubt is entertained among members of the cabinet that the peace treaty will be signed within the next few days.

The cabinet also discussed the Cuban situation, and it was brought out that the Spaniards hope to be able to complete the evacuation of Havana by December 20.

Anti-Scalping Law Invalid.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 23.—The court of appeals reversed the decision of the appellate division in the case of Geo. Tyler for a writ of mandamus to compel the warden of the New York prison to release him from custody, in which is involved the constitutionality of the so-called anti-scalping law.

The lower court held by a unanimous decision that the selling of tickets by Tyler, for which he was arrested and sent to jail, was contrary to the anti-scalping law, which law does not violate the state or the national constitution of the interstate commerce act.

This decision declares the anti-scalping law unconstitutional and orders the release of Tyler.

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A Crowd to See the Fight.

New York, Nov. 23.—After several weeks of severe preparation the heavyweight boxers, Jim Corbett and Tom Sharkey, met last evening in a 20-round contest at the Lenox Club.

The struggle was for a purse of $20,000, 75 per cent to the winner and 25 per cent. to the loser.

The crowd for the fight gathered early. The doors were opened at 6.15, and immediately the $3 seats at the end of the hall began to fill.

Sharkey arrived at 8.15 o'clock with George Dixon. The crowd outside recognized him and there was a great cheer.

The police arrangements inside and outside were perfect. Chief Devery himself was present and Inspector McLaughlin had charge of the details. There were one hundred and fifty policemen in all.

There was a rumor current to the effect that in the event of Sharkey adopting tactics of a rough order the police would stop the fight.

The big contest began at 10.56 o'clock. Sharkey's seconds were Tom O'Rourke, Jack Dougherty and George Dixon.

George Considine, Charley White, Connie McVey and Paddy Gorman were behind Corbett.

The Lenox Athletic Club building was crowded to its utmost capacity when the first bout was called. City officials and prominent business men were in evidence.

The betting was lively, the prevailing odds being 100 to 80 on Corbett. Tom O'Rourke was said to have wagered $800 to $1,000 on his man, Sharkey, at the ringside. Denny Sullivan and Billy Long also backed Sharkey at the prevailing odds, and Joe Vendig bet $1,500 to $1,200 on Corbett.

Round 1.—Sharkey rushed Corbett and missed a right swing. Sharkey landed on Corbett's jaw and body and had the best of the round.

Round 2.—Both men rushed each other. Corbett jabbed Sharkey in the face. Sharkey floored Corbett with a right on the jaw. Corbett got up quickly. Sharkey landed a right on the jaw. Corbett was excited.

Round 3.—Corbett jabbed Sharkey in the face. Sharkey's right to ribs. Sharkey's left to face. Corbett's left to body. Corbett clinched repeatedly to save himself. Corbett seemed to have gone back.

Round 4.—Both led repeatedly, Sharkey seeming to find Corbett at will. Sharkey chased Jim around the ring and Corbett landed left on face.

Round 5.—Sharkey landed on Corbett's face several times, Corbett returning with left. Both men were tired when the bell rang.

Round 6.—Sharkey landed two lefts on Corbett's face, shoving Corbett's head back. Sharkey rushed Corbett hard, landing on face and body. Corbett's returns seemed to lack speed. It was Sharkey's round.

Round 7.—Sharkey rushed Corbett, landing on face, kidney and ribs, Jim returning lightly. Both landed with lefts on face and body as bell rang. Both very tired.

Round 8.—Sharkey continued to land on ear, face and jaw; Corbett jabbing at the body. Corbett landed two hard lefts and a right, but Sharkey returned fiercely. Sharkey reached Corbett's face as bell rang.

Round 9.—Both landed on face. McVey jumped into the ring and a foul was allowed.

All bets were declared off.

SPAIN DISPOSED TO YIELD.

Grumbling However Over America's Demand.

Madrid, Nov. 23.—The proposals of the United States peace commissioners have been received here without any public sensation. The general feeling is in favor of a speedy ending of the negotiations.

The newspapers lament the "ungenerosity" of the United States in offering "such a small indemnity."

They think that Japan or some of the European powers would have paid a higher price.

There are those who contend that it would be better to decline indemnity altogether, because the government could then decline responsibility for the Philippine debt.

There is much irritation at the severity of Europe. The Imparcial has the following:

"President McKinley now boasts of having himself written the protocol in order to mislead Spain. This is adding insult to injury. Yet Europe looks on undisturbed. All ideas of justice have vanished from the world."

British Island for Us.

London, Nov. 23.—The Daily Chronicle publishes a dispatch from Vienna according to which England has ceded on lease to the United States for a naval coaling station, the island of Sokotra, off the gulf of Aden, the American government undertaking to erect on it two lighthouses, but not to fortify the island or sell coal here, as this would injure the British coal trade of Perim and Aden.

The Chronicle adds editorially:

"We are doing a good deal for America just now, and everybody in this country will be glad of it; but we shall all be the more interested to learn what she is proposing to do for us in return."

Sultan Shuts an Orphanage.

London, Nov. 23.—The Constantinople correspondent if the Daily Chronicle says:

The sultan has ordered the closing of an orphanage at Zeitung which shelters sixty homeless victims of the Armenian troubles. The institution is admirably managed by American missionaries, being chiefly supported by British charity.

Mr. Oscar Strauss, the United States minister, and Sir Nicholas O'Conor, the British ambassador, are both intervening energetically.

THE JOINT HIGH COMMISSION.

The Bering Sea Question Likely Soon to be Settled.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—The Bering sea question was the main topic before the joint high commission yesterday, when it resumed its sessions after several days' recess.

For the first time the two sides were prepared to exchange their estimates on the value of the Canadian sealing fleet, the purpose being to arrive at some fair valuation and retire the fleet by purchase.

The initial steps in this direction were taken while the commission was at Quebec, since which time Captains H. T. Taylor, on behalf of the Canadians, and M. Thayer on behalf of the Americans, have been making appraisals of the fleet.

After several weeks at Victoria, Messrs. Taylor and Thayer have arrived here, accompanied by Captain Cox, who represents the sealers. The two appraisers made their reports to the respective sides, and these reports in turn were exchanged by the commissioners with a view to reaching a common ground of agreement.

It is understood that both appraisals are considerably below what was expected, and that instead of running into millions, they do not much exceed half a million.

Under such circumstances strong hopes are expressed by members of the commission that a sum may be agreed upon for the buying out of this industry, and the final settlement of this long pending and vexatious controversy. It is said, however, that there is still considerable difference between the appraisals of the Canadian and the American expert, which will have to be reconciled before an agreement is possible.

After the joint meeting of the commission, a special committee, consisting of Lord Herschell and Sir Louis Davies, Senator airbanks and ex-Secretary Foster, took up the Bering sea estimates. Besides the written reports of the appraisers, the latter were called in person and examined regarding the sealing fleet.

HAVANA OURS DECEMBER 20.

Spaniards Say They Can Turn the City Over to Us Then.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Notice has been received from the Spanish evacuation commissioners that it will be possible to turn the city of Havana over to the military authorities of the United States by December 20.

In view of this announcement and of the difficulty of securing another suitable port on the south side of Cuba in place of Cienfuegos, it is probable that no further attempt will be made to open a port there for the benefit of the sugar planters.

It was not explained that the removal of Spanish troops from Havana could be accomplished before January 1, but as better progress is reported and thirty transports have sailed from Spain to bring back the army, the Spanish authorities feel justified in fixing December 20 as the date of evacuation.

Cienfuegos will probably be the port from which the last of the Spanish troops in Cuba will embark for home.

DANGERS OF IMPERIALISM.

President McKinley Warned by Andrew Carnegie.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 23.—Andrew Carnegie called upon the president yesterday to warn him of the tremendous dangers to which he was subjecting his party and the country by the adoption of the imperialistic policy. Mr. Carnegie said:

"No country is good enough to rule any other country, any more than one man is good enough to hold another in subjection. I do not believe in vassal states. I want the republic kept squarely on the foundations of the fathers, in whose doctrines of liberty I have not lost faith. England's greatest weakness to-day is the possession of colonies, which necessarily diverts her attention from home problems and needs. I do not believe in shooting down insurgents, and if it keeps on I hope the insurgents will also do some shooting."

Ensign Curtin and His Bride.

Bellefonte, Pa., Nov. 23.—Ensign Roland I. Curtin, United States navy, has arrived at his home in this place with his bride, who was Miss May Radolph Hamersly of New York.

Ensign Curtin has been assigned to the Massachusetts since his unprecedented performance at Ponce, where, acting for Captain Davis of the Wasp, he demanded and received the surrender of that port by telephone.

A reception was given in honor of the young officer and his bride last evening by his grandmother, Mrs. Katharine Curtin, widow of the old war governor of Pennsylvania, and a public reception is being arranged for him by the citizens of the town.

Gold Fever in Ohio.

Alliance, O., Nov. 23.—The eastern portion of Carroll county is ablaze with excitement over recent discoveries.

Farms which two weeks ago were worth but thirty dollars an acre cannot be purchased now for five times that amount.

The cause of this is the alleged gold discovery on the Leyder farm of an outcropping of mineral bearing rock ten days ago, and the finding of gold rock on the farm of Andrew Emmons last Thursday.

Manila's Sick Report.

Manila, Nov. 23.—Following is the sick report for the week just ended: Typhoid fever 107, malarial fever 612, dysentery 99, diarrhoea 208, all other intestinal troubles 42, gastric fever 24, wounds and other injuries 85, heat 4, small pox 35, including seven Spaniards, all other sicknesses 659, total number of cases 1,875, as against 1,816 last week. There was only one death, caused by apoplexy following malarial fever.

Gen. Rios Reported Killed.

Madrid, Nov. 23.—Via Biarritz, France.—News has just been received here that General Rios, governor of the Visayas islands, has been killed by the Tagalos at Iloilo.

ROOSEVELT TESTIFIES

His Story of the Embarkation and Struggle at Siboney

SOME CONFUSION AT TAMPA

The Rough Rider Leader Appears Before the War Board. Gives Col. Wood Much Credit. Accommodations for the Men Were Not as Good as They Should Have Been.

New York, Nov. 23.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, who served with the First United States volunteer cavalry in the war with Spain, appeared before the war investigating commission which is sitting at the Fifth Avenue hotel, yesterday afternoon.

When the colonel entered the room he shook hands with every member of the commission, after which he took a seat in a corner to wait for the witness then on the stand to finish her testimony.

It was 3.35 o'clock when Colonel Roosevelt was called to the stand. He took the oath, and, in answering to questions by General Wilson, said:

"I was lieutenant colonel of the First Volunteer Cavalry, which I formed at San Antonio. It was due, I think, to Colonel Wood that the regiment was equipped and got into the field of action so quickly. I acted as lieutenant colonel from May 6 to July 8, and from August 1 to September 5 as brigade commander."

"Did the men have sabres?"

"No sir; they were to have had machetes, but it was just as well that they never got machetes. They had Krag-Jorgenson rifles and revolvers."

"Were your men properly rationed in San Antonio?"

"I don't know about San Antonio. I was so busy learning my own duties that I couldn't tell whether the food was all right or not. But at Tampa there was a period of twenty-four hours when there was considerable confusion. I had to buy food for the men, but after we got to the camp outside of the town everything went smoothly."

"Were you ever reimbursed for the food you bought the men?"

"Oh my, no! That was merely a personal matter. It was one on me."

"Who was responsible for the confusion at Tampa when your regiment was embarking?"

"I can't say. But it seems to me that it should have been known beforehand what regiments were going in certain transports. Colonel Wood found, after one hour and a half spent trying to get the quartermaster, that our regiment was assigned to the Yucatan. Then I found that the Yucatan had also been assigned to the Second infantry and the Seventy-first regiment New York volunteers, and I had to go aboard the Yucatan and hold the transport down against the Second infantry and the 71st New York."

"Who do you think was responsible for this confusion, the department or some of the officers there?"

"That I would not know. I was only a lieuntenant colonel at that time."

"What were the accommodations for the men?"

"They were not as good as I could have wished. Still they were not bad, and the men had the liberty of the deck. The only bad food was the canned corned beef. An arrangement was made by which the men could boil their coffee at the galleys and the men arrived in Cuba in good condition."

"There was little facility for unloading the transports on lighters. One of my horses was drowned in landing but General Wood got both of his horses through.

"We reached Siboney at nine o'clock on the night of the day we landed. After supper General Wood informed us that we were to start on the next morning and catch the Spaniards. The next morning's march was a hard one, especially for Rough Riders. There was no opportunity for flankers, and it was so hot that about one hundred men dropped out for a while. When the first Spanish outpost was discovered General Wood ordered silence in the ranks, and I was sent to the right to deploy with the right wing.

"When the Spaniards began firing I didn't at first know what to make of it. I had never seen smokeless powder at work before. A newspaper man was with me when the firing first began, and he called my attention to the Spanish hats in the distance across the ravine.

"We soon routed the men and word was sent around that Colonel Wood was shot. But I soon found the colonel and when I asked him where the Spaniards were, he said: 'They have run away.'

"Then the fighting was over, and we captured, among other things, Spanish mules loaded with beans, of which we were in need, and we cooked the beans for supper that night, and that ended the battle of Las Guasimas."

"After the first battle, and before all the provisions had been landed," he said, "our men wanted beans and tomatoes. There was none, the commissary of Siboney said, for the men, but there were some for the officers. The commissary would not even let the men buy these things, saying that they were for officers only. So I had to stretch my conscience as much as possible, and loaded two horses with beans and tomatoes for officers which I immediately distributed to the men. That put them in good condition for the next battle."

Colonel Roosevelt then narrated the other skirmishes and the battle of San Juan Hill.

Colonel Roosevelt paid tribute to Assistant Surgeon James R. Church of the Rough Riders, a former Princeton football player, who, he said, frequently ran to the front, and, putting a man on his shoulder, would dash with him to the rear.

He also told how admirably General Youngs handled the brigade until he got ill.

The colonel called attention to the [illegible] of the smokeless powder over black powder, especially in the case of artillery.

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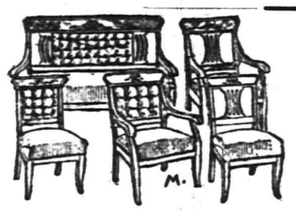

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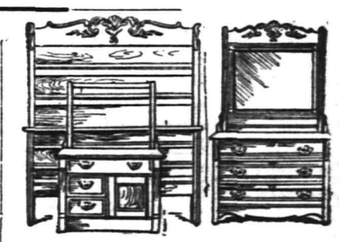

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COMING EVENTS.

November 23—Masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club at Crescent Rink.
November 24—Football game on Martine common between Plainfield and San Remo.
November 24—Polk Miller in Y. M. C. A. Star Course.
November 27—R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, will again address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.
November 28—Harry Steele Morrison, the boy traveler and writer, Y. M. C. A. Hall, 8 p. m.

The sudden death of City Judge George W. DeMeza deprives Plainfield of one of its most successful and honored members of the bar. His career, successful beyond the ordinary point in view of his youth, is an evidence of what American push and pluck can accomplish when guaged and inspired by a sense of the honorable and a desire to occupy a creditable position, socially and professionally, in the community.

Organization of Legislature.

The matter of organizing the next Legislature is now occupying the attention of the big-fry Republicans, and in all the talk Union and Somerset counties figure conspicuously. The interview in The Daily Press last week in which Assemblyman Murray announced his opposition to the reelection of Speaker Watkins aroused a great deal of interest and comment, but thus far Mr. Murray has not secured much support for his ideas in this respect

A large number of politicians and members of the Legislature gathered at Trenton yesterday and gossiped about probable results. Assemblyman Murray urged as a solution of the problem that Speaker Watkins accept the post of leader and leave that of Speaker for some one else. He urged that the position of leader was the more important of the two, and argued long and earnestly in that direction, but did not appear to make any converts to his view of the situation.

Senators Ketcham and Reed, two of the aspirants for the position of president of the Senate, exchanged congratulations and wished each other success. A number of Senators were on hand, and some had letters received from Franklin Murphy, chairman of the State committee, urging Essex's claim to recognition in behalf of Senator Ketcham. It was argued that, while the county has saved the Legislature for the Republicans two years in succession, it has not had the presiding officer of either House in many years, while Somerset had the presidency of the Senate three years ago and Bergen has only been in the Republican column three years.

Senator Reed's friends, on the other hand, claim that he is the proper man to preside over a body with such an aggressive minority as the Senate is expected to have next year. While this is about the only office in doubt, it is attracting as much attention as if the entire Senate slate depended on the disposition of it.

An Important Bill.

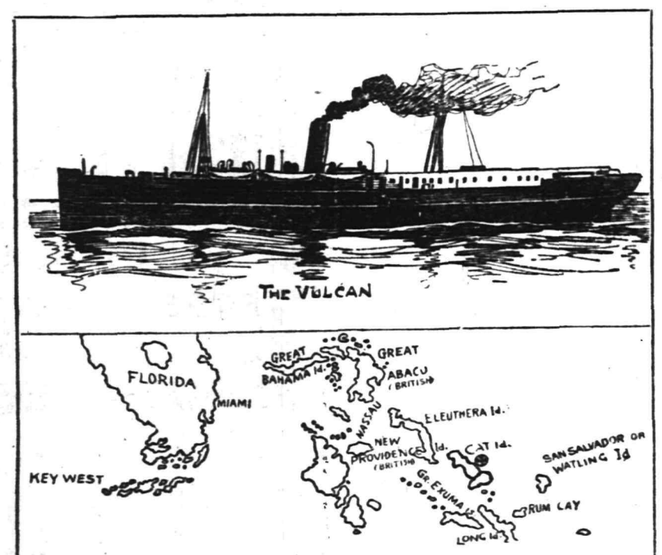
Among the new measures likely to be introduced into the next Legislature is a bill to create the office of Register of Deeds in Union county. The office at present is combined with that of County Clerk, and the argument advanced is that the work is too great and compensation too large for one official. The compensation is said to be about $15,000 a year, and, with the office of Register of Deeds created, the compensation would be about divided in half.

As the time for the nominating conventions draws closer the politicians seem to be getting together and harmonizing their differences and subserving their aspirations for party success.

Among the possibilities for the Mayoralty nomination on the Citizens' ticket is former Councilman V. L. Frazee. His many friends are urging him to go into the race.

Drop politics tomorrow long enough to attend the union Thanksgiving services in the local churches. It will be better for you and all mankind.

Tomorrow is the sad day for the Hon. Mr. Gobbler.



LITTLE HOPE FOR THE MARIA TERESA.

It now appears that there is little chance of the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa being added to the Navy of the United States. She lies badly wrecked on the shore of Cat Island, and, although the naval repair ship, Vulcan, was sent to the scene to put the disabled ship in condition to be moved to Norfolk, late reports indicate that she will probably have to be abandoned.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

The semi-centennial convention of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity, one of the oldest college secret societies of western origin, is being held in Columbus, Ohio, this week. The Fraternity, which was founded in 1846 at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, has 10,000 names on its rolls, over 1,000 of them being of students now in college. There are 38 alumni chapters and 64 college chapters.

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At the Board of Trade meeting last Monday night President Lounsbury read a letter from the postmaster at Plainfield, Mass., asking if there was not some one here who would send him a Plainfield, N. J., city directory for 1896 or 1897. Mr. Lounsbury suggested that the Board of Trade send him a new one, and it will be done. Plainfield, Mass, is a town of about 1,000 inhabitants, and the letter received by Mr. Lounsbury was in answer to one sent by him to the postmaster there telling him that a number of letters meant for Plainfield people, and with the name, street and number correct, but directed to Massachusetts, instead of New Jersey, found their way there every week. Mr. Lounsbury asked him to notice this and send them on here where they belong. In answer to Mr. Lounsbury's letter the postmaster said that 1,000 letters meant for Plainfield, N. J. people, found their way to his office every year, and he asked for this directory so as to be able to get them where they belong more quickly. There are 17 Plainfields in the United States, and a city by that name of 5,000 inhabitants, located in Connecticut, causes merchants here trouble some times.

DIED VERY SUDDENLY.

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ington. He won his first case against a prominent Newark lawyer.

On November 3d, '93, he was admitted to the bar. The motion admitting him was made by Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh. He rented a small office in the old First National Bank building. His first case came the next day when he represented Jackson & Codington in the divorce case of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Gable. He met with success. His first case in a high court was in the Supreme Court of New Jersey before Judge Lippincott, where he was also victorious.

He was elected City Judge in 1895, by the Republicans. He received 300 majority over Winfield S. Angleman, the Citizen candidate. He served very acceptably, handling several thousand cases during his term.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian church, where he acted as an usher for several years.

—Sebring will sell ready made clothing hereafter on a strickly spot cash basis.

—At the Mt. Olive Baptist church tomorrow services will be held at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Several ministers and speakers from out of town will be present, including city pastors, who will speak on important subjects. A banquet will be served in the vestry of the church after the services.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

The Burrill Comedy Company gave another excellent performance at Music Hall last night in the presentation of "Old Glory," a patriotic piece that found favor with the audience. It was staged prettily and its interesting story was depicted by characters that gave pathos, comedy and tragedy in well-guaged portions. Miss Nellie DeVeau, the little girl who is featured as a speciality artist, is already a favorite with Music Hall audiences. She has a coy way about her that her immature years makes very pleasing. Her voice, though tiny in its volume, is clear and musical, and her songs, always of the up-to date kind, make great hits. She is light and graceful on her feet and dances with a vim that would well become a veteran in her buck and steps. As a matter of fact she possesses a $100 medal that she won for her excellence in this particular. Her act amuses the little folks especially. Tonight the company will present "True as Steel," and tomorrow night "The Octoroon," both of which are worthy of patronage in the hands of as good a company as the Burrill aggregation. Matinees are given every day.

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That famous comedy, "The Nancy Hanks," will be presented here at Music Hall, Nov. 29th. A prominent paper recently had this to say of the play and the company: "There was a large audience present last night when the comedy, 'The Nancy Hanks,' was given. The reception of the play and the players was hearty in the extreme, and the comedy may be said to have scored a hit. Unlike many of the farcical plays of the day, 'The Nancy Hanks,' has something of a plot. The scenes are laid in New York city and adjacent thereto. The Marquis de La Rochelle and Richard Chandos, are found in the first act to be in hard straits, and a board bill of some $200 stares them in the face. The Marquis is a Frenchman of royal blood, and as a last resort pawns his Legion of Honor decoration to relieve their immediate wants. Frank Tennehill, Jr, the author of the farce and an actor of considerable repute, capitally sustained the character of 'Chandos,' the pivotal part in the comedy. He is an excellent comedian and made a most favorable impression last evening. Harry Berlsford was very good as the 'Frenchman.' 'Madison Broadway,' a worldly New Yorker, was portrayed by Taylor Williams, who sang an excellent baritone song in the third act. Miss Ollie Lowe, as 'Frances Lakewood,' the newest woman, was excellent, and her part in a travesty on 'The Lady of Lyons,' with Mr. Tannehill, was cleverly done. One of the best impersonations was that of Mrs. F. A. Tennehill, evidently an actress of the old school, as 'Aunt Betty,' whose mind was always made up. Miss Carlotta, as 'Henrietta,' was excellent and her dance captured the audience."

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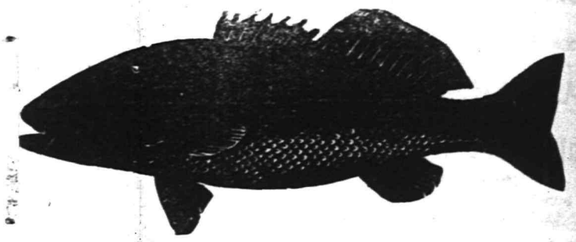

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THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 23.—The Washington Avenue Card Club held its first meeting Monday evening at the home of Miss Blanche Marlow. The prizes were awarded as follows: First lady's prize, Miss Marlow; second, Miss Sadie Merrell. First gentlemen's prize, William Terry; second, Robert Carpenter. After the cards had been laid aside, a little dance was enjoyed. The meetings will be held every two weeks.

A preliminary meeting to form a commandery of the United Order of the Golden Cross will be held tonight in Apgar's Hall, and will be addressed by the grand commander of New York, C. E. Gildersleeve. An entertainment will be given before the address, all of which is free.

The Eick family, whose children were down with diphtheria, have moved to New Germantown. All the little ones were about recovered when they went away, and it looks now as though the epidemic is about stamped out, no new cases having been reported.

During the absence of Terrace J. Ronayne and bride on their honeymoon, Mr. Ronayne's place as telegraph operator is being filled by C. C. Dunham, the night operator. Mr. Kearns, of Elizabeth, will act as night operator until Mr. Ronayne gets back.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church are holding a pie, cake and bread sale in the W. C. T. U. rooms this afternoon. The sale began at 1:30 o'clock and will last until night.

John S Fisher, a member of Co. H, 3d N. J. Vols., is on his way to Athens, Ga., with his regiment. From there they expect to go to Cuba.

The regular Thanksgiving service will be held tomorrow morning in the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Peterson will preach the sermon.

Rev. E. S. Jamison will hold a Thanksgiving service tonight in his church, and will make an address appropriate to the season.

Miss Edna Baldwin received her new bicycle from a tea company, and earned it by selling tea and coffee to the householders here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Manning, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brower, have returned to their home on Staten Island.

Miss Mabel Jamison will sing tonight at an entertainment to be given in Friendship Hall, New Market.

J. D. DeGroff has moved with his family in the house owned by William Staples, on Depot street.

Mrs. Griggs, who has been quite ill, is improving. Doctors Brakeley and Nelson are in attendance.

Conductor John Hurbut, of the Central Railroad, has been on a week's vacation.

Mr. Douglass, of The Call, will spend tomorrow at his home on Staten Island.

Washington avenue is in need of some patching.

N. B. Snell has been visiting friends at Millington.

Miss Elizabeth Mahew is ill with pneumonia.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 23—An entertainment and supper will be held in Friendship Hall tonight, under the auspices of Friendship and Lakeside Council, J.O. U. A. M. The supper will be served from 6 o'clock, and an entertainment of music and recitations and a comedy will be had.

Walter Arthur, of New Brunswick, was in town yesterday visiting relatives.

The Farther Light Society will meet this week with Miss Emma Nelson.

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The Improved Cleaner.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—The regular meeting of Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., will be held tomorrow evening.

—The regular meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held this evening.

—The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held a sewing meeting yesterday afternoon in the church parlors.

—The annual ball of the Order of Telegraph Operators will be given in Zouave Armory Hall in Elizabeth tonight. A number of Plainfielders will attend.

—John Keeley states that he did not demand $7 from Dr. Bondy for "trouble and expense," but it was for a legitimate bill that Dr. Bondy owed him for hack hire and borrowed money.

—The residence formerly occupied as the parsonage of the First M. E. church on Grove street, near Mercer avenue, presents a very attractive appearance with its fresh coat of paint and effective trimmings.

—The members of the Organized Aid Association of this city have been invited to attend the annual meeting of the Women's Civic Federation of Elizabeth, which will be held at the Second Presbyterian church, East Jersey street, Elizabeth, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

—"Why didn't I come here first?" was what the lady said who saw Peck's stock of dress trimmings after she had purchased elsewhere. Peck does not know why she did not come, but he does know that the next time she wants anything in his line she will first come to Peck's.

—Major-General Fitzhugh Lee says "I know Polk Miller well. When he is sketching the 'foe 'de war' negro, if you did not know he was Polk Miller, you would think he was a darkey of the olden time." Uncle Remus says "He is the humorist the country has been looking for." If you want to enjoy "An Evening of Story and Song" hear Polk Miller at the Y. M. C. A. at the Star Course Thursday, Nov. 24th. Come prepared to laugh.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 23.—The Italian mission is under new leadership, Raffel Facchimer, of Orange, now has charge of the Sunday afternoon services.

Fanwood Council, R. A., entertained the grand officers at their meeting last night. Under good of the order the time was taken up with a smoker and a time for speeechmaking. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all attending.

Rev. Mr. Woodruff preached a strong sermon Sunday morning, taking for his subject "The Bible and the Flag." About twenty members of Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., attended the service in a body.

The commissioners of appeal met in the town rooms Tuesday afternoon. Several of the taxpayers of the township made an appeal for a reduction of their taxes, claiming they were excessive.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church hold a "sewing bee" at the parsonage this afternoon. The afternoon will be devoted to sewing for the Philadelphia Training School.

The local football team have arranged a game for tomorrow afternoon with a strong team from Brooklyn.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 23—Overseer of the Poor F. C. Decker took Peter Vitale to the Morris Plains Asylum yesterday. Mr. Vitale has been acting strangely for several weeks, and it was thought best to place him in the hospital.

Rev. George A. Francis, pastor of the Baptist church, went to Jersey City Monday evening to perform the marriage ceremony which made Miss Alice Curtis Mills, Mrs. John Henry Wilson. Mrs. Wilson is a sister of Mrs. Wesley Blackburn, of Westfield

Rev. Henry Ketcham will go to Perth Amboy tomorrow to preach the sermon in the union Thanksgiving meeting to be held at the First M. E. church.

The vestry of St. Paul's church have decided to increase the salary of the rector, Rev. Charles Fiske.

The postoffice will be closed Thanksgiving from 10 until 5 o'clock.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Mrs. Edward White, of the borough, is visiting in Trenton.

Dr. and Mrs. M. S. Simpson have been visiting friends in Plainfield.

Patrolman Morris Higgins is steadily improving from an attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Linda Butler, of East Front street, has recovered from her severe illness.

Miss Cora Sheppard, of Fifth street, will spend tomorrow in Brooklyn with friends.

Prosecutor Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville, has been in town visiting friends

Mrs. George W. Rockfellow, of Park avenue, is visiting relatives at Orange.

Mrs. James Radin, of North avenue, has returned from a visit with out of-town friends.

Miss Steiner, of Somerset street, has returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Dr. George Bedford, of West Front street, is able to be out again after a short illness.

Mrs. Horsely Barker, of Grove street, has returned from a visit with New York friends.

Miss Ada Tunison, of West Second street, spent Sunday with her mother in New York.

Joseph Allen, of Westervelt avenue, has returned from an out-of-town business trip.

W. R. Moore, of New street, who has been very ill, is reported to be slowly improving.

Miss Henrietta Bonnell, of Manning avenue, has returned from a visit with New York relatives.

Miss Lister, of Fifth street, will spend Thanksgiving at her former home in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Flannery, of New York, will spend tomorrow in Plainfield with relatives.

Mrs. W. S. Anthony, of Reading, spent yesterday with Mrs. Mason White, of West Fourth street.

Mrs. William Wilson, of Grove street, who has been very ill, is now considered to be out of danger.

Mr. Conover, of High Bridge, has been visiting his son, Chas. Conover, of Elmwood place, who is quite ill.

Miss Edna VanCleef, of East Millstone, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter C Dobbins, of Elmwood place.

Harry and Arthur Talmage, of Belvidere avenue, have been home from Harvard College spending a few days.

Willard Case, of Westervelt avenue, has resigned his position as bookkeeper at A. M. Runyon & Son's place of business.

Miss Amy Gertrude Burt, of West Seventh street, returns from Hackettstown today to spend Thanksgiving at home.

Miss Edith L. Burt, of West Seventh street, who is now a student at Wellesley College, will spend Thanksgiving with friends at Arlington, Mass.

Edison Brown, formerly night operator at the telephone office, will leave Plainfield Friday for Bristol, Conn., where he has secured a lucrative position in the electrical business.

Daniel C. Main, son of Rev. A. E. Main, is very ill with malarial fever in the Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia. Young Main is still in the service of the Government Hospital Corps.

Rev. Dr. Rodman, of Grace P. E. church, was called to Elizabeth yesterday morning to officiate at the funeral of the late Mrs. Fowler, a former resident of the Revere House, this city. When living in this city she attended Dr Rodman's church.

Among the guests who attended the annual dinner of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, held last evening at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, were the following Plainfielders: Mr. and Mrs. David H. Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Mellick, Mr. and Mrs. Mason W. Tyler and Miss Minnie Wood. Mrs. David H. Rowland was a member of the reception committee.

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Pleasant to the Taste. Children Enjoy It.

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Half Price. Having made special arrangements with one of the largest soap makers in the United States, I am enabled to sell a 25 cent box of soap for 15 cents. Try It.

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Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD (E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

THOS. NEWMAN, Prop.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Thanksgiving Day service will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest at 10:30.

—One week from next Friday a very important meeting of the Borough Council will be held.

—Next Friday evening the annual inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps will take place.

—A musical and bazaar will be held in Grace M. E church under the auspices of the Queen Esther Band.

—A special Christian Endeavor union service will be held tomorrow morning in Trinity Reformed church.

—A "golf dance" will be given at the Park clubhouse tomorrow evening. Those who attend will appear in golf costume.

—Woodhull & Martin experienced a busy day yesterday and satisfied quite a number of Christmas purchasers. The holiday stock is already a large one, and is being added to every day.

—The many friends of former Mayor B A. Hegeman, Jr., will be pained to learn that he is confined to his home by illness. His condition is not serious, however, and hopes of his speedy recovery are entertained.

—If you want to spend an enjoyable evening attend the grand masquerade ball and cake-walk of the Twilight Social Club at the Crescent Rink tonight. Excellent music has been secured and the dancing surface is the finest in the State.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

ELY'S CREAM BALM is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; samples 10c. by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City.

LOTS ON CARLTON AVENUE are now in demand. Plots of 50 feet or more by 200, near Putnam avenue; also one on Putnam avenue, 75x175, for sale cheap. Dr. J. H. Thompson, 36 East 30th St., N. Y. 11 17 8 th s

Thanksgiving Night.

POLK MILLER, of Richmond, Va.

An Evening of Story and Song.

Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Admission, 25c. 11 19-22-23

EXTRACTS.

After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

A. L. KAERTH & CO.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK MAILS.

Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:30 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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TELEPHONE 248 B.

DIED.

DEMEZA—In this city on Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1898, George W. DeMeza, aged 27 years. Notice of funeral in New York papers tomorrow.

WANTS AND OFFERS

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first-class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

APARTMENTS to let. Apply 611 Liberty St. 11 13 2

WANTED—A heated room and board for two adults; good location; $40 a month. Address D., care Press. 11 19 21 23

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and typewriter. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 9 12

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WOMAN wants days work. 210 W. 4th St. 11 23 2

GIRL wants situation to do general housework. Call 330 E. 4th St.

$1,500 Wanted on first mortgage on East Fifth St property, worth $3,000. Address Mortgage, care Press. 11 24 6

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—A handsome, young, sound and very gentle polo pony; splendid driver and perfect saddler, at 207 LaGrande avenue. 11 19 6

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney. cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

FOR SALE—Elegant residence with barn, near Postoffice. Apply 145 East Front street. 11 22 4

HORSE for sale. Inquire 912 W. 7th St., city. 11 22 2

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm, Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens. You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others.

With weather right, with goods right, with prices lower than you have ever seen for such

STYLISH

Jackets, Capes, Skirts and Silk Waists.

It is what throngs our garment room with pleased purchasers; all our Jackets are guaranteed as to fit and finish.

Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined $4.98
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades $3.98
Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout $8.75
Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair
10-4 " California Blanket ..... $3.75 pair
11-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $3.98 pair
11-4 " California Blankets ..... $4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies' Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants ..... 19c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 30c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
70-inch Bleached Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT—Twill pay you men to nose around in a dry goods for your Underwear, Hosiery and Shirt wants. You pay dry goods store prices, and you know what that means.

Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers ..... 33c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers ..... 49c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural ..... 17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 33c.
All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 13c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black ..... 69c. pair
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers 79c
Apron Ginghams ..... 3½c. yard
Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 59c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band ..... 10c. pair
Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black ..... 10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 12c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 50c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 45c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 19c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 25c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths ..... 2c. each
Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes ..... 17c. box
French Plate, Hand Mirrors ..... 15c. each
Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
54 in. Dress Goods; fancy ..... 29c yard

EDWARD WHITE.

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Look at the price of the best wheel in the world—

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ORDER QUICK—READY FOR DELIVERY NOV. 1st.

CHAINLESS 1899 $75.
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OTHER MODELS AT $25 and $35.

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SPECIAL SALE!

Potatoes per bushel 57c
Eggs per dozen 19c
Creamery Butter per lb 23c
Sweet Potatoes per basket 20c
4 cans Baked Beans 25c
Hams per lb 10c

J. F. MacDonald, Uptown Grocer.

186 East Front Street.

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

ROOMS with board. 219 East Fifth street. 11 15 12

LOST—Large yellow cat, name of owner on collar. Suitable reward will be paid upon return of same to 452 W. 8th St., Plainfield. 11 22 2

WANTED—Situation by a reliable young man as coachman and general useful man; good references. Address J. C., care Press. 11 23 2

WANTED—A woman that understands dressmaking. Call tonight, 315 East Sixth street.

SITUATION wanted by a Swedish girl as waitress or chambermaid; can furnish first-class references. Call at 413 Spooner Ave. 11 22 2

BY USING BROCK'S PORTABLE HOUSES your unprofitable vacant lots would become income-paying property. Best and cheapest way of securing a home of your own. See model 7-room house 15 Mountain Avenue. Open afternoons and evenings. 11 17 6

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MATINEES every day commencing Tuesday

BURRILL COMEDY CO.,

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Monday, "INFATUATION"
Tuesday, "OLD GLORY."
Wednesday "TRUE AS STEEL."
Thursday, "THE OCTOROON."
Friday, "RIP VAN WINKLE."
Saturday, "NOBODY'S DAUGHTER."

Prices, Evenings, 10c., 20c., 30c.

Matinee, Children, 10c., Adults, 20c.

Reserved seat tickets now ready.

FOR SALE

At Hand's Storage House,

on SATURDAY, Nov. 26, at 10 o'clock a. m.

1 lot of HOUSEHOLD GOODS

belonging to Mrs. Hester Thompson, of Elizabeth. Goods have been in storage 2 years.

Also Sewing Machine

belonging to Mr. James Morrison, at same time and place.

11 21 5 H. K. HAND, Auctioneer.

Harry Steele Morrison,

"The Renowned Boy Traveller,"

will speak at Y. M. C. A. HALL, Monday, Nov. 28, 8 p. m. Admission, 25c.

11 23 4

GOOD JOB WORK.

THE DAILY PRESS office can do it—anything from a milk ticket to an auction bill; even larger, too.

The job department of THE DAILY PRESS office is the largest and best equipped in Plainfield or vicinity. The workmen employed are experienced and capable and possess the knack of producing neat products. The prices are reasonable. When work is promised for a certain time the customer gets it without the aggravating delay common to many printeries.

If you need job printing at all you need the kind that reflects credit for neatness and style on you. You can get that kind

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constitutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

11 18 21-23-25-28-29

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

J. A. MARTIN,
Collector.

10 20 td

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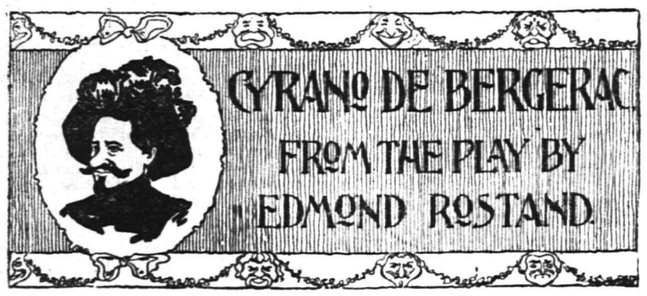

CHAPTER IX.

Ironically, indeed, did fate speed the bullets there at Arras. The young husband, adored and adoring, died. The man who prayed but for a soldier's death, the man whose hopeless ugliness forbade him hope of love and whose high honor would not let him tell the story of the wooing, he lived on.

And while De Guiche and Ragueneau are carrying away the grief stricken Roxane, Cyrano turns to the enemy. The fight had been growing fast and furious, and the captain of the cadets, wounded, is forced to fall back on the intrenchments. His discouraged company follow him, when Cyrano, mounting the breastworks amid the hail of shot, seizes the lance to which they had tied Roxane's handkerchief and shouts:

"Gascons! Gascons! Never turn your back!" The retreating cadets rally around Cyrano and the little white flag. The Gascon pipes strike up, and even the wounded try to crawl to the front. Roxane's gayly decorated carriage is suddenly turned into a fortress, bristling with arquebuses, and as the overwhelming Spanish forces swarm over the embankments Cyrano and his cadets meet them, singing:

"The bold cadets of Gascony,
Of Carbon of Castel-Jaloux!
Brawling, swaggering boastfully.
The bold cadets"—

But amid the storm of battle the song dies away.

Roxane, widowed, went back to Paris, but she was no more the "precieuse" Roxane. She sought the peace of the convent, not as a nun, for she would not so falsify the human love her heart held for the lover killed at Arras, but as a boarder merely. There she could brood upon her sorrow; there live again the brief hours she had lived with Christian. She had no duties save to his memory. She cherished in her heart all the words of fire and honey dew that once thrilled through her veins. Upon her bosom always lay the letter they found upon him there at Arras—the letter he had meant to send Roxane, a blood stained, tear stained missive.

She was not unhappy in the still convent and in the great park that surrounded it. At first De Guiche came often to her, but the great nobleman grew busier as years went by, and his calls upon her were less frequent. But Cyrano never failed her. Week after week, year after year, the same hour of the same day brought him to her, still the poet, the philosopher; still the warrior, fighting shams and wrongs with naked blade and knowing not the uses of diplomacy; always at heart the lover of Roxane, always in manner her faithful friend and always the light hearted jester of the old days, ready for a prank or a joke.

The good sisters liked him more than passing well. They liked the gossip of the court with which he brightened Roxane's days. They liked, sweet souls, his teasing of their piety.

One quiet autumnal day 15 years after the day when the white scarf of De Guiche had bade the Spanish attack at Arras, Roxane sat waiting for her friend. The leaves were falling, the chestnut trees about the chapel were already golden tinted and the quiet sadness of autumn was in the air. Under the trees in the park of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, Roxane had been receiving somewhat that afternoon. De Guiche had called upon her—changed, bent with weight of many honors. Le Bret had been there, telling her of Cyrano's impudences.

"True," she said, "he has never taught his tongue to wait upon his interests. He makes fresh enemies, I know. But still his sword is long. He holds his foes in check."

Le Bret had shaken his head dubiously. Then he had said: "I fear for him not simply an attack, but loneliness and hunger and the cold within his dreary chamber. He is poor, madame. He has but one shabby suit of serge."

"Ah," said the duke bitterly, remembering his own stifled conscience and starved soul, "he is not to be pitied!"

"The lord marshal of France may well make little of the trifling discomforts of my friend," Le Bret answered.

"I know that I have all and he has nothing," said De Guiche, "but I'd be proud to take his hand—I envy him. When life seems most successful, though one has won success by no foul means, even then there is a vague unrest. It's not remorse; it's disillusion. Ah, the ermined mantle of the duke rustles as it moves with sound of lost hopes and vain regrets, as a woman's gown sweeps dead leaves in its folds. * * * Cyrano's happier."

"You are pensive," said Roxane, thinking it was but a passing mood of the duke's.

The duke turned toward Le Bret as Roxane walked toward a sister in the garden.

"M. Le Bret," he said, "it is true that none dares openly attack your friend. But he has many foes. It was but yesterday at the queen's card table that I heard them say, 'Cyrano may die yet—by accident.' Bid him be prudent; stay at home."

"Cyrano prudent!" said Le Bret. "Ah, well, I'll warn him."

Then Roxane's callers had gone, and she waited with more longing and wistfulness in her heart than she herself even realized in the mellow afternoon for the coming of the one who all her troubled life had been her friend and helper.

When her callers had left her alone, Roxane played with her embroidery silk and waited for the coming of her friend. Beyond the garden wall Le Bret, advancing on his way to give Cyrano the warning from the duke, was suddenly stopped by Ragueneau.

Ragueneau was white to the very lips. His eyes stuck out with horror.

"Listen, listen!" he cried breathlessly. "Your friend—our friend—Cyrano"—

"What is it? What is it?" pressed Le Bret in terror, shaking the unnerved newsbearer's arm. "Speak quick, man! Speak!"

"He came from out his house just now—a little while ago. He turned the corner—he was coming here. I saw

ROXANE IN THE CONVENT GARDEN.

him. I hurried toward him, and I saw—from out a window, a lackey throw a block of wood. Perhaps an accident"—

"But Cyrano? Oh, the cowards!"

"I ran. I saw him, sir, our friend, our poet, struck straight to the ground, bleeding from a great wound in his head!"

"Not dead? Not dead?" cried Le Bret in an agony of fear.

"Not yet. I bore him to his room—his garret."

"Does he suffer much?"

"Not at all. He is unconscious," replied Ragueneau.

"You called a doctor?"

"One came—he was charitable."

"My poor Cyrano! Roxane must not learn this too suddenly. What did the doctor say?"

"Oh, I don't know," said Ragueneau impatiently. "He spoke of fever—meningitis. But, pray you, come. He's all alone. Ah, could you see him—all his head bound up, his poor white face, unseeing eyes! Come! Should he come to himself and move upon his bed with no one near he'd die."

Ragueneau drags Le Bret away, and as the two hurry away by the colonnade leading to the chapel Roxane catches sight of them and gayly calls after them. They disappear without answering or hearing her.

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Forst. Hier ist der Tuchfabrikant Carl Rischke verhaftet worden, weil er einen mit ihm befreundeten Fabrikanten bestahl.

Potsdam. Der seit längerer Zeit von Krankheit gepeinigte Hofkantor Friesecke beging in einem Anfall von Lebensüberdruß Selbstmord.

Spandau. Wegen fortgesetzten Diebstahls an Eisenbahngütern sind auf dem Lehrter Güterbahnhof drei Bahnarbeiter, die dort seit einer Reihe von Jahren beschäftigt sind, verhaftet worden. In einem Falle haben sie Nachts einen Güterschuppen erbrochen und einen großen Posten Cigarren gestohlen.

Provinz Hannover.

Hannover. Der hiesige Agent Löwenstein ist wegen gewerbsmäßigen Wuchers zu zwei Jahren acht Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt worden. Zu seinen Opfern gehörten hauptsächlich jüngere Offiziere. In Verbindung mit dem Prozeß wurde wegen Meineids der Zeuge Georges verhaftet. Derselbe war früher Maschinendirektor am Hoftheater in Stuttgart und ein Günstling König Karls des Ersten.

Osnabrück. Zwei Knaben legten zwischen hier und Eversheide auf das Bahngeleise schwere Steine, um den Zug zur Entgleisung zu bringen. Sie wurden ergriffen und der Polizei übergeben. — Für die Regierungsbezirke Aurich und Osnabrück wird eine Handwerkerkammer mit dem Sitz in Osnabrück errichtet werden.

Provinz Hessen-Nassau.

Kassel. In Wickenrode hat ein 20jähriger Bursche, der schon einmal seinen Vater, den Schneider Brencher, mit einem Messer gestochen hatte und deshalb mit Gefängniß bestraft worden war, seinen Vater mit einer Axt erschlagen. Der Mörder ist flüchtig.

Frankfurt. Der Händler Gustav Ringsdorf, der 1895 trotz seines Leugnens wegen Raubes zu sieben Jahren Zuchthaus verurtheilt worden, wovon er anderthalb Jahre bereits abgebüßt hat, wurde vom hiesigen Schwurgerichte als schuldlos freigelassen, nachdem sich ergeben hatte, daß die Hauptbelastungszeugin hochgradig hysterisch und deshalb unglaubwürdig sei.

Hersfeld. Auf dem hiesigen Bahnhofe stieß eine Rangirmaschine mit einem beladenen Kohlenwagen zusammen. Der Wagen wurde zertrümmert, der Kutscher getödtet, die Pferde leicht verletzt.

Provinz Pommern.

Schlawe. Der bei den Telephonanlagen beschäftigte Schlossergeselle Jüttner, Sohn eines hiesigen Gastwirths, fiel auf der Strecke zwischen Köslin und Manow von einer Lowrie, auf welcher er stand, dadurch herunter, daß die erste Lowrie plötzlich aussetzte. Der bedauernswerthe Mann fiel so unglücklich zwischen die Schienen, daß der ganze, voll beladene Arbeitszug über ihn wegfuhr und er mit gebrochenem Kreuze liegen blieb.

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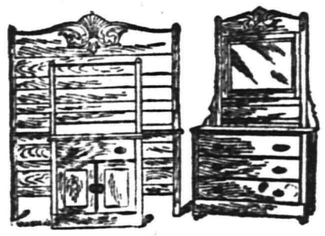

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Leave New York foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

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5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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5 26 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 10 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

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8 31 p. m.—For Easton.

9 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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PRIESTLY VOCATIONS

FATHER YORKE ON THE CHURCH'S RECRUITING SOURCE.

Solution of Priest Supply Depends on the People—Need of Giving Children to the Sanctuary's Service. Dioceses Must Supply Their Clergy.

The priests of the church are taken from the people to serve the people. God does not send his angels from heaven to be ministers of the gospel. He takes men and sends them to preach, to offer sacrifice and to forgive sin. His priesthood is not a caste. It is not confined to one family or to a single race. It is the priesthood of Melchisedec, who was without father or mother. The church knows not family or condition. She asks merely for virtue and good will.

The priests of the church are not to be strangers in the household of the faith. They must be the children of the household. The man who stands at the altar must be taken from the people that worship round the altar. "For every high priest taken from among men is ordained for men in the things that belong to God that he may offer up gifts and sacrifices for sins, who can have compassion on them that are ignorant and that err because he himself also is compassed with infirmity."

This spirit of sympathy between the priest and the people, of which the apostle speaks, is ordinarily the result of human influences, race, education, family and social ties. Therefore the church recruits her ministers from the locality in which they are to serve. Her diocesan clergy come from the diocese, and in the normal condition of the church the diocese is every considerable town and the surrounding country. The diocesan clergy belong to the diocese and are not permitted to move freely from diocese to diocese. Some of the modern religious orders follow a different procedure, but even they have their provinces and districts within which their subjects are confined.

Hence in the mind of the church each diocese must supply its own clergy. If a diocese does not supply its own clergy, something is wrong somewhere. Of course I speak of dioceses that are settled. Where a country is filling up with immigrants the immigration must do its share in supplying the clergy. The newcomers have a right to priests of their own flesh and blood.

But when a diocese is settled and the increase of the population is the natural increase of the excess of births over deaths, the diocese itself must supply the priests. Ultimately the solution of the priest supply depends on the people. If the people will not give their children to the service of the sanctuary, there can be no priests. The question, therefore, is, Can the people be got to do their duty in this matter?

God is bound to have his own way. If he has not his way in this world, it is owing to neglect or perversity. It is his way to take his priests from the people. If he does not get them, the reason is either that the people don't know he wants them or they are not willing to give what he asks. The last reason may be put out of court. There is always a remnant in Israel. When Elias complained that the people had all forsaken the covenant of God and had destroyed his altars and had slain his prophets and that he alone was left, the Lord answered him, "I will leave me 7,000 men in Israel who have not bent the knee to Baal." That remnant is always sufficient to people the courts of the sanctuary. If they are few, they give generously.

Therefore, if there be a dearth of priests it arises from the fact that the people do not know their duty. In a settled Catholic land the customs of the country are an education in themselves. We are, however, dealing here with a community where all things are new. Hence there is need of frequent instruction on the duty of the people to supply priests for the altar. This duty must be impressed upon them again and again. They are willing, at least those of them who go to church, to do what is right, if they are only told.

To aid them in doing right comes the further fact that no one takes this honor to himself save he that is called even as Aaron was. God calls boys to the priesthood. This call means that God implants in their hearts a liking for the priestly state. Two things may stifle the liking—first, the parents' influence, conscious or unconscious; second, sin. Sin is the boy's own business, in families worthy of the name. In a decent home the child who sins sins of his own accord. The parents are not to be held responsible therefor. But it is otherwise with influence. The father may have other ideas for his son, the mother other dreams. They may be deaf to the angel voices and blind to the light from heaven. By keeping before the child the secular ambition of place and power and fortune they may stifle the liking for the things that are of God. In this are the parents guilty and therefore it is necessary to tell them of their duty and to warn them that they gain nothing by cheating God. God is a jealous God; if he does not get the soul he wants, he spoils it for any other use. The most pitiful thing on earth is the poor young fellow known to the Irish as a "spoiled priest."

But if the matter is brought home properly to them few will be the Catholic parents to refuse a son to God. Their faith is too deep, the reward too great. Theirs is the honor when the beloved son lifts up his hands in benediction on the people, theirs the reward when day by day the clean oblation is offered for them living, is offered for them dead.—Rev. P. C. Yorke in San Francisco Monitor.

Fame.

Their noonday never knows
What names immortal are.
'Tis night alone that shows
How star surpasseth star.
—Father Tabb.

THE GREGORIAN CHANT.

Its Influence Upon the Music of Modern Times.

The chant introduced into the service of the mass by Pope Gregory the Great in the seventh century has a quality intrinsically sacred, is full of the spirit of reverence and possesses an undefinable and mystical character. Its tones have been the foundation of the best hymns and anthems, and they have given rise to a style of music which for its simplicity and grandeur many look up to as the perfection of religious expression. It has a richness of melody that is different from anything founded upon the modern scale. Although the cloisters had developed the art of music to such an extent as to make it comprehensible and feasible and laid the foundation for its present magnificent structure, nothing seems to have been done by those in religious orders or those in the world who took up the art from them in the way of composing suitable music for the mass during the nine centuries succeeding the time of Pope Gregory.

Possibly, considering that for the purpose of the mass the institutions of Gregory could not be improved upon, workers in the art of music devoted their labors to mundane delectation. In lieu, though, of composing devotional music composers degraded the music of the church by setting the words of the liturgies to secular and popular tunes, and secular influences came to so dominate religious sentiment that in the beginning of the sixteenth century the sacred liturgy of the mass was sung to the lowest order of popular tunes. While the choir would be singing the sacred words the congregation would be humming the secular words belonging to the tunes. The council of Trent in the sixteenth century undertook the reformation of this abominable profanation of worship, and for its accomplishment the genius of Palestrina was invoked.—Donahoe's Magazine.

FATHER MATURIN.

Former Episcopalian Minister Joins the Order of the Oratory.

Information received in private letters from England is to the effect that the Rev. Father W. B. Maturin is about to enter the Order of the Oratory, a community whose houses are located in Birmingham and Brompton. The congregation of the oratory was founded by Philip S. Neri, who was afterward canonized, in the middle of the sixteenth century. In 1847 Cardinal John Henry Newman established a congregation of the order at Birmingham, and two years later another congregation was established in London by the Rev. Dr. Frederick W. Faber, which was subsequently settled at Brompton. Each community is wholly independent of the other, and neither has any substantial relation with the houses on the continent of Europe.

It was the principle of the founder of the order that there should be perfect equality among its members, even the superior taking his turn in serving the table. The members are not monks and do not renounce their private fortunes. Their functions are limited to prayer, the administration of the holy sacrament and preaching. In Cardinal Newman's time the membership was composed mostly of priests who had been in the church of England, and that complexion is largely retained up to the present. It is understood that Father Maturin will unite with the community at Brompton.—Catholic Standard and Times.

The Office of Papal Sacristan.

In the September number of St. Peter's the Very Rev. Prior O'Gorman, O. S. A., in a well illustrated article on the Austin friars, gives some interesting particulars in regard to the office of papal sacristan.

"An office which is always held by an Austin friar, who is invariably a bishop, is that of papal sacristan. The duties of this office consist in looking after the treasures contained in the Vatican sacristy, and more especially the sacred relics. Under the right reverend the sacristan are two or three assistant priests, also members of our order, who provide for the spiritual wants of the members of the pope's household as well as for all those living within the precincts of the Vatican, who never number less than some thousands of souls. Another duty of the papal sacristan is to administer the sacrament of extreme unction to the dying pontiff. Thus, when Pius IX was on the point of death he was anointed by Mgr. Marinelli, who then held the office of sacristan. The present holder of this position, Mgr. Pifferi, is the spiritual guide and adviser of the reigning pontiff, Leo XIII.

Life of Priests In Texas.

Referring to the hard life led by many priests in Texas, The Southern Messenger speaks of one parish in visiting which the missioner must travel 1,392 miles by railroad and 444 miles overland by stage. The district was formerly called No Man's Land, and comprises 69 counties. The number of churches in the mission is very small, but mass is offered in 25 private houses many miles apart. This largest parish in the United States—certainly there can be none larger—is in the diocese of Dallas, the area of which is 118,000 square miles.

The Pope's Memory.

The other day the French prelate had an audience with the pope, during which Leo XIII referred to the sensational stories that are being told about him. "People are saying and writing," he remarked, with a smile, "that I am weak; that I have frequent fainting fits; that I have actually lost my memory. Now listen!" And he recited a whole page of the "Æneid." "How many of them will be able to do that when they are 88?" he asked, with a smile of triumph as he finished.—Boston Herald.

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

There is every prospect that the football game on Martine Field tomorrow morning will be well worth witnessing. The local boys are rapidly putting on the finishing touches for the game, and will meet at the Westervelt avenue grounds this evening for final practice. It is probable that there will be several changes in the lineup from that of the election day game, and that the team will be strengthened. The San Remo's are coming here with the expectation of winning again, and with that object in view will bring a particularly strong team. The Plainfield players will contest every inch of the ground, however, and a stubborn and well-fought game will be the result.

BASKET BALL.

The regular Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will go to Brooklyn tonight and play the Eastern District Branch of that city. The game is bound to be a hot one, as the Eastern District team is the second strongest team in the metropolitan district, and last season was only defeated by the Twenty-third Street branch, who won the league championship. There are two more formidable teams that the Plainfield boys must meet—the Knickerbocker team and the "Rubber Five," of Greenpoint, Brooklyn. There is no doubt but what one of these three teams will win the championship this season.

There is one way in which the "Rubber Five" of the Greenpoint Y. M. C. A. has a great advantage over the local players. Twice a week they are given their gymnasium for two hours' practice which naturally keeps them in fine form. The local team, on the contrary, has had little or no time to practice except just before the games. The fault does not lie with the local players, however, as it is Physical Director Heywood's belief that it would be depriving the members of their just rights to reserve the gymnasium for the special use of the basket ball team except at the time of games.

Those who witnessed the game in Brooklyn Friday night, when the Greenpoint Y. M. C. A. boys defeated the basket ball team of the local Y. M. C.A., were more than pleased at the remarkably clean game played by both sides. There was no rough work but a quick active game that showed how basket ball can be played without any of the rough features that made the last game in this city so objectionable. While the score was 33 to 14, it must be remembered that the Greenpoint team is one of the strongest in all Brooklyn, and that it played in its own gymnasium. Considering those facts, the showing made by the Plainfield team was not at all bad. It is to be hoped that the Greenpoint boys will come to Plainfield and give the local enthusiasts as clean an exhibition as was played Friday night.

ROD AND GUN.

Wm. Sandford, John Haberle, of the borough, and Mr. Pier, of this city, have returned from a hunting trip. They captured about ten rabbits and several woodcock.

WHIST

This evening there will be a whist match between the Park Club and the Elizabeth Chess and Whist Club. The game will be played in this city.

GOLF.

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FOOTBALL TOMORROW.

GAME WILL BE PLAYED ON MARTINE FIELD IN THE MORNING.

How the Team Will Line up to Meet the San Remo Boys—It Will be the Last Appearance of Several of the Plainfield Boys

Tomorrow morning will see the last game of the Plainfield football eleven. The game will be played on Martine Field with the San Remos of the New York Athletic Club. There are several of the Plainfield boys who have announced that this will be positively their last appearance on the gridiron. Various circumstances have led to such a decision which will probably break up the team which has now played together for so many years. As it is the last game, the boys are going into it with determination to make their last appearance a rousing one and to carry out victory as a fitting conclusion.

The team will line up somewhat differently than it did election day. At centre there will be Harry Woltmann, formerly of the Alis team, and now a prominent candidate for the centre position on the Princeton freshman eleven. Raymond A. McGee, of this city, will return from Yale to play left guard. The right guard will be Livingston, a crack player from the same institution, who will be McGee's guest over Thanksgiving. Thoma A. Cuming will play right tackle, for which position he is better than his old one of centre. Harry L. McGee will fill the other tackle. On the ends of the line there will be Edgar I. Serrell on the right and Fletcher Hallock on the left.

Louis Waring will be back at his old place at quarter, where he will be particularly valuable. If Voight, the old Westfield player, is placed at fullback, George Cathcart and Thomas U. Smith will be the two halfbacks. It is expected that one of the substitute backs from the Yale 'varsity team will be present, in which case there will be some changes behind the line.

—Bedding direct from the manufacturer to the sleeper on Somerset street, means fresh, clean and carefully made bedding at prices below competition.

—Miss Elizabeth Horne, of East Sixth street, entertained last evening the members of the whist club of which she is a member. The evening was passed very pleasantly. There were five tables.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Thanksgiving day being a legal holiday, the delivery department of public library will be closed. Reading room will be open from 2 until 6 p. m., and the art gallery from 2 until 4 p. m.

—Tomorrow morning at Trinity Reformed church union Thanksgiving service of Christian Endeavorers will be held. L. H. Biglow, Jr., will lead and the service will be held at 9:30 o'clock.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler and their daughter, Miss Emma Butler, of San Francisco, Cal., are stopping at the home of Mr. Butler's son-in law, Dr. E. W. Hedges, corner of Watchung and LaGrande avenues.

Allan Laing, of Craig place, has improved so well that on Monday last, assisted by his mother, was able to walk to the home of Borough Recorder Long on Grove street. He is gradually growing stronger every day.

Restrained the Sale.

(Special to The Daily Press.

Bound Brook, November 23.—Under a chattel mortgage given by T. Steinberg & Co., grocers, of this place, to Myer Dubinsky, of New York, the latter attempted this morning to sell the stock of the firm.

Lawyer Suydam, of this place, representing creditors whose bills will amount to $2,200, stopped the sale by producing an injunction granted by Judge Kirkpatrick, of the Supreme Court, restraining the mortgagee from selling the goods. This is the first case in this State to be tried under the new bankrupt law, and will be watched with interest.

Inspected G. A. R. Post.

The annual inspection of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., took place last evening at headquarters on East Front street. Department Commander Wm. C. Smith and staff was present, also a large delegation of veterans from other Posts from nearby towns. On account of Commander Smith being a member of Post 73, Senior Vice Commander Gibbons was in charge of the work.

The Post was inspected by Assistant Inspector Totten, of Dahlgren Post, of Elizabeth. The work of the Post was up to the highest standard, and the initiation of Harvey Smith into membership was commented upon as being a fine piece of ritualistic work.

Yukon Railway Schemes.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—The British Yukon Mining, Trading and Transportation Company will apply to the next session of the Dominion parliament for permission to change its name to the British Yukon Railway Company; also to extend its system from Fort Selkirk to Dawson, and thence to the Alaskan boundary; for power to build railway lines from Caribou Crossing or Tagish Houses to Teslin lake or river, and to Atlin, and to construct branch lines in Yukon, each not to exceed fifty miles in length. This is the company which has already completed the building of a railway from Skaguay over the White Horse Pass.

Back from the Canal.

New York, Nov. 23.—A batch of eight surveyors employed by the United States canal commission, of which Admiral Walker had charge, has returned from Greytown, Nicaragua on the Atlas liner Altai.

They were known as the Precise Level and Boring party, and were under Stephen Harris, who returned with them.

The surveyors are Patrick J. Tierney, David H. Baldwin, Oscar Jones, Louis E. Lannan, Francis R. Torrington and Rowland W. Cater.

WIT AND HUMOR.

A rich but ignorant lady, who was rather ambitious in her conversational style, in speaking of a friend said.—"He is a paragram of politeness."

"Excuse me, said a wag sitting next to her, "but don't you mean a parallelogram?"

"Of course, I do!" immediately replied the lady. "How could I have made such a mistake?"

"Do you court an investigation?" inquired the interviewer.

"Well," said Senator Sorghum, slowly, "I don't exactly like the phrase. I'm willing to meet an investigation if circumstances make it necessary. But I ain't makin' love to it."—Washington Star.

Hogan—"Oi wonder who will be th' last man on earth?"

Grogan—"Oi dunno, anny more than you. But it is to be hoped that he'll be an onndertaker, so he will know how to bury himself dacently."—Indianapolis Journal.

Visitor (to sexton digging grave in churchyard)—"Who's dead?" Sexton—"Old Squire Thornback." Visitor—"What complaint?" Sexton (without looking up)—"No complaint; everybody satisfied."

"This is the bill from your oculist," said the collector to Mr. Grimley.

"Just take it back and tell him that I can't read it with those glasses he sold me."—Detroit Free Press.

Special Announcement.

Having made sweeping reductions in all our ready-made

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we shall hereafter conduct that branch of our business to a strictly spot cash basis. No garment to leave the store until paid for. All goods not satisfactory can be returned and the money cheerfully refunded.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

County of Union. } SS
City of Plainfield. }

Public notice is hereby given that application by petition has been made to the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plainfield for the consent of said Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plainfield that the Plainfield Street Railway Company construct, operate and maintain a street railway upon the following streets and avenues in the said City of Plainfield: From a point in the present line of tracks of the Plainfield Street Railway Company in East Fifth street, opposite to Richmond Street; thence Westerly through Richmond Street to East Second Street; thence Northerly, through East Second Street, to the present terminus of said East Second Street between Netherwood Avenue and Leland Avenue; thence along a right of way through private property Northeasterly on a curve having a radius of four hundred and seventy-one feet and eight tenths of a foot, two hundred and one feet and seventy-four hundredths of a foot; thence North twenty-one degrees five minutes East two hundred and eighty-three feet and twenty-three hundredths of a foot; thence Easterly on a curve with a radius of one thousand and eleven feet and fifteen hundredths of a foot; thence North forty-four degrees two minutes East two thousand three hundred and four feet and twenty hundredths of a foot to the line of the City of Plainfield in Terrill Road; that said petition has been presented by the Plainfield Street Railway Company, a corporation organized under the laws of this State; that said petition was filed with the Clerk of Plainfield on the 21st day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight; that the road intended to be constructed, operated and maintained is either a single track street railway placed in the centre of said streets or highways with turnouts every thousand feet, or double tracks, one track to be placed on either side of the centre line of said streets or highways; and the motive power to be used thereon is electricity to be supplied from overhead wires, supported by poles, and the streets through which the same shall extend are as above mentioned; that the Common Council of the City of Plainfield has fixed Friday the 9th day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, at eight o'clock in the evening, as the time, and the Common Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, as the place, at which said Common Council will consider said application and will give a public hearing to all persons interested therein.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Dated November 21, 1898.

J. T. MacMURRAY,
City Clerk.

CHAS. EDW. BICKNELL,

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cotton top, all sizes, will be sold by us.

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Sun Rises 6:58 a. m.
Sun Sets 4:36 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 5:36 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Fair and continued Cold tonight, Saturday, increasing Cloudiness with Rising Temperature. Thermometer 40.

ESTABLISHED MAY 10, 1887. PLAINFIELD, N. J., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1898. TWO CENTS A COPY—$5 A YEA

G. O. P. CANDIDATES WERE NOMINATED.

Republican City Convention Held Wednesday Night.

ROCKFELLOW FOR MAYOR.

UNANIMOUSLY CHOSEN TO STAND AT HEAD OF TICKET.

William N. Runyon Nominated for City Judge by Vote of 18 to 9—Judge Newcorn Also Named—James A. Martin for Collector—Rev. Dr. Richards Defeated Dr. O. L. Jenkins.

For Mayor,
GEORGE W. ROCKFELLOW.
For City Judge,
WILLIAM N. RUNYON.
For Tax Collector,
JAMES A. MARTIN.
For School Trustee,
REV. DR. W. R. RICHARDS.

With that combination, the Republican party will enter the campaign to the coming municipal election with plenty of enthusiasm. It is a strong ticket, composed entirely of Plainfield business men, but it needs to be as the coming election promises to be the most hotly contested on record.

Wednesday night the Republicans held their city convention at which the city ticket was to be nominated. Unlike those of past years the convention saw several contests which were continued right to the very last and showed that all was not peace and quietude in the G. O. P.

The convention was held in the Republican headquarters in the old City National Bank building on East Front street. Besides the delegates, twenty-seven in all, there were several score of well-known Republicans who assembled to see what was to be done.

Some fifteen minutes late the convention was called to order by Former Assemblyman W. R. Codington, chairman of the city executive committee. Councilman E. T. Barrows then nominated Former Councilman John B. Dumont for chairman and he was unanimously chosen. Assemblyman Roger F. Murray was elected secretary.

The call was read and the chairman appointed the following convention officers: Judge, Thomas Hanna; inspector, Chas. S. Foote; clerk, Daniel Galbraith. They were sworn and then the chairman of the delegations made their report. The chairman were I. L. McVoy, of the First ward; Former Councilman S. A. Ginna, of the Second ward; Former Mayor Alexander Gilbert, of the Third ward and Former Councilman W. A. Westphal, of the Fourth ward.

The only changes in the delegates were Roger F. Murray for F. E. Marsh and E. T. Barrows for I. W. Rushmore in the Third ward delegation and Andrew McCardle for A. T. Ayres in the Fourth ward delegation. The delegations were as follows:

First ward—Thos. Hanna, Alexander D. Mallinson, Fred J. Vieweg, William J. Douglass, Isaiah L. McVoy.

Second ward—Stephen A. Ginna, Josiah Browne, Charles S. Foote, L. L. Croom, J. B. Dumont, B. VanD. Hedges.

Third ward—Alexander Gilbert, J. W. Murray, Jr., John Cose, J. Evarts Tracy, Roger F. Murray, Nathan R. Titsworth, E. T. Barrows.

Fourth ward—William A. Westphal, Andrew McCardle, Edward Mosher, James Huntington, Daniel Galbraith, James Porter, Neil Head, Richard Norwood, Charles Sheldon.

On a motion offered by J. W. Murray, Jr., the convention proceeded to the nominations. Nominations for Mayor were called by wards. Alexander Gilbert, as chairman of the Third ward delegation presented the name of George W. Rockfellow in a short speech. He called attention to the excellence of his candidate, his great popularity through the city and how he had built up a business for himself by thrift and industry. He has served one term as Mayor and his experience would make him all the more a valuable candidate. Then, too, Mr. Gilbert explained, he possessed negatively the perquisites required by the opposition in the party. He was not a New York business man, he was not a commuter and he does not ride in "club cars." The opposition, sarcastically observed Mr. Gilbert, considers that such a trinity of vices as being a New York business man, a commuter and a "club-car" man disqualify a man from holding office in Plainfield.

He went on to observe that Mr. Rockfellow possessed all the virtues demanded by the opposition, and had none of the vices they condemn.

He then told of Mr. Rockfellow's

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GIRLS PLAY BASKET BALL

JUNIOR CLASS AT HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS SENIORS.

First Public Games Between the Classes Played in Whittier School Wednesday Afternoon—Victorious Score of 6 to 4.

The girls of the Plainfield High School resumed their public exhibitions of basket ball Wednesday afternoon with a game between the teams from the Senior and Junior classes. The match was played in the gymnasium on the upper floor of the Whittier building before a number of spectators.

While the girls have been practicing now for over a month, the first match game was that of Wednesday afternoon. The rivalry between the classes of '99 and 1900 was high last year and was even greater this year. Both teams played well and at no time were the spectators sure as to the outcome. Both sides suffered from nervousness in the first part of the game but as it progressed, they forgot the audience and played their best. As a consequence there was a decided improvement. The first half ended with the score 4 to 4, with no advantage for either side.

In the second half, the Junior guards braced up and prevented their opponents from scoring at all. The Junior forwards were met with better playing, but managed to secure one goal from the field, giving them the game by a score of 6 to 4.

The two teams lined up as follows:

CLASS OF 1900.		CLASS OF 1899.
Pauline Denton	r. f.	Marjerie Sterling
Beatrice Miner	l. f.	Bessie Randolph
Emily Runyon	c.	Jessie Pruden
Ruth Maxson	r. g.	Phemie Demaraest
Alice Morgan	l. g.	Alice Conant

Referee—Walter L. Long. Umpires—Prof. H. M. Maxson and George P. Smith. Goals from the field—Miner (3), Sterling, Randolph. Goals from fouls—None.

THE TWILIGHT BALL.

A Merry Gathering of Masqueraders Thanksgiving Eve.

Nearly one thousand people assembled in the Crescent Rink Wednesday evening to participate in or witness the fourth masquerade ball of the Twilight Social Club.

There was a great variety of costumes, many of which were very handsome. There were plenty with masks to dance, while the sides of the hall were lined with watchers. In the grand march the judges decided that Miss Nellie Parkinson had the most handsome costume.

At midnight there was a grand cakewalk. The couples all did so well that they required another trial before they could decide. The first prize was given to Miss Fitzgerald, of Perth Amboy, and Michael Higgins, of this city. Honorable mention was also given to Miss DeNise and Harry Milligan, and Miss Tunison and J. T. Young.

The judges were F. S. Jones, Clarence E. Teel, J. Blimm, W. W. St. John, Frank Whiteside and Nathan R. Titsworth.

Most of the masks were removed at midnight, but the dancing was continued until 5 o'clock Thursday morning. F. S. Moore acted as floor manager. The committee in charge consisted of F. S. Moore, E. C. Searing and Theo. Smith.

The music was well rendered by Rogers' full orchestra. The next dance of the Twilights will be held in the Crescent Rink on Easter Monday night.

ATTACHMENT QUASHED.

Max Wiertz Proved That He was Not an Absconding Debtor.

Early this week the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company got out an attachment, through Codington & Swackamer, against the goods belonging to Max Wiertz, the West Sixth street caterer. Mr. Wiertz sought to quash the writ Wednesday night in Justice Nash's court, by proving that he was not an absconding debtor, and that he had lived continuously in this city for seven years, and was even a resident at the time the attachment was made. Mr. Wiertz was represented by Craig A. Marsh, who turned the case over to W. S. Angleman, and Mr. Angleman through the defendant's testimony and that of the defendant's neighbors and friends, succeeded in showing to the satisfaction of the Court that he was not an absconding debtor, and the attachment was quashed.

Woman Suffrage Meeting.

The eighth annual meeting of the New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association will be held at Camden Tuesday, Nov. 29th. There will be three services and interesting speakers will make addresses. The Camden and Moorestown leagues will entertain visiting delegates and their friends, and the occasion will be one of more than common interest. Mrs. S. R. Krom, State treasurer, and Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, State president, will go from Plainfield to the meeting.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

A WHITE THANKSGIVING

SNOW AND RAIN MADE THE DAY UNPLEASANT OUT OF DOORS.

The Big Storm Was Delayed a Day and So Brought Snow for Thanksgiving—Two Inches of Snow Fell.

If the good folk of Plainfield were not particularly thankful to greet the first snow storm of the year on Thanksgiving Day, it certainly brought out the comforts and joys of home in contrast to the bleakness out doors. The storm has swept over the western states leaving snow and cold weather in its track. The weather bureau men said that it was to reach here Wednesday but there was something in the road and the storm dragged over a day.

Thanksgiving Day dawned wet and drear. It rained, misted and was otherwise uncomfortable outdoors in the morning. Then the rain began to fall heavily. Half an hour changed it to stinging sleet and hail, and later the snow began to fall and continued to do so until sundown. Two inches of the feathery flakes fell and were distributed rather unevenly by the bitter north wind that appeared as the storm prepared to depart.

It was soft and damp when it fell and the carriages and pedestrians soon converted it into muddy slush that hardened as the mercury fell below freezing at nightfall. Few sidewalks had been cleaned, and the slush froze giving the stones a rough coating of ice that caused the pedestrians this morning to perform all kinds of antics in their efforts to retain their equilibrium.

Where the people did not go, the snow made a beautiful mantle of white that covered the ground and sparkled in the morning sunlight. The snow stopped falling at sundown while the cold increased. At 9 o'clock, the clouds broke away and the moon came out. The wind blew and the night was cold. This morning at 7 o'clock the thermometer registered 26 degrees above zero. It was the first time for many years that such a heavy snowfall has been reported in Plainfield so early in the season.

A GOLF DANCE.

Informal Affair Given at the Park Club Last Night.

A novel dance was held in the Park Club hast night, in which the guests were all supposed to appear in golf costume. It was called a golf dance, and was intended to be very informal.

The ladies who received were Mrs. Edward Douglass, Mrs. Charles A. Reed, Mrs. William L. Saunders and Mrs. Samuel McCutchen. There were a few complete golf suits to be seen, crimson coats and bright ties, one or two in business suits, but the majority of the men were in conventional evening dress. The ladies wore white duck skirts and white waists, trimmed with red ribbons. The colors of the golf club, red and white, were shown in this way. The men, too, displayed their colors either in their dress or else in the shape of a ribbon on the coats. Musicians from Newark furnished the music.

WEDDING IN COLORED SOCIETY.

Joseph Barrett and Cora Ada Wood United in Holy Wedlock.

Rev. James E. Groves, of the Mt. Zion A. E. church, officiated at a wedding last night, and united in matrimony Joseph Barrett and Miss Cora Ada Wood. The wedding took place at the home of David Martin, 305 Arlington avenue, and was attended by about 50 guests.

The bride wore a white satin gown, and carried a bunch of white flowers. The bridesmaid was Miss Lemma Coles, and she was dressed in a white dotted swiss, and carried a bunch of yellow chrysanthemums. William Burton was best man. After the wedding a reception was held, and then the couple took possession of their new apartments at 305 Arlington avenue, where they will reside.

GOOD CHEER FOR THE POOR.

Organized Aid Association Sent Out Sixty-nine Dinners.

The Organized Aid Association spread Thanksgiving cheer among the unfortunate and needy in the city and borough yesterday by distributing 69 Thanksgiving dinners, fifteen of which went to the inmates of the City Industrial Home. Others were sent to poor families in the city and borough who were unable to enjoy from their own resources the usual articles that go to make up a Thanksgiving dinner.

The dinners were delivered Wednesday afternoon through the generosity of A. L. Dunavan, who annually donates his team and services for this purpose. Each dinner consisted of poultry, celery, cranberries, sugar, tea, coffee, potatoes, onions and fruit.

—Press want ads bring results.

NOT ALL HARMONY WITH THE CITIZENS.

Former Councilman Spangenberg Bolts the Convention.

WANTED TO NAME JUDGE.

FRED C. LOUNSBURY FINALLY NOMINATED FOR MAYOR.

Mr. Spangenberg Wanted to Force the Selection of Isaac P. Runyon for City Judge—Led to Exciting Argument—W. S. Angleman for Judge, and A. T. Gallup for Tax Collector.

For Mayor,
F. C. LOUNSBURY.
For City Judge,
WINFIELD S. ANGLEMAN.
For Tax Collector,
ARTHUR T. GALLUP.
For School Trustee,
CHARLES BURNETT.

This is a portion of the Citizens' ticket that was nominated at a meeting of citizens last Wednesday evening in Justice Moffett's office on North avenue. It was a meeting of Citizens, that is those present comprised the "committee of forty," selected from the four wards in the city.

The meeting was of the "star chamber" order and was very exclusive. Only members of the committee were admitted to the room, and as far as possible all business was transacted with the utmost secrecy. It was nearly 9 o'clock when W. T. Banks called the meeting to order. Mr.

F. C. LOUNSBURY.
Citizens' Candidate for Mayor.

Banks was chairman and Irving Brady was chosen secretary.

The first business to be considered was the selection of a man to head the ticket for Mayoralty honors. Former Councilman Leonard Spangenberg and School Commissioner F. C. Lounsbury were the two possibilities. The former stated at the outset that he would accept the nomination, provided Lawyer Isaac Runyon would be nominated for City Judge. No other alternative would he accept.

This proviso was not pleasantly received, and Mr. Spangenberg in a flurry of excitement withdrew from the meeting, refusing to have anything more to do with the Citizens' movement. It is also said that Mr. Runyon withdrew his support.

This action on the part of Mr. Spangenberg left only one candidate in the field, Mr. Lounsbury, and he received the nomination for Mayor.

Mr. Spangenberg received 21 votes on the first ballot for Mayor. He states that he could have had the nomination but withdrew because the committee would not pledge themselves to nominate Isaac Runyon for City Judge.

The next nomination, that of City Judge, fell to Winfield S. Angleman. There was no contest and he was unanimously chosen for the nomination.

In the contest for Tax Collector there were two aspirants, Arthur T. Gallup and George O. Stevens. It required two ballots to decide the contest and Mr. Gallup won out, he receiving the majority of votes. This nomination was made unanimous.

For School Commissioner, Charles Burnett, of the Third ward, received the unanimous vote of the "committee of forty," and he was declared the nominee.

As regard the ward nominations for Councilmen, this part of the performance has not yet been completed. It is understood, however, that J. C. Blimm will be nominated in the First ward; G. W. V. Moy in the Third ward, and James Davis in the Fourth ward. The Second ward candidate has not yet been selected.

It was nearly 12 o'clock when the meeting adjourned

—H. A. Hawkins will open a five and ten cent store in the Stillman building December 1st.

ENJOYED THE DIALOGUES

PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN IN GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

Affair Held Under the Auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society—Largely Attended and Appreciated—Will be Repeated.

A fine entertainment was given last evening in Grace M. E. church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, and despite the inclement weather the church was well filled with an interested audience. Below will be found the programme and the names of those who took part:

Piano solo, Miss May Conroy; dialogue, Misses Addie Carney, Carrie Pangborn, Nellie Valiant, Mary Hoagland, Ada VanHorn, Willie Higgins; recitation, Miss Bessie Taft; pantomine, "Two's Company, Three's None," Eva Higgins, John Carney and Willie Higgins; recitation, Misses Jennie DeMott, Grace Woolston; dialogue, "The Force of Imagination," Misses Mabel Farley, Bessie Farley, Mabel Stevens, Belle DeMott; pantomine, "Aunt Betsey," Misses Mary Woolston, Eva Higgins, Willie Higgins and John Carney; doll's drill, Helen Ross, Mabel Winans, Bessie Taft, Ethel Most, Carrie VanArsdale, Emma Kyno, Edna Sebring, Marion Maier, Grace Woolston, Margaret Darby; tableau, "When the Cat's Away," Alice DeMott, Marion Maier, Madeline Uhrhahn, Russell Conroy, Roy Vanderbeek; tableau, "The Queen of a Night," Eva Higgins, Ethel Most, Mabel Garey, May Fairchild, Edna Sebring, Carrie VanArsdale, Marion Pierson, Mary Woolston, Lizzie Titus, Anna Hoagland, Edith Taft, Edith Maier, David Fairchield; dialogue, "The Threatened Visit, Misses May Conroy, Clara VanFleet, Lizzie Hagland; ribbon drill, Misse Addie Carney, Flossie Conroy, Mary Woolston, Eva Titus, May Fairchild, Nellie Valiant, Belle DeMott, Sadie Winkler, Winnie Carroll, Ida Watterson, Eva Doeringer, Mabel Stevens.

The committee in charge consists of Mrs. Winckler, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Most, J. H. Carney and Miss Lunger. The entertainment was such a success that it will be repeated next week Thursday evening.

BURGLARS FOILED.

Broke Open Blinds to Lister's Store But Did Not Enter.

An attempt was made to enter the store of C. C. Lister & Brother on North avenue last evening between 6 and 7:30 o'clock. The blinds to the window in the back of the store were forced back at the bottom, the hinges and bolt broken and easy access gained to the window. No attempt was made to open the window. Either the would-be burglars were frightened away or else they did not dare enter the lighted store. Two panes of glass in the windows to the little shop in the rear were broken but apparently no other attempt was made to gain entrance there.

Mr. Lister left the store shortly before 6 o'clock, leaving the gas burning. When he returned at 7:30 o'clock he found the blinds broken.

INNOCENT COW TO BLAME.

Trespassed on Forbidden Property and Now its Owner is Under Arrest.

Justice Mosher issued a warrant Wednesday for the arrest of James McCarthy, of Webster place, upon complaint of Mary Couglin, a neighbor, who charges him with assault and battery.

The alleged offence took place early this week, and was caused by an innocent cow that in some way trespassed on land that did not belong to its owner, which raised such a rumpus that McCarthy and Mary got into a quarrel, and Mary claims McCarthy was arrested Wednesday and will come up Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock for trial.

DIDN'T GO TO PORTO RICO.

Geo. B. Snediker Characterizes News Story as a Simple Fairy Tale.

A member of the staff of The Daily Press is in receipt of a letter from George B. Snediker, of Grove street, who is now in Philadelphia. Mr. Snediker characterizes the "fairy tale" that appeared in the News telling of his alleged experiences in Porto Rico, as entirely false and suggests that the writer thereof might do better in following in the footsteps of Laura Jeane Libbey than remaining in journalism. Mr. Snediker is now in Philadelphia in good health and doing well and has not been out of his own country at all.

Dan Shea Has Returned.

Daniel Shea was honorably discharged from the Third New Jersey Volunteers, now encamped at Athens, Ga., Tuesday and is now in Plainfield once more. After a two weeks vacation, he will resume his duties as mail carrier at the Plainfield post office.

IMPORTANT LAW POINT.

DECIDED BY JUDGE VAIL AND OF MUCH INTEREST TO MERCHANTS.

It is Held That Payment on a Book Account Within Six Years of Time of Bringing Action Does Not Remove Statutory Bar.

The case of James B. Guttridge against Benjamin Sutton was tried on appeal before Judge Vail at Elizabeth Wednesday. Pope & Runyon represented Mr. Guttridge and Codington & Swackhamer Mr. Sutton. The question for decision was whether the claim was barred by the statute of limitations which had been pleaded by the defendant. The case was originally heard by Justice Moffett, who held the claim to be out-lawed, and since the original trial there has been much controversy as to the real law of the case. On Wednesday Mr. Swackhamer, appearing for the defendant, allowed the plaintiff to put in his evidence and without putting the defendant or any of his witnesses upon the stand, moved to non-suit on the ground that the claim was out-lawed and produced several authorities to prove his position. Mr. Pope replied in opposition to the motion, but the court sustained the defendant's position and granted the non-suit, thereby sustaining Justice Moffett's decision. The decision is important to merchants as it was held that a mere payment on a book account within six years of the time of bringing the action does not remove the statutory bar.

ENDEAVORERS THANKFUL.

Union Service Held in Trinity Reformed Church Yesterday.

A union Christian Endeavor Thanksgiving service was held at Trinity Reformed church yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock, and despite the disagreeable weather there was a large attendance, and nearly every society in the Plainfield Union was represented. The leader of the meeting was L. H. Biglow, Jr., president of the First Baptist church society, and Mrs. E. E. Anthony presided at the piano.

Mr. Biglow made a few helpful remarks from the text, "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits to me?" Psalms 116:12. The meeting was then thrown open and those present took part. The leader kept a memorandum of those who spoke from the various societies. There were several fervent prayers offered, and altogether the service was one of great interest and help.

SAENGERBUND CONCERT.

Programme of Music Rendered by the German Singing Section.

The Saengerbund and Swedish section of the Saengerbund and Turn Verein Society gave their first grand concert Wednesday evening in Saengerbund Hall on Somerset street. An elaborate programme of music was rendered by the members of the German singing society and the Swedish singing society, and there was a recitation by Gottlob Strobel.

The entertainment closed with a comical farce entitled "The Establishment of a German Singing Society in Kamerun, Africa." Those who took part in this were Charles Dresslt, Geo. Weida, W. Gartner, P. Postler and W. Claassen. Dancing ended the entertainment. Prof. O'Reilly furnished the music.

A SUBSCRIPTION DANCE.

Society People Gathered at the Casino Wednesday Night.

A very successful and largely attended subscription dance was given at the Casino last Wednesday evening under the patronage of Mrs. Fred H. Andrews, Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, Mrs. Ellis W. Hedges, Mrs. Samuel Huntington, Mrs. William L. Saunders, Mrs. Sylvanus L. Schoonmaker, Mrs. George W. VanBoskerck, Mrs. Orville T. Waring.

The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, and everything passed off in a pleasing manner to the committee in charge, consisting of Dr. F. C. Ard, Clifford W. Cooley, Francis A. Cokefair, Clifford McGee, Orville G. Waring and Edward T. Wilson.

Endeavor Anniversary.

At the tenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, to be held tonight, Rev. Dr. Brett will be one of the speakers. It has been decided to have all the old presidents seated on the platform with the speakers, and probably each one will have a few remarks to make. After the exercices are over, a sociable will be held in the parlors above the main auditorium.

Lawyers to Meet.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Plainfield Bar in the office of H. C. Runyon this afternoon at 4 o'clock to take suitable action in reference to the death of the late City Judge DeMeza.

THANKSGIVING PRAISE FROM LOCAL PULPITS.

Union Services Held in Two Churches Yesterday.

INSPIRING WORDS HEARD.

SERMONS PREACHED BY DR. YERKES AND DR. RICHARDS.

Both Clergymen Referred to the Great Victories and Blessings the Nation Has Experienced During the Last Year, But We Should Not Forget He Who Led Us to Our Present Proud Place.

Those who braved the storm yesterday morning to attend Thanksgiving services in Trinity Reformed church were well repaid for their efforts, for they had the pleasure of listening to a powerful and interesting discourse by Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church.

There was not a large attendance of people, although the main part of the church was well filled. Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph. D., pastor of the church, opened the devotional exercises by reading the Scripture lesson. This was followed with prayer by Rev. Dr. W. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First M. E. church During the offertory a beautiful anthem was rendered by Miss Minnie Williams, Miss Etta Krymer, Horace Martin and A. J. Moore.

Dr. Yerkes' discourse had to do with recent events in National affairs. He spoke of the very many things that Americans have reason to be thankful for. He dwelt at length upon the recent war with Spain, and how victorious the American arms were. He spoke of National prosperity, of how marvelously the Lord had preserved this Nation and so signally blessed the people. He also spoke regarding the friendly feeling existing between great Britain and this country, and of the great possibilities in the future. The doctor said that he felt proud of the fact that he was a free born American citizen, and that he was thankful that he was not born in Russia, Turkey or Spain. In conclusion he mentioned the increased responsibilities cast upon this Nation through the addition of new territory, and he expressed the thought that there should be careful consideration on the part of leaders as to the right sort of administration in this new territory.

The service closed with a prayer by Rev. G. W. Smith, of this city, and the singing of "America," by the congregation.

In spite of the stormy morning yesterday, the Thanksgiving service at the Seventh-Day Baptist church was so well attended that some of the members of the congregation had to find seats in the Sabbath-school room. Rev. W. R. Richards, D. D., preached the sermon, and Rev. A. E. Main, Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., and Rev. M. Chamberlin assisted in the service.

Dr. Richards' text was the first verse of the 115th Psalm, and he likened the United States to the kingdom of Israel. In speaking about the late war Dr. Richards said that we as a nation had much to be thankful for, and hoped we would not be puffed up with pride at our great success, and forget the hand that all the time lead us.

Dr. Richards referred to the Sunday night when rumors reached us of a great victory across the water. He said that he for one could hardly sleep that night and was delighted next morning when the news was read at every breakfast table, and later when the rumors were confirmed. The speaker said he regretted that politics and corruption had drifted into the management of the army, as it seemed it has, and men who had no real claim for their positions, except that they had earned a reward by being good politicians, were placed at the head of the affairs, and regretted that so much illness and death had prevailed in the army as a result.

Several anthems were sung by the choir during the service, Miss Jessie Utter presiding at the organ. The collection taken was a large one.

Former New Market Woman Dead.
(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 25 — The death of Mrs. Amanda Chandler, daughter of the late Judge Gershom Dunn, died at this place last Wednesday morning after a long illness from a complication of diseases. Mrs. Chandler was a former resident of New Market, where she taught school for many years in the old schoolhouse. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Dickson and Miss Clara Chandler. She was aunt to W. R. Conover, of New street, Plainfield. The interment will be in the cemetery at Samptown this afternoon.

GOOD JOB WORK.

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Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constiutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17, 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight,

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

next, (November 22d, 1898) at two o'clock p. m., to hear complaints relating to assessments.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., October 1st, 1898.

J. A. MARTIN,
Collector.

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CHARLES L. STANLEY.

THE SUNDAY LESSON.

INTERNATIONAL SERIES, WITH COMMENTARY BY DR. STEARNS.

Golden Text.—My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not.—Prov. i: 10. Nov. 27, '98.

10. "Hear, O my son, and receive my sayings, and the years of thy life shall be many." We may think of David addressing Solomon (see verse 3), but it will be more profitable for us to receive the words as from God our Father to all who are His children by faith in Christ Jesus. We may hear His words and not receive Him, but when we hear and receive, or believe, for believing is receiving (John i, 12), we thus have life (John v, 24). It will make this teaching simple if when we read of wisdom, as in verses 5, 7, etc., we think of Him who is the wisdom of God (I Cor. i, 24, 30). In Jas. i, 21, we are taught that the word must be received with meekness.

11. "I have taught thee in the way of wisdom; I have led thee in right paths." Her ways are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace (chapter iii, 17). He always leads by a right way to our city of habitation (Ps. cvii, 7). He is the Way, and He is our Peace; when He putteth forth His sheep, He goeth before, and to follow Him is to go in perfect peace, for His will is always wisest, and His way is always best, and in perfect acquiescence there is always perfect rest. Abide in His love.

12. "When thou goest, thy steps shall not be straightened, and when thou runnest thou shalt not stumble." There is no straightness with Him; His is an abundant way; abundant grace and glory; all our need supplied according to His riches (Phil. iv, 19). Philip's 200 pence would have given each of the 5,000 a little, but our Lord's way was to fill them with as much as they desired (John vi, 1-12). When His people hearken unto Him and walk in His ways, He fills and satisfies them (Ps. lxxxi, 10-16). He makes them to be satisfied with favor and full with the blessing of the Lord (Deut. xxxiii, 23). The blessing which maketh rich and to which our toil addeth nothing (Prov. x, 22, R. V.).

13. "Take fast hold of instruction, let her not go, keep her, for she is thy life." She is a tree of life—life unto thy soul (chapter iii, 18, 22). By comparing text with text we get the unity of the Scriptures, the oneness of thought, for all centers in Him who is our life (Deut. xxx, 20; Col. iii, 4). To walk in His way and keep His commandments is life and righteousness (Deut. v, 33; vi, 25), but He is the end of the law for righteousness to everyone that believeth; so it is summed up in receiving and walking in Him (Rom. x, 4; Col. ii, 6). Having received the word with meekness, the next thing is to hold it fast, for it is a faithful word (Titus i, 9; Rev. iii, 25). When satan by his servants questions any part of the word of God, the believer should take the hint to hold that portion all the more firmly.

14. "Enter not into the path of the wicked and go not in the way of evil men." Since the devil tempted Eve in the Garden of Eden he has been ever seeking whom he may devour, and he seems to find multitudes willing to be devoured.

15. "Avoid it, pass not by it, turn from it and pass away." Be not deceived; evil communications corrupt good manners. Awake to righteousness and sin not, for some have not the knowledge of God (I Cor. xv, 33, 34). Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful (Ps. i, 1). If Eve had not stopped to look at the tree, the fruit of which she was forbidden to eat, she might not have fallen. If Achan had not looked upon the gold and the garment, he, too, might not have sinned. All that is not of God we must turn away from lest we fall into temptation. Looking unto Jesus is the only way to run our race. Beholding the glory of the Lord is the way to become like Him.

16. "For they sleep not except they had done mischief, and their sleep is taken away unless they cause some to fall." To kill and to destroy, to give torment and anxiety, is their master's business and theirs. They speak loftily, they set their mouth against the heavens, and their tongue walketh through the earth (Ps. lxxiii, 8, 9). David said concerning them, "They that seek my hurt speak mischievous things and imagine deceits all the day long" (Ps. xxxviii, 12). The Son of Man came to save, not to destroy; He gives life and life abundant and joy and peace and glory. The followers of the devil are ever taking all they can get and giving nothing real in return. The Son of God gave Himself for us and bore all the devil's hate that He might redeem us from his power.

17. "For they eat the bread of wickedness and drink the wine of violence." Contrast the bread and wine of Melchisedec in connection with the blessing of the Most High God, possessor of heaven and earth (Gen. xiv, 18, 19); also the bread and wine of the communion, representing our Lord's body given for us, and His blood shed for us that we, eating Him, might live by Him (John vi, 54, 57).

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Nov. 27—Comment by Rev. W. J. Yates, A. M.—Topic, Total Abstinence and Prohibition.

Scripture Reading.—Rom. xiv, 13-21.—"It is good neither to eat flesh nor to drink wine nor anything whereby thy brother stumbleth or is offended or is made weak."

It was Laurence Sterne who said: "I never drink. I cannot do it on equal terms with others. It costs them only one day, but me three—the first in sinning, the second in suffering and the third in repenting."

The demon of drink has two horns. One gores the individual and the other the state. To successfully prosecute the temperance warfare there must be an intelligent appreciation of this two sided fact.

Principle and pleasure both cost. The man who seeks pleasure often sacrifices principle for it. Whoever will possess principle must sometimes do so at the cost of bodily ease, fame, social advantage and financial gain, but it proves to be a good bargain. Character is above price. Principle adhered to for its own worth brings the highest pleasure possible—self approval.

There is in Philadelphia a firm of glass bottle manufacturers who have never in 75 years of business made any kind of bottle or flask for liquors either malt or distilled. Their Quaker principles have been adhered to in spite of the large financial loss which it has cost. This is but a specimen of thousands through the land who hold integrity as more valuable than gain in money. Such cases are unobtrusive and make less show than open violations of law and decency. The Lord still has a people zealous of righteousness.

No one can give the subject of intemperance sober thought without being appalled by its evils and the magnitude of the curse. The results to the individual in effects on the body and mind, the ruin of all the finer qualities of the soul, are appalling. The direct loss to the family of the drinker is incalculable. Whether the father drinks or abstains means in the family of the ordinary workingman all the difference between abject poverty and comfort. It means to community the difference between a thinking citizen of productive value and social help and a claimant of police oversight and a burden on community for support in part in reformatory, jail and prison, and the cost of a pauper burial. The effects of total abstinence and intemperance are worldwide apart.

The arguments for total abstinence are mostly old and well known, but their repetition is needed constantly. A new generation is always coming forward and must learn the rules of right living for itself and put them in personal practice. Constant teaching of the evil effects of intoxicating liquors on body, mind and morals is needed. The curse of God on him who becomes a drunkard or aids in making his brother such a one must be reiterated again and again. Leagues and all young people's societies should make the social and literary and religious side of temperance work prominent in their meetings. "An ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure" is as true in this matter as in any realm of life.

The enormous drain the drinking habit makes on the wealth and productive capacity of a country is slowly coming to be appreciated. Men are slow to recognize the cost of their indulgences until forced to do so. The direct cost of vice and crime due to drunkenness is the heaviest drain on the resources of our nation. The greater part of the cost of maintaining penal and reformatory institutions, police and criminal courts is directly chargeable to the saloon. It is an expense which returns no corresponding benefit to the individual or community. The manufacture and sale and use of intoxicating liquors are a curse from first to last and infect all who come within the scope of their influence. How shall the evil be suppressed is the burning question.

Personal liberty has been greatly emphasized during the last 100 years or more, and especially in our own land. The oppressions of the past by the rulers of the people and disregard for the rights of others have caused unwonted and sometimes undue emphasis to be placed on the individual's rights. We are bound together in society and have duties to the community and the nation as well as to self. We have neighbors and must show ourselves neighborly, or we become violators of rights. While we emphasize our own worth and power we must accord to every other one equal rights. Each one finds his highest level in the uplift of all the others. "United we stand." If divided, we fall.

There are many causes which conspire to sustain the saloon and make it difficult to obtain its banishment. The money that is in the business is enormous, the profit on the investment is large, the work is not laborious, and many find in it an easy means of making a living. This is one side of it. On the other hand, great numbers of laboring men find in the saloon a congenial clubhouse. Home is bare of comforts and often destitute of love, while the saloon is warm, pleasant with company, music and congenial conversation. Hard labor and poor food awaken an appetite for stimulants. The saloon fills a place which nothing else supplies. Its evil influence is not usually seen by either the keeper or the customer. People of drinking habits will not be likely to use any influence against it. Even if they do not frequent it they will see no harm in it and will hold to the right of a man to do as he pleases about drinking what he will and where he will.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Nov. 27—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic—"Great reforms that need our help."—John ii, 13-25. (International temperance Sunday.)

The topical reference is the story of Christ's cleansing of the temple. By the divine authority invested in Him He drove from the house of God those who were making it a den of thieves instead of a house of prayer. Besides the example of Christ in the Old Testament, we have many others to give to us the authority and the inspiration to try to do something in correcting the abuses of society, the church or the state. God has frequently, both in sacred and secular history, called out great reformers, who have vigorously denounced existing abuses and have brought order out of chaos. We are living in an age of reforms and reformers, and while we cannot hope to interest ourselves in every hobby of pretended reformers, yet there are several great and important reforms today that do demand our most earnest study, prayerful consideration and judicious action.

1. Temperance reform needs our help. A tremendous crusade is being made against the saloon and intemperance today. A political party, legions of societies, Christian churches, a religious press and many influential individual reformers are arrayed against them. The saloon is the greatest enemy of our country. It blasts thousands of lives; it ruins multitudes of homes; it is a constant lawbreaker and daily educates lawbreakers. Every time it deals out its poison, contrary to law, it not only breaks the law itself, but teaches a citizen of the country to disregard and trample under foot the law of the land. Every endeavor should be arrayed unalterably against the saloon and should be an earnest advocate of temperance reform. How these positions are to be manifested must be determined by each one for himself in accordance with his individual surroundings and opportunities.

2. Sabbath reform needs our help. The Sabbath is being constantly encroached upon. Pleasure and business are usurping the most sacred rights of God. "It is the only day I have for pleasure," says the advocate of a continental Sabbath. This is just contrary to the truth. The Sabbath is the only day that we have not got. It is the one day that God kept for Himself. The man who takes it for pleasure or unnecessary business robs God. There is need for a better observance of the Sabbath in our land. Endeavorers should stand firmly, by precept and example, in favor of a Christian, American Sabbath.

3. Social reform needs our help. There is great social unrest throughout the world today. It manifests itself in the deeds of anarchists, the enormous amount of socialistic literature and in various societies and organizations looking toward social reform. It advocates almost everything from anarchy to communism. Here is a work for Christianity. It should teach the world that the principles of Jesus alone can solve these problems. When the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man, as taught by Christ, are believed in and acted upon, all social differences will be easily adjusted.

4. Political reform needs our help. There is a clamorous cry today against debauchery in politics. Bossism and partyism are arrayed against piety and patriotism. We cannot divorce our politics from our religion. Piety and patriotism must go hand in hand. The man who will not render unto God the things that are God's cannot be depended upon to render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's. Let us do all in our power to raise the standard of American citizenship.

All these reforms can be best advanced by advancing Christ. Let us strive in the face of these great needs more earnestly to get Christ into men. Christ in the hearts and lives of men will solve all temperance, Sabbath, social and political problems.

Bible Readings.—Ex. xx, 8-11; I Kings xv, 11-14; II Kings x, 20-28; xviii, 1-5; xxiii, 1-8; Ps. xxxiii, 12; Prov. xxiii, 29-31; Isa. i, 1-18; Amos vi, 1-8; Gal. vi, 1, 2; Phil. iv, 8, 9.

The Lesson of the Cross.

It is the cross of Christ that furnishes not only the programmes of philanthropy, but as well the power necessary for humanitarian effort. The motive truths of the cross are the great dynamic forces of missions and ministries the world over. Faith in the One who loved us and gave Himself for us moves to faith in the men whom He can redeem. The exhibition of the supreme sacrifice of a Divine sufferer to produce an imitative impulse in the wondering worshipers of that Saviour. The grace of God energizing the soul pushes it out along lines of lowly and kindly service. Love to God becomes the strongest and steadiest inspiration to love for man.—New York Observer.

Sunday a Necessity.

Mr. Gladstone's daughter once stated in a letter that her father said "He did not believe he would be alive now if he had not always kept his Sundays quite apart from his ordinary, and especially his political life, not only because of the pure refreshment it has always been to him to turn to holier things on that day, but because it has enabled him to learn more on religious subjects than perhaps any other layman, and so has given him that firm and splendid ground which has ennobled and hallowed all his actions through life."

God's Promise.

God does not promise supplies in advance. If we have only bread for today and are doing our duty faithfully, we may trust Him for tomorrow for tomorrow's food, and it surely comes, for God's word fails not. As the days come, each one will bring with it its own little basket, carrying a day's supplies, but no more.—J. R. Miller, D. D.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Provinz Ostpreußen.

Bischofsberg. In der Nähe von Rothfließ entgleiste kürzlich der von Sorquitten nach Rothfließ abgehende Zug. Neun Wagen geriethen aus dem Geleise; einer von ihnen stürzte zur Hälfte die Böschung hinab und wurde sehr stark beschädigt, während Menschen nicht zu Schaden kamen. Die meisten Fahrgäste mußten auf offener Strecke bis zur Ankunft eines neu abgelassenen Zuges warten, während ein Theil von ihnen auf der Lokomotive Platz fand, weiter zu fahren.

Tilsit. Im Hofe des hiesigen Landgerichtsgebäudes wurde die Wittwe Dorothea Rudat aus Abschruten bei Weisgirren hingerichtet, die wegen Giftmordes an ihrem Stiefsohne zum Tode verurtheilt war.

Provinz Westpreußen.

Danzig. Die Herstellung einer besonderen Fernsprechleitung zur Verbindung der Hafenstädte Königsberg, Danzig, Kiel, Lübeck, Bremen und Hamburg ist für 1899 beabsichtigt.

Marienwerder. Die Scheune des Besitzers Carl Muchlinski zu Groß-Weide brannte mit allen Vorräthen vollständig nieder. Es liegt allem Anschein nach Brandstiftung vor. Muchlinski hatte Tags zuvor wegen Lohndifferenzen einen Arbeiter entlassen, und dieser wurde kurz vor Ausbruch des Feuers von mehreren Zeugen an der Scheune bemerkt. Die Verhaftung des Menschen fand sofort statt. Derselbe hat, übrigens schon wegen Brandstiftung in zwei Fällen eine Zuchthausstrafe von drei beziehungsweise acht Jahren verbüßt.

Rheinprovinz.

Aachen. In der Konkurrenz für die Ausarbeitung von Plänen für den Bau eines Bahnverwaltungsgebäudes im Anschluß an das historische Aachener Rathhaus erhielt von 24 Bewerbern den ersten Preis von 6000 Mark Friedrich Pitzer, gebürtig aus Aachen, Dozent an der technischen Hochschule in Darmstadt.

Köln. Ein Steinmetzgehilfe, der ohne Kündigung plötzlich abreisen wollte und den Lohn und seine Papiere verlangte, machte auf den Meister, der das Verlangen abschlug, einen Mordversuch. Er feuerte zwei Revolverkugeln ab und entfloh hierauf. Der Meister wurde tödtlich verletzt. Der Geselle wurde später verhaftet.

Bonn. Die Einweihungsfeier der neuen Rheinbrücke wurde auf den 17. Dezember festgesetzt.

Düsseldorf. Die Stadtverordneten nahmen einstimmig den Antrag des Oberbürgermeisters Lindemann, ihn zum 1. Juli 1899 in Ruhestand zu versetzen, an. Das Ruhegehalt wurde auf 12,000 Mark jährlich festgesetzt.

Provinz Sachsen.

Erfurt. Das im hiesigen Regierungsbezirk gelegene, etwa 1400 Einwohner zählende Dorf Großburschla ist von einer verheerenden Feuersbrunst heimgesucht worden; 30 Bauerngehöfte liegen in Asche.

Herzberg a. E. Der Direktor der chemischen Fabrik, Dr. Weiß, der wegen Unterschleife in angeblicher Höhe von 50,000 Mark verhaftet werden sollte, hat sich erschossen. Er soll die Löhne der Arbeiter um einige Pfennige pro Stunde höher gebucht haben, als thatsächlich gezahlt wurden. Auch sind in der Arbeitsliste Namen von Arbeitern geführt worden, die gar nicht in der Fabrik beschäftigt waren. Weiß hatte ein Jahresgehalt von 12,000 Mark.

Langensalza. Bei einer Haussuchung bei dem Zimmermeister Hiese in Ufhoven wurden die Leichen eines 14tägigen und eines ein Jahr alten Kindes vorgefunden. Die erste Leiche war im Kleiderschrank versteckt, die zweite im Keller vergraben. Hiese und seine Haushalterin, eine Lehrerswittwe, wurden verhaftet.

Provinz Schlesien.

Breslau. Von hier wurden alle Oesterreicher slavischer Herkunft ausgewiesen.

Oppeln. Die Handelskammer unseres Regierungsbezirks protestirte bei der Regierung gegen den Großschifffahrtsweg Berlin-Stettin, da er der oberschlesischen Industrie schade und außer Stettin und Berlin nur dem Auslande nütze.

Rauscha. Dieser Tage wurde die 22jährige Ottilie Balzer im Walde in der Nähe der Teufelsbrücke ermordet aufgefunden. Das Mädchen ist durch einen Schuß in den Hinterkopf getödtet worden. Fast an derselben Stelle, an der am 20. April 1890 ihr Vater durch Mörderhand gefallen war, lag die Leiche der Tochter.

Provinz Schleswig-Holstein.

Kiel. Die Hebung des Torpedobootes „S. 85" hat 120,000 Mark Kosten verursacht. Durch die lange Lagerung im Seewasser sind die Betriebsmaschinen und Lancierrohre unbrauchbar geworden.

Flensburg. General-Lieutenant von Frankenberg und Proschlitz, Kommandeur der 18. Division (9. Armeekorps) ist hier in Folge eines Blutsturzes gestorben.

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The General Says We Can Give American Civilization to Any People on Earth.

Chattanooga, Nov. 25.—General Joseph Wheeler, who is here attending the meeting of the Tennessee River Improvement Association, said yesterday in his address:

"No country can control the commerce of a country unless it has a voice in the government of that country. I don't think the great men of a century ago who laid down the rules for the conduct of our government would repent their recommendations if they lived to-day. In the days of Monroe, Jefferson and Madison we were not the producing nation we are to-day. We must reach the markets of the world with our products, and I believe the government will now most wisely solve the problem before it. Some people will say our country is not adapted to controlling the people who have fallen under our control.

"History shows we have managed the five civilized tribes of Indians and all others that have become dependent upon us. We are capable of extending the principles of American civilization to any people on the face of the earth. Some people say the people of the Philippines, Cuba and Porto Rico are shiftless. That is not true. They are thrifty and will become heavy purchasers of the products of America. In Manila, Porto Rico and Havana they are already alive to the need of railroads, sanitary improvements, etc. We of the South will be the greatest beneficiaries of this new trade which is to come to us."

$6,000,000 Postal Gain.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 25.—First Assistant Postmaster General Heath has completed his annual report. The general business of the department shows an increase of over six million dollars during the fiscal year.

In all departments of the service the influence of prosperous times has made itself apparent. This year there were 27,793,078 domestic money orders issued, against 25,169,059 last year, the amount carried was $191,354,121, as against $174,482,676.

There were 2,358 new money order offices established.

Mr. Heath recommends that clerks in postoffices be classified and placed upon a fixed scale of salaries similar to that of letter carriers, so as to give fair prospects of advancement and certainty of compensation.

Forming a Cuban Regimet.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 25—Captain Ord, he Judge Advocae, has a plan, which has he indorsemen of he Cuban Generals Rodriguez, Lacret and Oolazo, of forming a regiment composed entirely of Cubans, with the exception of the colonel, lieutenant colonel and one major. The plan also comprises the formation of several such regiments.

The captain has done good work here and was a resident for several years in Mexico. He speaks Spanish fluently and intends to obtain permission to see the President personally on the subject.

Owing to the difficulty of obtaining labor in Cuba the mining companies are importing labor from Spain. About four hundred Spanish laborers arrived here a few days ago, two hundred for the Spanish-American Company and two hundred for the Juragua Company. Upon the arrival of these men at Daiquiri thirty-five of them refused to land, saying that their contracts called for work at Santiago. The men are now here and they have been notified that they will be sent to jail if they cause trouble.

Judge Gordon Resgns.

Philadelphia, Nov. 25.—Judge James Gay Gorden, of the Common Pleas Court, of Pennsylvania, has resigned from the bench. The act caused a profound sensation from the fact that he was to have presided at the trial of Senator Quay, whose bitter political enemy he was. Judge Finletter succeeds to the bench and the Quay trial.

Judge Gordon is a Democrat and one of the party leaders in the State. Had he presided at the hearing, a friend of Senator Quay asserted, affidavits would have been presented declaring that Judge Gordon had arranged the prosecution and had no right to preside at the trial. All rumors were set at rest when it was announced from Harrisburg that Judge Gordon's resignation had been accepted by Governor Hastings.

When seen about the matter Judge Gordon expressed surprise that the well kept secret had leaked out, saying:—A month ago I appraised Governor Hastings of my intention to resign, and have had my written resignation in his hands nearly a fortnnight. My purpose in resigning is that I may take up again the practice of law.

Roosevelt's Slate.

Oyster Bay, Nov. 25.—Governor-elect Roosevelt passed the day quietly at his home. He has made fairly good figures with his slate and it seems to be practically decided that Major Avery D. Andrews will be Adjutant General, Dr. Alvin H. Doty will be re-appointed Health Officer of the Port. Frederick D. Kilburn will succeed himself as Bank Examiner and Charles A. Wieting will serve another term as Commissioner of Agriculture.

A Jack The Ripper.

Amsterdam, Nov 2.5—Two women were stabbed here last night under mysterious circumstances.

There bodies were horribly out and mutilated, and the work resembles the famous "Jack the Ripper" murders in the White Chapel district of London several years ago.

There have been four other cases of stabbing under similar circumstances here recently.

BLANCO TO STEP DOWN

He Would Stir Up Discord Before Leaving Cuba.

GEN. PARADO MAY SUCCEED

His Resignation Accepted and Gen. Parrado Named as His Successor- The Retiring Captain-General and His Newspaper Foster Dissension Among Cubans.

Madrid, Nov. 25.—The Official Gazette has published a decree accepting the resignation of General Blanco as captain general of Cuba.

It is announced that General Parrado, second in command under Captain General Blanco, and president of the Spanish evacuation commission in Cuba, will succeed General Blanco in the captain generalcy of the island.

Havana, Nov. 25.—It is an open secret now that General Blanco will leave for Spain in a few days. Different dates are given for his departure. The local press decided that the date would be December 10, but the press censor would not allow the papers to publish their guess. It is probable that he will depart from Havana before that date.

What is beyond doubt is, that after many requests from General Blanco, the Madrid government has accepted his resignation in order that he may leave the island before the sovereignty of Spain is completely surrendered. The question now is who will replace him until the Americans take control, and who will be the best man to keep the country peaceful under such difficult circumstances.

It is learned that the place has been offered by the Madrid government to General Gonzales Parrado, president of the Spanish evacuation commission, but he has guided the Madrid government refusing to accept it owing to private reasons.

General Parrado's declination is due to the fact that his son is held as a prisoner by the Philippine insurgents and he is eager to return to Europe in order to try to effect his release.

General Parrado enjoys the confidence and sympathy of the American commissioners, who respect him both as a diplomat and a gentleman, and it is possible that the Madrid authorities will therefore force him to accept the post as a patriotic duty under the circumstances.

Should it so happen that General Parrado is allowed to decline the post, General Jimenez Castellanos will probably be appointed.

The American commissioners are deeply interested in the appointment of General Blanco's successor.

Though only a few days more remain for Spain to exercise sovereignty in the island, it is important that the man appointed shall be congenial to the Americans in order that the last details of the evacuation may be satisfactorily arranged.

The Spanish commissioners have notified the Americans that the Spanish troops in the province of Pinar del Rio will embark at Havana; those in Matanzas at Matanzas ports, and those in Las Villas or Santa Clara at Cienfuegos.

The note adds that the evacuation of Matanzas, Trinidad and Sancti Spiritus will be completed by November 30.

On December 1 the Spanish troops will concentrate at Cienfuegos.

General Butler, one of the American commissioners, has left on the steamer Mascotte for Key West.

Two Lake Vessels Lost.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 25.—The steamers Tampa and Arthur Orr are wrecked on the north shore of Lake Superior. The two vessels represent about $450,000 with their cargoes and they lie within one mile of each other.

The Tampa, Duluth bound, with coal from Buffalo, is a complete wreck on the rocks at Beaver Bay, sixty miles east of Duluth. She went ashore about two o'clock Tuesday morning in the fearful gale and snowstorm that swept Lake Superior all of Monday and Tuesday. Her crew is safe at Beaver Bay.

She is a total loss and was insured for $100,000. Her cargo was insured for $8,000.

The Arthur Orr was wrecked at Baptism River, nine miles east of the Tampa. She went on the rocks at about the same hour the Tampa was wrecked. She is broken in two.

The Orr had a cargo of flour and copper for Buffalo and is valued at $150,000.

Six New Ocean Liners.

Glasgow, Nov. 25.—The Glasgow Herald learns that orders for the construction of six transatlantic liners have been placed with British shipbuilding firms.

The vessels are nominally to be built for the American line, but are intended for the Red Star service.

Two of the ships will be cargo boats 53 feet long, and will be built by Hawthorne, Leslie & Co., at Newcastle.

The other four will be passenger steamships 560 feet long, and much faster than the freighters. The passenger boats will be built by the Clydebank Engineering and Shipbuilding Company. All the vessels will be of the twin screw type.

Charge and Counter Charge.

Cleveland, Nov. 25.—With reference to the "round robin" from the officers of the Eighth regiment of Ohio volunteers asking for the resignation of Colonel Hard and Lieutenant Colonel Dick, Major Charles C. Weybrecht said yesterday that "No request was made for Lieutenant Colonel Dick's resignation by anybody or for Colonel Hard's by officers of the regiment.

Corea Going in for Reform.

Yokohama, Nov. 25.—Advices from Seoul say that the reform party in Corea is gaining ground and under its influence various officers have been banished.

The emperor has assured the foreign ministers of his desire to institute reforms.

BISHOP TURNER'S GLOOMY VIEW.

He Sees No Attractive Futur for the Negro in This Country.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 25.—At the African Methodist Episcopal conference, which closed here yesterday, Bishop H. M. Turner had this to say on the race question:

"I see no manhood future for the negro in this country, and the man not able to discover that fact from existing conditions, must be void of common sense.

"Our civil, political and social status is degrading, and as degradation begets degradation, the negro must go from bad to worse, ad infinitum. Neither education nor wealth can ever elevate us to the grade of respectability. I say this because we are surrounded by so many influences that militate against our manhood. The best thing the negro can do is to call a great national convention and ask the United States congress for $100,000,000 to meet the expense of starting a line of steamers between this country and Africa, thus pioneering a domain for our settlement."

Bishop Turner is the best known negro churchman in the South.

Miss Gould Feeds Soldiers.

New York, Nov. 25.—Contrary to her usual custom Miss Helen M. Gould gave a Thanksgiving dinner yesterday to the soldiers sheltered at Wody Crest.

Woody Crest is an old-fashioned mansion on the summit of a high hill and for a number of years has been used as a home for poor children, whom Miss Gould picked out of the slums of New York.

After the war with Spain ceased Miss Gould turned Woody Crest into a retreat for convalescent soldiers.

There are a score of sufferers from the Cuban climate there now, and at noon they were treated to a fine dinner, consisting of roast turkey, cranberries, potatoes, mince pie and other luxuries of the season.

A Thanksgiving dinner was also given by Miss Helen Gould to the two hundred soldiers whose names appear upon the books of the Soldiers' Comfort Association, at No. 316 East Fifteenth street.

To those who could not be accommodated and who applied for a meal a Thanksgiving basket was given instead.

The Presidents Thanksgiving.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 25.—President McKinley, after attending church in the morning, spent a quiet Thanksgiving at the White House yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Abner McKinley took dinner with the president and Mrs. McKinley, and the Thanksgiving turkey, furnished by H. Vose of Westerly, R. I., was served with proper accompaniments.

Mr. Vose sends every year the finest turkey in Rhode Island to grace the president's table at the Thanksgiving day dinner.

Miss Alice Nielson of "The Fortune Teller" Company, playing an engagement here this week, was invited to breakfast with the president and Mrs. McKinley. She sang for them Wednesday, and has been asked to sing on Sunday morning at the Metropolitan M. E. church, which is attended by the president.

The Fake Fight.

New York, Nov. 25.—Perhaps the most resounding echo of the Corbett-Sharkey fight is the well grounded report that the total receipts of the fiasco, $46,355, were divided in thirds among the fighters and the club, making each share over $15,000.

The $20,000 purse never existed, but the fighters and those connected with the club succeeded admirably in keeping this fact a secret.

This leaves no room for doubt as to the fake nature of the fight.

Such arrangements put pugilists and pugilism in a bad light and it will be a long while before the public will forget Tuesday night's swindle.

Earl of Strafford Here.

New York, Nov. 25.—The Earl of Strafford, who is said to be engaged to the widow of Samuel J. Colgate, arrived Wednesday on the White Star steamship Teutonic.

The earl is a widower and owns fifteen hundred acres in England. He refused to deny or confirm the report of his engagement.

Other passengers on the Teutonic were Gilbert Colgate, Mrs. W. Earl Dodge, E. M. Padelford and Lord Stratheona, the Canadian Pacific Railroad millionaire.

Erteu by Sharks.

Shields, Eng., Nov. 25.—News of the wreck of the Norwegian bark Safir has been received through the survivors who were landed here yesterday.

They tell a frightful tale of disaster and suffering.

The Safir capsized in the mid-Atlantic. Her crew of fifteen clung to the keel for some time, when the great sea washed them away.

While struggling to regain the boat five men were eaten by sharks. Others became exhausted and drowned.

Only five of the fifteen were alive when rescue came.

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Washington, Nov. 25. The navy department has been notified that the battleship Wisconsin will be launched at the yards of the Union Iron Works, San Francisco, on Saturday, November 26.

She will be the third of the three sister armorclads, of which the Alabama and the Illinois are the others, to take the water.

Her builders are the same who built the Oregon and who have the contract for the construction of the Ohio.

Volunteer Engineers Return.

New York, Nov. 25.—The First regiment volunteer engineers were fortunate enough to return yesterday from Porto Rico, and accordingly had their Thanksgiving dinner on American soil.

They were the guests of Lafayette Post, G. A. R., and in the evening enjoyed an elaborate Thanksgiving dinner at the armory of the National Society of the New England Women.

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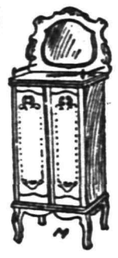
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COMING EVENTS.

November 27—R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, will again address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.
November 28—Harry Steele Morrison, the boy traveler and writer. Y. M. C. A. Hall, 8 p. m.

The Nominations.

The Repulicans and Citizens' have completed their nominations for the administrative offices of the city government, and it now remains with the voters to determine which is the most worthy, in the view of what they will probably accomplish if elevated to official positions.

The Republicans have changed their usual practice in making nominations by naming a man for Mayor whose business interests are centered in the city, and in this way they hope to secure victory that perhaps another commuter-Mayor nominee might not bring at this time. The views of a large number of influential Republicans were clearly presented by former Mayor Gilbert in his speech nominating Mr. Rockfellow, though at times Mr. Gilbert waxed more sarcastic than good politics would warrant under the circumstances. But leaving aside the feeling of the commuter element, who evidently believe that their efforts to serve the city have been poorly appreciated by the "home" element, the party now appears as having gratified the prevailing sentiment and no doubt think that they have ample claims for enthusiastic support.

The Citizens' have put forward a candidate for Mayor who represents what they assert is in no sense a partisan movement, but one designed to inaugurate reforms which the Republicans have made necessary by their party administration, and which are essentail to the welfare of the city. The Citizens' complaints are, so to speak, too numerous to mention. It is on the promise to grapple forcibly and honestly with the municipal problems that they ask for support.

Reed's Grip is Strong.

The Trenton correspondent of the Philadelphia Record, one of the most astute of the legislative observers, regards Senator Reed's candidacy for the Presidency of the Senate as quite formidable. The Record says:

The Senators-elect and the holdovers who were present listened patiently to Senator Ketcham, but refused to pledge themselves. Ketcham, however, closed the day's work with the declaration that he had good reason for believing that he would land when the time came for casting the vote.

The consensus of opinion among the leaders and the members of the "third House," who usually keep a pretty sharp eye on the drifting straw, is that Charles A. Reed, of Somerset county, will get the coveted office. This is Senator Reed's last year. He is a lawyer of ability, has the friendship of the "powers that be," and while the canvass he is making is quiet, it is strong and will probably land him in the president's chair.

Nothing would be more gratifying to Plainfield—city and borough—than to see Senator Reed elevated to the position from which Mr. Voorhees stepped into the highest office of the State. Mr. Reed's legislative experience, his ability as a lawyer and his courteous and suave personal manner would make him a popular presiding officer of the upper house of the Legislature. The Senator would be austere enough to lend dignity to the position, but withal that there is plenty of humor in him to keep the Senate in a pleasant frame of mind.

The City Judgeship.

According to the city charter the vacancy on the City Court bench, made by the death of the late George W. DeMeza, must be filled by special appointment of the Common Council within thirty days from the time the vacancy existed. If desired, a special meeting of the Common Council could be called for that purpose in three days, but as the regular Council meeting is Monday, December 5th, the appointment will not be made till that date. In the meantime Mayor Fisk will officiate in the City Court.

The Council will appoint a City Judge to act until the next relularly-elected Judge takes his oath of office, which will be the first of January.

We do not know whether or not Former Judge Nelson Runyon is willing to accept the appointment to serve for the one month, but we suggest his name to the Council as a man who would occupy the position with dignity and credit to the city. Mr. Runyon was one of the best City Judges Plainfield has ever had.

FORBIDDEN PORTRAIT OF CAPT. DREYFUS.

This portrait of Captain Dreyfus was made by the French authorities immediately after his degradation by the military authorities. Its circulation is forbidden in France, but a copy was recently secured by Black and White of London, and through that publication it is given to the world.

New Jersey to Honor Dead Heroes.

Within a month there is to be erected by the State of New Jersey at Andersonville, Ga., a monument in memory of the New Jersey soldiers buried there. The monument of Quincy granite, twenty three feet high, will stand on two bases ten feet in height of a conglomerate blue stone quarried near Boonton. On the granite capital surmounting the upper part of the monument will be a carved figure of a soldier at "parade rest." On the highly polished die of the monument will be the following inscription in sunken letters:

"Go, stranger, to New Jersey. Tell her that we lie here in fulfilment of her mandate and our pledge to maintain the proud name of our State unsullied, and place it high on the scroll of honor among the States of this great nation."

The manner in which the leaders of the Citizens' movement treat the newspapers, and especially when they ejected the reporters from the nominating conference Wednesday night, is decidedly ungenerous, as well as impolitic. Without the publicity given to the Citizens' movement by the newspapers it would not amount to a row of beans. If the newspapers were as narrow and as exclusive as the Citizens' leaders seem to be in this matter, the movement would be totally ignored in the current of news. But the newspapers are not constituted thusly.

Commissioner N. B. Scott, of the Internal Revenue Department, has made a decision which is of much importance to bankers and depositors. The decision is based upon the opinion of the Attorney-General and is to the effect that depositors of a bank drawing out their own money personally are not required to stamp their checks. This decision does not apply, of course, where the checks are negotiable, or are made payable to another partv.

Assemblyman Wood McKee, of Passaic, has announced that he will not accept the position of leader of the Assembly for which he had been slated, and some of the members urge Mr. Guenther, of Essex, to take the place. He has refused to permit his name to be considered and it is considered probable that the place will go to either Assemblyman McMurray, of Camden; Bell, of Bergen, or Squire, of Union.

Assemblyman Murray seems to be traveling all by himself in his opposition to the re-election of Speaker Watkins. But many a man with as little hope of carrying his point at the outset has won with flying colors on the homestretch. In these days of whirligig politics there is no telling what may happen.

The making of candidates has now ceased for the city election; the making of votes for the candidates is now the work in hand.

H. G. Runkle an Incorporator.

The Tacon Realty Co., of this city, was incorporated at Trenton last Wednesday with a capital of $200,000. They will do a real estate business. The incorporators are H. G. Runkle, of this city; H. P. Booth, of New York; Guylermo Dezaldo Cavanaugh, of Havana; R. A. C. Smith, of New York.

G. O. P CANDIDATES.

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connection with the committee of citizens to confer with the Council in securing a sewage system for the city. He was a regular attendant at the meetings and took a deep interest. He knows much about the system in use in Plainfield, said Mr. Gilbert, and knows that it is in successful operation today. He also knows of the serious attention given to the plan to carry the sewage to tide-water and great difficulties and enormous expense in the way. If the time ever comes, remarked Mr. Gilbert, that the candidates of the Citizens' ticket get possession of the Council, and attempt to carry through their wild schemes, they will find a man in the Mayor's chair who will know how to deal with them.

J. W. Murray, Jr., moved that the secretary cast a ballot for Mr. Rockfellow for the Mayoralty nomination and it was done.

There was a little break when it came to the nominations for Tax Collector. The First ward forgot to put up its candidate and so the Fourth ward did it for them, naming James A. Martin, who was unanimously nominated.

S. A. Ginna then presented the name of William N. Runyon for City Judge as the choice of the Second ward. W. A. Westphal, of the Fourth ward named William Newcorn. The delegates then ballotted for the candidate and William N. Runyon was nominated by a vote of 18 to 9. The nomination was made unanimous.

The First ward was again in trouble when it came to name the candidate for School Trustee. They had two men for the place and so Chairman McVoy put them both up. They were Dr. Olin L. Jenkins and Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards. The Second and Third wards seconded the nomination of Dr. Richards and the Fourth ward that of Dr. Jenkins. The balloting resulted in a victory for Dr. Richards by a vote of 16 to 11.

A short speech was made by Former Councilman W. A. Westphal, telling of the sad loss to the city and the Republican party in the sudden death of City Judge George W. DeMeza. He suggested that a committee of five be appointed to draft suitable resolutions of condolence to be sent to the family and relatives of the late Judge. Mr. Barrows seconded the idea with a few well-chosen words. Chairman Dumont appointed W. A. Westphal, chairman; James Huntington, Roger F. Murray, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges and I. L. McVoy as the committee.

A committee composed of the chairman of the meeting and the chairmen of the ward delegations was empowered to fill all vacancies on the ticket. Then the convention adjourned to talk it all over

—Alvin E. Hoagland, of West Front street, is nursing an injured finger, the result of hitting it with a hammer.

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This is our pet line. You will find there the very newest garments at the very lowest prices. NO SHODDY—everyone well made of good material.

Miscellaneous Winter Goods.

Shawls, Fascinators, Underskirts, Leggins, Overgaiters, Toques, Mittens, Wool Hose, etc.

Saturday Specials.

Men's extra heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers (50c quality)	39c garment
Men's extra heavy fleeced Shirts, very fine (75c quality)	50c garment
Men's extra heavy 2-3 wool Shirts and Drawers, gray, (75c quality)	50c garment
Men's wool Socks, black or natural, 25c quality	18c pair
45x36 Pillow Cases, 10c quality	7c each
18-inch Cotton Draper	30c piece
20-inch " "	35c piece
Children's Wool Mittens, all sizes	10c pair
Fast black Umbrellas (warranted)	25c each

Down Stairs.

All 19c Brooms	12c
All 15c Japanned Coal Hods	10c
All 5c wire Tea Strainers	2c
6-quart Granite Kettles	25c
4-quart Marion Harlane Coffee Pots, regular price $1.50, special	87c
Tin Pie Plates	2c
Child's Wheelbarrows	10c

All our $2.75, $3 and $3.48 Parlor Rockers $2.49.

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You are invited to look through our book stock. A large number of copyrighted books are selling at cut prices.

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we shall hereafter conduct that branch of our business to a strictly spot cash basis. No garment to leave the store until paid for. All goods not satisfactory can be returned and the money cheerfully refunded.

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The following standard quality goods at prices much below the ordinary. The prices quoted are for Saturday only and will not be given on any other day.

Children's heavy ribbed hose, double knee and heel, fast black and seamless, 2 pair	15c
Women's fine grade black hose, 2 pair	33c
Children's fine ribbed union suits	25c
10 yards fruit of the loom muslin	55c
10 yards Dwight Anchor muslin	55c
10 yards Atlantic A and H muslin	45c
4 yards Amoskeag gingham	17c
Nottingham lace curtains, 3 yards long, per pair	49c-70c
Best soft finished cambric, per yard	3c
Royal Borated talcum powder	8c
Chesebrough vaseline	4c
S. H. & M. velveteen binding	22c
Men's collars, Lion and Anchor brands, the up-to-date styles, 2 for	21c
All the $1.00 laundried shirts	75c
Men's heavy natural wool underwear, 2 pieces	60c
Oat Meal, Glycerine and Turkish bath soaps	3c

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 25.—Mrs. Phillip Harman spent yesterday with relatives in Somerville.

There was a good attendance yesterday morning at the union Thanksgiving service held in the Methodist church. The sermon, which was a patriotic one, was preached by Rev. Mr. Peterson, of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, and Revs. Jamison, Martine and Todd were in the pulpit and assisted.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church held a pie, bread and cake sale Wednesday afternoon in the W. C. T. U. rooms. The sale was well attended and almost everything sold. These sales are becoming a popular way of raising money for the different churches.

Mrs. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer held a reunion of their children and grandchildren yesterday, and had 32 of them, altogether, to dinner. This is something that Mr. Swackhamer does every year, and all the familiv look forward to it with a great deal of pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrace J. Ronayne have returned from their honeymoon. The couple are at present boarding with the bride's mother, Mrs. Catherine Maier, but will soon go to housekeeping in a house on Front street.

John Henry and family will soon move from Mrs. Catherine Maier's house on Front street, into Mrs. Corsell's house on North avenue.

Mrs. Emily Apgar and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Apgar's son, Charles Apgar, of Westfield.

Miss Edith Wilson, of the Trenton Normal College, spent Thanksgiving at home with her parents.

Mrs. Lytle, of Newark, has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. David Runyon.

Mrs. Elias Milliken, of West Front street, spent Tuesday with friends in Bound Brook.

Isaac Laing is reported to be very ill with consumption, and is not expected to live.

Mr. Douglass, of The Call, spent yesterday at his old home on Staten Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Issac Giddes have been visiting relatives out of town.

Mrs. William Carman, who is quite ill, is not expected to live very long.

Miss Hattie Coleman, of Newark, spent yesterday in town.

Miss H. Runyon has been confined to her home by illness.

John Henry visited friends in New Brunswick Tuesday.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 25—Rev. and Mrs. Frank Fletcher spent yesterday in Brooklyn with their son.

Those who attended the yearly meeting of the Seventh-Day Baptist church at Shiloh were C. Ryno, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunham and Mrs. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson, of Basking Ridge, spent Wednesday with Mr. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L B. Nelson.

Miss Lulu Davis returned from the Brooklyn Training Hospital to spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Nancy Jackson spent Thanksgiving Day in New York.

'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, November 25 —The commissioners of appeal of Fanwood township met at the town rooms Wednesday. There were but four complaints made, showing that Assessor Charles H. French had done his work well. The tax rate has been reduced five points since he has been Assessor.

Ever since Raphael Meister came from Newark nearly three months ago to take charge of Lynus Walpole's candy store, a number of the boys in town have tried to make life miserable for him. Wednesday he went before Judge Clark and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Willie Trayno, charging him with insulting him, using profane language and otherwise acting in a disorderly manner Sunday evening. Trayno was brought before the Judge Wednesday afternoon, and after hearing the case Trayno was adjudged guilty. The Judge after severely reprimanding the young man suspended sentence, but warned him and the rest of the boys that they must leave Meister alone or he would not be so lenient the next time.

John Schmidt and George MacCauley, who, when the call came for volunteers, enlisted in the Twenty-second, N. Y., Company I., were mustered out Wednesday and have returned to town to take up their old occupation as carpenters. The boys did not see Cuba, although they enlisted for the purpose of going to the front and were sorely dissappointed when their regiment was ordered to Fort Slocum.

On account of the storm Thanksgiving afternoon the game of football between the local eleven and a team from Brooklyn was called off. The boys have written to the Brooklyn team, trying to arrange a game for Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Acheson and family, of Hazlet, this State, were the guests Thanksgiving of Mrs. Acheson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark.

Mrs. Orman Noble has gone to Newark to spend the winter with her son, Morton Noble.

Mrs. Albert Ryno is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Rogers, at Brooklyn.

The Town Committee meet in the town rooms Saturday evening.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Westfield, November 25.—The members of the Social Club gave a reception and dance last evening which was attended by over three hundred people.

The Westfield bowling team went to Bayonne last evening and were defeated by the New Jersey Athletic Club team. The Westfield boys won one game out of three.

The Westfield Public Library will hereafter be open Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 4 until 6 o'clock and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9.

SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

South Plainfield, Nov. 25—Nathan Blackford, a well-known farmer, of South Plainfield, was quietly married last Wednesday evening to Miss Emma Weston, of Jersey City Heights, by Rev. J. H. Cubberly, at the parsonage, South Plainfield.

Dr. Main is Sick.

Daniel C. Main, of Central avenue, a student of Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, and still a member of the Government Hospital Corps, is ill in the Hahnemann Hospital, of Philadelphia, with malarial fever contracted in the late Cuban campaign at Santiago.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—This evening the annual inspection of the Woman's Relief Corps will take place.

—Rev. T. F. Chambers will lead the missionary meeting at Warren chapel this evening.

—A party will be given on Thursday evening, December 15th, at Laine's Hotel, South Plainfield.

—The tenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will be observed tonight.

—There are now two hundred books in the library at the Young Women's Club, and the members make good and profitable use of them.

—According to the usual custom Boice, Runyon & Co. presented Wednesday each one of their employes with a turkey for Thanksgiving.

—The regular meeting of the local C. E. Union will be held Tuesday night in the Y. M. C. A. Rev. J. W. Richardson, the new third vice-president of the society, will speak.

—City Steam and Hand Laundry, 19 Somerset street, aim to make their laundry so good and the service so pleasant that when a person comes once he will always come again. Give them a call.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way

Miss Butler, of California, is visiting relatives in Plainfield.

Mrs. James A. Harnard, of Craig place, is very ill at her home.

W. R. Moore, of New street, seems to be improved from a severe illness.

—Perseverance Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold a meeting this evening.

Miss May Williams, of Amboy, is visiting Plainfield friends for a few days.

Mrs. L. H. Biglow, Jr., of Madison avenue, is improved from her recent illness.

Miss Elizabeth Powelson, of East Millstone, has been visiting Plainfield friends.

Miss Helen Bushnell, of Central avenue, will give a coming-out party tonight.

Herbert Woodland, of Lambertville, spent yesterday in the borough with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Curren, of Summit avenue, spent Thanksgiving at Millstone.

Thomas E. Currin and family, of the borough, spent yesterday with friends at Millstone.

John Auten has returned from Philadelphia, where he has been visiting friends.

Miss Agnes Minford has returned from school to spend the holiday season at home.

Miss Peterson, of Vine street, who is ill with diphtheria, is doing as well as can be expected.

Charles VanMiddlesworth and wife, of Brooklyn, spent yesterday in Plainfield with relatives.

Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Somerset street, left today for Newark, where she will remain until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McNeil, of West Third street, spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smalley, of Philadelphia, spent Thanksgiving in Plainfield with relatives.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, who is ill with tyyhoid fever, is reported as slightly better.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Hedges, of Watchung avenue, are entertaining Miss Pole, from Virginia.

Mrs. Frederick Nestler, of Newark, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pope, of Somerset street.

Harry Woltmann, of West Seventh street, is home from Princeton to spend the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Nancy Lawson, of Salem, Mass., is the guest of Miss Emma Schoonmaker, of Madison avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, of Elmwood place, spent yesterday at Caldwell, Essex county, with relatives.

Mrs. P. V. Huff, of Somerville, has been visiting her husband at the hospital, where he is confined for treatment.

Frank W. Morse and family, of Garwood, were guests yesterday at the home of Joseph E. Morse, of Franklin place.

George Wiley, formerly manager of Music Hall, who has been quite ill with nervous prostration, is able to be out again.

The Misses Waring, of Park avenue, arrive home Wednesday from Europe, where they have been stopping for some time.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of Lehigh University, spent Thanksgiving Day at his home on East Second street. He left last evening to spend a few days in Brooklyn.

Miss Helen Bushnell, of Central avenue, will make her debut this evening, and tomorrow evening Mrs. W. E. Lowe, of Park avenue, will give a reception in her honor at the Casino.

Miss Charlotte Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Lowe, of Park avenue, has sent out invitations to her young friends for a dance to be given at the Casino Saturday evening November 26th.

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Park and North Aves.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD (E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a m, 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

THOS. NEWMAN, Prop.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The bids received at the last meeting of the Council for the macadamizing of certain Plainfield streets were all very low in the main, and the city will no doubt secure an advantageous contract.

—Interesting Thanksgiving services were held at St. Mary's church yesterday morning at 6:30 and 8 o'clock. The attendance was very large. Rev. Father Smyth, pastor, was in charge, and made excellent remarks.

—Flynn Brothers, 222 West Front street, shoe dealers, keep their stock fresh and up-to-date, and if you are fixing for winter you will find their store a good place to be suited. Their motto is "Many small profits, rather than a few large ones."

—The Guild of the Church of the Redeemer has issued invitations to a tea to be given in honor of the recipients' birthday, on Saturday afternoon, December 10th, from 3 until 7 o'clock, at the residence of Miss Wilson, Greenbrook road.

JEWELS OF THE GOVERNMENT.

Precious Stones in Store in the Treasury Vaults at Washington.

At Washington, in the bond vault of the treasury, is a great store of diamonds and other precious stones that belong to nobody. Most of them have been in the custody of the officials for about sixty years, but some of the gems have been there much longer, and their history rests mainly on hazy tradition.

There is a bottle four or five inches long filled with diamonds, there are various other loose stones, and there are many set in gold ornaments. The value of the whole lot is variously estimated, the computations ranging from $50,000 to $100,000.

Most of these gems were sent as a present to President Van Buren by the Imaum of Muscat in 1839. This Asian potentate conceived the idea that he had received some service from this country, and this was his way of acknowledging his obligation. President Van Buren could not accept them, for there is a clause in the constitution forbidding any person connected with the government from accepting any present or decoration from any foreign power or ruler.

But the Oriental's present could not be returned; he would look upon that as an insult. So at last the jewels were turned over to the treasury to keep till something was done about them, and nothing has ever been done.

In similar ways has the entire collection accumulated; Kings and Princes are frequently not as familiar with the constitution of the United States as they should be, and government officers of various grades have sent here gifts they have received, and found it inconvenient to return and impossible to keep.

In the bond vault they must remain till Congress "takes action" on their situation.

No Cure—No Pay.

That is the way all druggists sell Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonics. Price, 50c. For sale by R. J. Shaw. 11 30 eod 1y

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Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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HENRY—In this city, Thursday, Nov. 24th, 1898, Mrs. May J. Henry, aged 66 years, 9 months.
Funeral services at her late residence, 254 East Front St., Saturday, Nov. 26th at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Hillside.

DEMEZA—In this city on Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1898, George W. DeMeza, aged 27 years.
Funeral services at the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, November 27, at 2:30 p. m.
The body will lie in State at his late residence 430 West Second street, on Saturday, November 26, from 2 until 6 p.m., when friends wishing to see the late Judge will have an opportunity.
The casket will not be opened in the church.

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APARTMENTS to let. Apply 611 Liberty St. 11 23 2

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THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm, Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens. You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others.

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72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard
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72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

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S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair
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Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard
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Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
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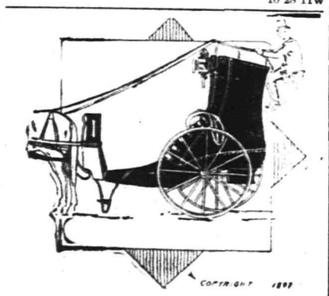

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TO YIELD BUT PROTEST

Spain's Answer Likely to Be Out Saturday'

DAY HAS NOT BEEN FIXED

Significant Remark Made by Senor Abarzuza in Paris. Expects to Stay in Paris a Fortnight Yet. A Drear Thanksgiving Day. Whitelaw Reid Entertains the Peace Commissioners.

Paris, Niv. 25.—The Spanish peace cimmissioners have fixed upon the day to submit their final answer to the American propositions.

It is deemed most likely, however, that Saturdaythat Saturday will be the day appointed and the opinion gains ground that the Spaniards will accept the proposals of the United States.

A significant indication of this view of the situation was a remark dropped by Senor Abarzuza of the Spanish commission yesterday, that they expected to remain here about a fortnight longer.

The secretary of the Spanish commission, Senor Ojeda, said that the instructions from Madrid were not sufficiently matured to enable them to appoint the next meeting.

The correspondent of the Associated Press asked Senor Abarzuza if the commissions would be able to leave Paris next week with the treaty, and he replied with a sidelong glance, as though to observe whether his questioner noted the significance of the reply:

"I suppose we shall be here for another fortnight."

"Why," the Spanish commissioner was asked, "is the opinion expressed so emphatically by a portion of the Paris press that you will decline the $20,000,000, but will sign the treaty with a protest that you did so only on account of the pressure of superior power?"

"Well, it does seem that $20,000,000 is not very satisfactory."

This was the semi-evasive manner in which the Spanish diplomat answered that question. His questioner continued:

"Then, it has been affirmed that Spain will refuse to sign the treaty, decline the money offered and make a protest to the powers, and that her commissioners will go home. Is that the most likely result?"

"Ah! But we should not anticipate. We should know day by day what happens day by day."

"And so you anticipate a fortnight more of daily development here?"

"Ah, yes. A fortnight! Perhaps some affairs may be attended to in that time."

Thanksgiving day here was cold, wet and drear. The United States peace commissioners were the guests of Mr. Whitelaw Reid at a Thanksgiving day luncheon at the hotel.

The Petit Bleu reaffirms as a certainty that the Spanish commissioners will refuse the American offer of $20,000,000 for a treaty cession of the Philippines.

Brice After the Alton.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Negotiations for the purchase of the Alton road are still hanging fire. The syndicate, it is said, is willing to pay the price that President Blackstone wants for his stock, but objects to the condition that the minority stockholders must have a chance to accept the same price.

It is now asserted that President Stillwell of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf is merely an agent for Calvin S. Brice, and that the main object is to bring about a consolidation of the Lake Erie & Western, Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw and other roads controlled by ex-Senator Brice with the Chicago & Alton and the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf.

The Lake Erie & Western would make a direct eastern outlet for the Alton.

The other Brice roads would fit in the combination and give the Alton an outlet to northern Michigan.

Mr. Brice has been seeking eastern and western connections for his system of roads in Ohio and the Alton would fill the want so far as the west is concerned.

Should a combination then be formed with the Baltimore & Ohio, as has been reported, Mr. Brice's dream would be realized and an independent system of roads created extending from Philadelphia and Baltimore to Kansas City and Omaha and to the Gulf of Mexico.

Steamer Huntcliff Anchored in Peril.

London, Nov. 25.—The British steamer Huntcliff, Captain Howell, when bound down the channel from Bremen for Mobile, lost her propeller yesterday and drifted near St. Catherin's Point, Isle of Wight, where she anchored close inshore in an extremely dangerous position.

Tugs from Cowes, Southampton and Portsmouth have gone to her assistance, but the task of saving her is rendered very difficult, by a strong southwest wind and much sea.

Blood Shed in Duel.

Budapest, Nov. 25.—A duel has been fought between the minister of the interior, Dosiderius de Perczel, and Deputy Hotto, a member of the Independent party, as an outcome of the minister's speech in Parliament on November 22, in which the deputy considered himself insulted.

The minister of the interior was seriously wounded in the forehead in the second assault.

Court-Martial for Picquart.

Paris, Nov. 25.—General Zurlinden, military governor of Paris, has signed an order for the court martial of Colonel Picquart on charges of forgery and the use of forged documents. The court will will meet on the 12th of December.

Kaiser Nearing Home.

Munich, Nov. 25.—The kaiser arrived here on his way to Berlin yesterday. He remained here only long enough to take luncheon, after which he resumed his journey.

OUR PHILIPPINE POLICY.

British Opinion Differ as to the Construction of Our Intentions.

London, Nov. 25.—The question of the future tariff arrangements in the Philippines attracts universal interest, but opinions differ diametrically as to the construction to be placed on the intentions of the United States so far as they have been indicated.

Mr. Herbert Alsquith, formerly home secretary, in a speech at Sunderland yesterday expressed pleasure at the announcement of the United States that the door would be open to her new Asiatic possessions.

He hailed the declaration as a further step on the road that the United States and Great Britain had begun to travel together. It was, he said, a further safeguard for the partnership of the two peoples.

This view was loudly applauded and was accorded a place in the papers ahead of Secretary of State Hay's statement.

The Daily News, noting that opinion is divided in the United States itself on the question, adds:

"The enthusiasm for American expansion will be considerably abated if it means a proportionate extension of the Dingley tariff."

The Times, on the other hand, says: "We have always been aware that there were difficulties in the way of the adoption by the United States of an 'open door' policy in the Philippines as that policy is usually understood in Great Britain, but we never doubted for an instant the sincerity of the United States government or its ability to devise means of substantially securing the results aimed at. The policy, as explained by Secretary of State Hay, is for all international purposes the policy of the 'open door.' Equality of treatment and the absence of differential duties are the essence of that policy which would be secured by the arrangements described by Mr. Hay just as truly as under a purely free trade system."

Berlin, Nov. 25.—Certain critics of the Anglo-American relations eagerly contend that the English hopes for an "open door" in the Philippines are destined to disappointment.

They say that while the United States will be cordially grateful to England if the latter can keep the open door on the east Asiatic continent, reciprocity in this regard is the last thing the shrewd Americans contemplate.

Home to Die Spaniards' Fate.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 25.—Advices from Spain are to the effect that the several thousand Spanish soldiers who have returned from their campaign in the Philippines and Cuba, and landed at Cadiz and Barcelona are in a most pitiful condition after terrible voyages, in which many of their number died and were buried at sea.

The soldiers complain that their quarters and the care of the sick have been most deplorable and that there has been absolutely no medicine for the sick.

Those who have landed after having been held in quarantine are for the most part physical wrecks, and if mustered out of the service will become public charges or beggars upon the streets.

As it is those who are still in the service have been suffering for the want of food and clothing, to say nothing of medicines.

In many instances the rations have been cut down two-thirds, and even then the food is almost unfit to eat. Disease has gotten among them and they are dying rapidly.

With thousands yet to return, the indications are that the conditions will grow worse instead of better. The soldiers would be inclined to revolt and create riot and trouble were it not for the fact that they are too weak from want of proper nourishment.

The government has been appealed to to aid the suffering soldiers, but for lack of funds it is practically unable to do so, and the soldiers are to a large extent dependent upon public charity.

Santiago's First Thanksgiving.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 25.—Thanksgiving Day was observed here yesterday for the first time in the three hundred years' history of the city. By a special proclamation issued by General Wood all business was suspended at the palace, and on the streets and wharves.

The employes of the municipality had a vacation, and only absolutely necessary work was done by the American troops. The day was given over to rest and enjoyment.

The American ships in the harbor observed the day by displaying their gayest flags. Many prominent Cubans followed the example of the Americans and little business was transacted by anyone.

It was a novel Thanksgiving Day for the Americans. The thermometer registered ninety-five degrees in the shade and there was no breeze stirring. Several projected baseball and football games were postponed on account of the heat.

In the evening dinners and entertainments were given by American officers and Cubans. The most important dinner was given at the governor's residence, where General and Mrs. Wood entertained a number of department officers and several American civilians.

Few of the soldiers were remembered by their friends in the United States. Turkeys were scarce, but there were plenty of wild guinea fowl and the troops fared well.

4,000 Troops Land.

Madrid, Nov. 25.—An official dispatch from Manila says that reinforcements of American troops, numbering four thousand men, have been landed in the Philippines.

Manila News from Madrid.

says that the Americans have just landed four thousand men in the archipelago and that two American warships have gone to Iloilo.

Mme. Dreyfus Cables to Her Husband.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Mme. Dreyfus, wife of the prisoner of Devil's island, has been authorized to cable to her husband.

U. OF P. 12, CORNELL 6

Twenty Thousand People Brave a Snow Storm to See the Game.

FOOTBALL IN A SEA OF MUD

The Ithacans Started at a Rapid Pace and Made the First Touchdown. The Weight of the Pennsylvania Team too Much for Corn ll. How the Game Was Played.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 24.—Football was in everybody's head to-day, although hardly in the atmosphere. Seldom has the Cornell-U. of P. annual game seemed of so much interest to the followers of both universities. Red and blue and carnelian and white were in every shop window throughout Quakertown, and the hospitality of Pennsy's home city was extended to the great crowd of Ithacan sympathizers.

Notwithstanding the distressing weather prospects the streets were crowded with pigskin enthusiasts at an early hour, and the scene was even more animated than in any previous year.

Speculators, who had counted on selling tickets for the game at a premium, met with rebuffs wherever they offered their wares for sale, as it seemed everybody had already secured a seat in the big stands and had made their preparations for the day's sport long ago.

Betting was done only spasmodically, and Pennsylvania ruled favorite at odds of 2 to 1. Cornell men were not anxious to bet on the result of the game, but quickly covered all even money offers that the cornelian and white eleven would not score.

The weather was most wretched. Rain had fallen lightly since Tuesday night, and this was augmented this morning by occasional light snow squalls.

The air was cold and most unpleasant for spectators as well as players, and in every way it was fully up to what sea captains term a "dirty day."

The gridiron at Franklin field was transformed into a veritable quagmire. Many of the purchasers were deterred by visions of pneumonia from making use of their tickets. This in some degree affected the attendance at the game.

Notwithstanding these conditions an enormous crowd witnessed the contest and the fair sex constituted their full proportion of he assemblage. Heavy wraps and mackinoshes were the order of the day.

The crowd did not begin to assemble as early as it would on a more propitious day, and it was fully half past one o'clock before the vast stands began to fill up.

The snow began falling about noon and continued without abatement until the teams came on the field. A stiff breeze blew from the north.

The teams lined up as follows:

Pennsylvania.	Positions.	Cornell
McMahon	Left end	Wilson
Reugenberg	Left tackle	Wyvell
Hare	Left guard	Reed
Overfield	Center	Dormer
McCracken	Right guard	Lueder
Carnett	Right tackle	Sweetland
Hedges	Right end	Grimshaw
Gardiner	Quarter back	G. Young
Coombs	Left half back	Whiting
Outland	Right half back	C. Young
Folwell	Full back	Perkins

Referee, W. A. McClung, Lehigh. umpire, Paul J. Dashiel, Lehigh.

Pennsylvania came on the field at 2.03 and Cornell a moment later. The wind had shifted to the west and a strong breeze blew directly toward the east goal.

Cornell won the toss and took the west goal, giving Pennsylvania the ball.

The game from start to finish was a fast one, and on the first half the Ithacans played a sharp clip which was quite surprising to the Pennsylvanians and when the first half of the game was called the score stood Cornell 6, Pennsylvania 0.

In the second half the heavy weight of the quakers proved too much for their opponents and two touchdowns were made, giving Pennsylvania the game by a score of 12 to 6.

Carlist Guns Siezed by French.

Bayonne, France, Nov. 25.—Startling confirmation of the reports of preparations for Carlist risings in Spain was afforded yesterday by the seizure of arms which were about to be smuggled across the border from France.

French guards seized near Trun a large consignment of Mauser rifles and other munitions of war destined for the Basqua provinces, as well as many copies of a carlist manifesto.

These Carlist provinces lying along the Spanish coast of the Bay of Biscay, and just over the French border, have been the backbone of all the Carlist risings, and are intensely loyal to the pretender's cause.

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The seized manifestos, printed both in Spanish and Basque, promise a full autonomous government to all the provinces of Spain and the restoration of provincial rights.

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According to trustworthy advices from Madrid the physicians of Queen Regent Cristina have decided that she is suffering from nervous strain and advised that she go to some quiet resort abroad where absolute rest can be assured.

She refuses steadfastly to heed this advice, fearing that the Carlists, taking advantage of her absence, will start the long heralded uprising.

Ultimatum to Moor.

Tangier, Nov. 25.—The Italian government has sent an ultimatum to the sultan of Morocco on the subject of the detention and ill treatment of Italian proteges.

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Leave New York foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 2 00, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30, 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, 9 30, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25, 2 25, 3 35, 3 55, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 35, 6 55, 7 25, 7 45, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25 3 55, 6 40, 7 35, 8 55, 9 55 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 00, 7 47, 8 13, 8 31, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 12, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 10 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 35, 6 15, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 40, 6 55, 7 35, 9 15, 10 15 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 00 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 03 5 35, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 16, 11 20, p. m: 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 15, 9 30 a. m; 2 06, 3 40, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 46, 8 26, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m; 12 50, 1 53, 3 06 4 30, 4 35, 5 20, 6 06, 6 06, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 9 35, 9 45, 10 45 a. m; 12 35, 1 20, 6 18, 6 27, 7 05, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 8 06 a. m.; 2 06 6 38 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m; 12 35, 4 10, 5 15, 7 11, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m; 6 30 p. m.

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5 38 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 35 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester.

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8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

8 48 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

6 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

8 20 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

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For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 16, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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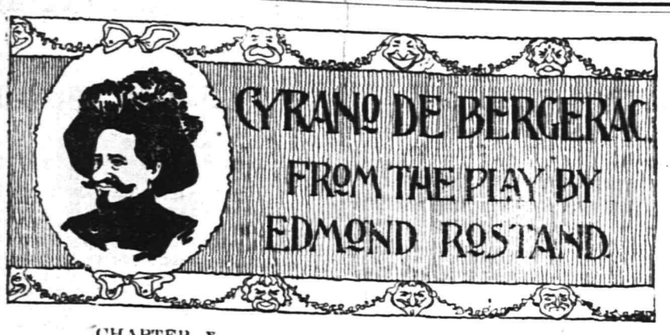

CHAPTER X.

In the garden Roxane waited for her friend. She bent over her embroidery frame and watched the sisters bring the armchair where he was wont to sit beside her.

"He's late," she said. "What can it be? My faithful 'Court Gazette' behind his time after so many years? The portress keeps him—preaching how to save his soul. Ah, yes, that must be it!"

She played with her needle, scanned the sky, mused, smiling, on his goodness to her, fumbled in her workbag for her thimble, frowned at her pattern, tapped her foot impatiently, then resolved to work and began her stitching. Still the minutes dragged by, and he did not appear.

"M. de Bergerac," at last announced a little sister, coming up behind her.

"At last," said Roxane. She did not turn or raise her eyes. Some faint coquetry even in that she called her friendship bade her play thus with him. Besides his coming was the punctual coming of the sun, and she took it with the same calm habit. She searched among her silks as she spoke to him.

"You're late! The first time in all these years."

Cyrano's face was very white. He had walked toward her stiffly, as one holds himself who fears to fall. Each step was taken with a pulling at the legs. His hat, jammed low upon his face, concealed a bandage round his head.

"I was staid," he apologized in a voice he could control with difficulty, "by a most unwelcome visitor." He spoke jokingly and with assumed playfulness, but he seemed to wrench the words out from his chest by jerks, as he had pulled himself along to where she sat.

"Some creditor?" said Roxane lightly.

"The last creditor who has a debt to collect from me!"

"Ah, fortunate man, so nearly clear of debt! And is it paid?"

"Not yet. I bade him wait. I said I had a rendezvous which nothing should defer. I told him to call again in just an hour."

"A creditor can always wait," said Roxane airily. "You shall not leave me until twilight time. But what's the matter? You have not teased Sister Martha?"

Sister Martha was walking by. Cyrano called to her. Then he rages at her with burlesqued fury for her so called preaching at him. But his teasing lacked its old ring, and suddenly he said:

"Listen, sister! I give you leave to pray for me tonight at chapel time."

"I have not waited your permission to pray for you," said she, smiling, and walked on. A light breeze causes the yellow leaves to come showering down. Cyrano watched Roxane's fingers over her embroidery.

"I'll never see it finished," he said.

"Ah! I knew that time worn jest would come," laughed Roxane. Then a silence fell between them, broken only by the swirling of the leaves.

"My 'Court Gazette' seems dull today," she ventured finally.

With a great effort Cyrano forces back his faintness. "Ah, yes, to be sure," he laughed. "Well, listen. On Saturday, the 19th, having eaten to excess of peach preserves, the king felt feverish, but the doctor, with his lancet, soon quelled the treasonable revolt. The august pulse now beats normal. At the queen's ball on Sunday thirtyscore of the very best white wax tapers were burned up. Our troops, they say, have chased the Austrians. Four sorcerers were hanged. The little dog of Mme. d'Athis took a dose"—

"M. de Bergerac!" cried Roxane, with mock sternness, "I bid you hold your tongue, sir!"

"Monday," went on Cyrano, growing whiter and whiter, "not much took place. Claire changed protectors. Tuesday the court repaired to Fontainebleau. Wednesday the Montglat said to Comte de Fiesque"—

But suddenly his eyes close; his voice breaks, and his head falls forward. He had fainted in his chair. In alarm Roxane ran toward him.

"It's nothing," he said, recovering himself. "My old wound—got at Arras—it still troubles me." He smiles with an effort.

"Ah, both of us were wounded there, and both still bear the marks of our hurt," said Roxane. "I have his letter still above my heart."

"You said that some day I should read it."

"And so you shall today. See, here it is, hung in this bag. Open it and read."

"I have your leave to read it now?" he asked, holding it tenderly with a queer smile about the corners of his ashy lips.

"I should like to hear you read it," she said softly.

The smile deepened, but it was not all a smile. It was a long regret, a memory and an adoration blent in one look. He opened it and looked on Christian's last words to his wife.

On Cyrano's face the tender light deepened. Roxane watched him with a curious eagerness. From the chapel came the full notes of the organ. The purple twilight began to gloom among the golden tinted leaves.

"Roxane, farewell!" read he in a voice that pulsed with feeling. Then he repeated it:

"Roxane, farewell! Death waits for me—
This very night he claims me, dear,
And all my soul, bowed with the weight
Of love untold, feels him draw near."

"How you read it!" cried Roxane. But Cyrano did not hear. He was reading with his heart, full of the stored love of years:

"I die. I never more shall watch
With wistful eyes the quiet grace
With which you move your hand to brush
Your little curls or touch your face."

The purple deepened into black about them. Roxane waited. Still he read on:

"I cry to you, my dear, my sweet!
Not once has my heart swerved, my own.
And I am he who now—and then—
Beyond the stars—is yours alone."

His voice rang out, triumphant, glorious. The letter rested in his hand. Roxane touched him. It had come to her like a great revelation.

"You read the letter you had never seen, and look—it is too dark to see!"

"Roxane!" he cried, with a great start.

"For 15 years you've played this part, the kind old friend who comes to

TO THE BITTER END CYRANO JESTS.

laugh and chat. Ah, blind that I was! I should have known, I should have felt your voice each time he spoke my name!"

"Roxane!" cried Cyrano again, past all other speech.

"Those words of fire and honey dew—all yours, all yours! The voice that thrilled my jasmine vine to me—yours, yours! Your soul, your soul in everything!"

"Indeed, indeed it is not so," protested he. "It was your husband."

"You loved me!" cried Roxane.

"I loved you not!"

"See how you falter!"

"No, no, my dear! I swear I never loved you."

"Your letter and your tears I've worn above my heart—the letter every word of which was yours."

"But all the blood stains his."

"Why did you keep such silence? Why?" begged Roxane.

Cyrano hesitated, and while she looked to him for answer through the gates there broke Ragueneau and Le Bret.

"Madman!" cried Le Bret. "Ah, madame, pardon me, but he has courted death by coming here."

"True!" laughed Cyrano. "I forgot. The chronicle was never finished. Here is an item—'On Saturday at dinner time the assassination of De Bergerac.' Mark you my bandages!"

He took his hat off, and for the first time Roxane saw the bandaged head. Half wild, she begged for enlightenment.

"All that I asked or hoped," said Cyrano, "was but to die a hero's death—'a point upon my lip, a point within my heart.' And see! I am struck down by a footman from the rear. Mocked even in death! There, Ragueneau! Why weep you so? Come, come! What is it you do now?"

"I trimmed the lights for Moliere's stage," sobbed Ragueneau, "but I'll do so no more; but yesterday he brought on 'Scapin'—and a whole scene was yours—the one beginning 'Que diable allait—il faire.' Ah! How they laughed!"

"That was life," said Cyrano. "To be the one who prompted them and whom they all forget. Roxane, do you recall the night when Christian talked to you beneath your balcony? Ah, well! That was the story of my whole life there. While I stood low, deep in the shadow, the others climbed to snatch the kiss of glory. 'Tis justice, and here upon my grave's dim sill I approve it. Moliere's genius, Christian's beauty."

Down the chapel alleyway the sisters, darkly seen through the afterglow, walked. The chapel bell rang.

"Sister!" cried Roxane, starting toward them.

"Nay!" pleaded Cyrano. "Do not go for any one. When you came back, I should be gone. Listen! The organ plays!"

"I love you!" cried Roxane. "Live, live for me!"

"Nay!" smiled Cyrano sadly. "In fairy tales alone do the ill starred grow beautiful when at the end the lady says, 'I love you!' I, you see, am the same up to the last!"

"I made your misery. I—I"—

"You made my happiness. I never knew the sweetness of a woman's love. My mother could not find me fair. I never had a sister. Later I feared a mistress would but mock at me. But I have had a friend. Grace to you, a woman's robe has fluttered in my life!"

"I loved but once," cried Roxane, "yet twice I must lose my love!"

The moon came up through the branches. Cyrano looked at it, but Roxane looked on him.

"Tonight" he smiled with whimsical remembrance, "I'll make my lunar trip with no projectile's aid. There they will send me for my paradise. More than one soul I have loved is there in exile. I shall find again—Galileo, Socrates— Come, come, you weep! Le Bret, you used to scold me. What? Ah, yes! Cadets of Gascony are there! Copernicus has said"—

"Oh," wailed Roxane, "I cannot bear it!"

"Mais que diable allait—il faire en cette galire?" he raved on.

"Philosopher, physician, versifier and musician. Made an aerial expedition and many famous duels fought. Lover, too—after a fashion. Here lies Hercule Savinien de Cyrano de Bergerac—a bit of everything, yet naught!"

He fell exhausted in his chair. He raised his eyes to Roxane and seemed again himself.

"Be not less faithful to his memory," he said, "but wear your weeds for two."

"I swear it."

His glazing eyes were fixed upon the trees. He started to his feet. They rushed to hold him, but he waved them back.

"It comes," he said. "I feel my feet shod with marble, my hands gloved heavily with lead. But not here, sitting—no, standing, standing to the last, let me meet him—standing and sword in hand!" The old soldier raised his weapon defiantly.

"Cyrano!" cried Roxane, half fainting. But he did not hear her. His eyes were still fixed straight ahead.

"He looks upon my nose! The impudent! What's that you say? It's useless? Ah, I know it. But no one fights for mere success. No, no! It is more beautiful because it's fruitless. Who are you, there, you thousands? I know you, every one. All my old enemies. Ah, Falsehood, there! Have at you! Have at you!"—his sword was aimed at the shadows. "And you, old Compromise? And Prejudice and Treachery! See how I strike you! Treat with you? Never! And you there, too, Folly, you? I always knew that at the end you'd throw me to the earth. What matters it? I fight, I fight, I fight you still!"

They watched him strike at his old foes, the few who loved him, seeing him moment by moment growing weaker. He stopped, breathless. Then, after a pause, he went on:

"Yes, you have snatched from me the laurel and the rose. Take all! In spite of you there is one thing, one thing, I bear, and when tonight I enter into heaven and make obeisance at the threshold, one thing without a crease—without a stain—I bear away with me in spite of you."

In the moonlight they strained their eyes to see him. They listened, holding their breath for the last word.

"And that—and that?" whispered Roxane.

He fell back into Le Bret's outstretched arms. His sword falls from his hand. But through the blue and silver of the night she saw his smile. She bent over him. She kissed his forehead. She whispered once again:

"And that?"

"And that," he answered, smiling into her eyes, "is my soldier's plume, unstained."

THE END.

Revenues of the City of London.

Limited as is the extent of the ancient city of London, its revenues are on a vast and lordly scale. An abstract account of the produce and expenditure of the city's estate—commonly called "city's cash"—for the year ending Dec. 31, 1897, showed that the receipts amounted to £1,015,257 14s. 5½d. The expenditure amounted to £1,004,048 9s. 7d. The accounts form a printed volume of 323 pages.—Household Words.

Literally Made Him Eat His Words.

"While I was at Moscow," writes a traveller, "a volume was published in favor of the liberty of the people. In this book the iniquitous conduct of the public functionaries and even of the sovereign were censured severely. The book created great indignation, and the offender was at once taken into custody. After being tried in a summary way, he was condemned to eat his own words. A seaffold was erected in a public square, the imperial provost, the magistrates and the physicians of the Czar attending; the book was separated from the binding, and the margin cut off. The author was then served, leaf by leaf, by the provost, and was obliged to swallow this unpalatable stuff on pain of the knout, more feared in Russia than death. As soon as the medical gentlemen were of the opinion that he had eaten as much as he could with safety, the transgressor was returned to prison. This punishment was renewed the following days until, after several hearty meals, every leaf of the book was actually swallowed."—Detroit Free Press.

Cattle Used for Smuggling Opium.

"Some of the shrewdest tricks ever played are by the smugglers of opium," said H. A. Fanning, of Seattle. "A very unique smuggling scheme was unearthed a few years ago by United States Secret Service officers in North Dakota. It was noticed that an unusually large number of cattle were being driven across the line to the North Dakota markets, and the Secret Service men planned an investigation. For some time their work was in vain, and they had about given up hope of discovering any unlawful operations when an accident revealed the fact that the nostrils of the cattle were stuffed with opium wrapped carefully in tin foil. In this way each steer was worth twice its normal value. Hundreds upon hundreds of animals had been driven across the border with their nostrils loaded with opium, and it was estimated that the smugglers had cleaned up a profit of $25,000 before the discovery was made. But the smugglers were sly and they escaped and were never captured."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

EDMOND ROSTAND.

The Career of the Brilliant Young Author of "Cyrano."

Edmond Rostand, the Parisian playwright, who has suddenly shed the light of his genius over the entire world, is still a young man. At the age of 31 he has stepped forward and swept D'Ennery, Scribe and Sardou aside as literary flies. Fame and fortune came to him veritably in one night, for it was his dramatization of the life of Cyrano de Bergerac which placed him at once among the foremost French dramatists. Before the production of his "Cyrano" in Paris M. Rostand was known as the author of three insignificant plays, none of them revealing the power which he was to show in his

EDMOND ROSTAND.

latest production. When M. Rostand was but 20 years of age, "Le Gant Rouge," his first play, was performed at the Theatre Cluny in Paris, but with little success. Six years later his "Les Romanesques" was acted at the Theatre Francaise. About the same time, too, Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt appeared in an overetherealized romantic drama, entitled "La Princesse Leontaine," and made very little impression on dramatic Paris. M. Rostand persevered, however, and wrote a second play for Mlle. Bernhardt, which was received with considerable favor. This was "La Samaritaine."

Then came "Cyrano." Coquelin took the title role, and after its first performance its author was given the cross of the Legion of Honor. Parisian critics said that a peer of Victor Hugo had at last been found. A quarter of a million copies of the drama were quickly snatched up by eager Parisians. The play was taken to the provinces, then to England, where its initial success was repeated. Certain English critics even affirmed that "Cyrano" was equal to the best work of Corneille, Racine and Moliere. The success of the play in America is already well known.

M. Rostand is at present in Vienna collecting material for a new drama, which is being written under contract for Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt. His profession, by the way, was never a necessity to the young playwright, as his family is both wealthy and distinguished. Not long ago he married Mlle. Rosemonde Lee, a poetess, who takes a great interest in all her husband's work, and revised for him the proofsheets of "Cyrano de Bergerac."

Sensation and Pain.

Sensation is really a mental impression or special state of consciousness, resulting from the application of an external stimulus acting under normal conditions and therefore mostly pleasurable.

Pain, on the other hand, is a physical state resulting from injury to and consequent change in the material tissues affected.

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Warmth and burning, coolness and freezing, cheerful light and an intolerable glare are a few of the many other illustrations that will suggest themselves on consideration of the subject.

The Burmese.

The Burmese will sacrifice any prospect of money making to go to a feast. These are called pives, and often the entertainment is elaborate. I remember going to one in upper Burma. There was a good deal of dancing, but neither the host nor his guests danced; that would have been undignified. The dancers were paid, and they twirled lazily or jumped excitedly as occasion required. Most of the time, however, was spent in chatter and smoking. Smoking is the only thing at which the Burmese are industrious. They start smoking at the early age of 3, and they smoke themselves into the next world. Girls smoke quite as arduously as the men, and as the cigars are very big many a pretty mouth is strained to accommodate a giant cheroot.—Pall Mall Magazine.

Night Scenes at Oxford.

Not rarely in going by night through the deserted quads one may hear the exclamation, accompanied by the rattle of a spinning ball, loudly telling that "rien ne va plus." Then may he who pauses know that in the room is going on a game of roulette, and, if he be in the mood for excitement, thither will he bend his steps, climbing up the dark stairs to the place where men are gambling. Take your seat, a cigarette, your tumbler of whisky and soda. Now, then, "Stakes, gentlemen, please." The room is hushed into silence, broken only by the ring of coins on the table, as the ball begins to spin. What is it to be, red or black?—Oxford University Isis.

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FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

The Alis second team went to Bayonne yesterday afternoon and played the Bergen Point Field Club on the N. J. A. C. grounds. The game was played in vast mud. Woltman scored a touchdown for the Alis team. The goal was kicked. Alis won 6 to 0.

Despite the mud and rain, the members of the Plainfield eleven turned out yesterday morning prepared to meet the San Remos of the New York Athletic Club in a match game. At the last moment a telegram arrived stating that the San Remos could not come. A scrub game was then played, seven men on a side. T. U. Smith made a run during the game rivalling that of Poe's famous sprint in the Yale-Princeton game. H picked up the ball on a fumble on one goal line and ran through the slush clear to the other goal.

WHIST

Last Wednesday evening the Elizabeth Chess and Whist Club team came to Plainfield and played a match with the team from the Park Club for the championship of the Central Division of the New Jersey Whist Association. The home team lost the match by three points. The visitors made nine tricks, while the Parks were only able to make six tricks. The playing throughout was close and exciting, and it was not until the last round was played that the vistors could be picked. This is the first game that the Parks have lost, and they stand a good show of being near the top at the windup. The visiting team was composed of Messrs. Roberts, Brown, Edison and Laing. The Park Club team was F. H. Freeman, Peter B. Matthews, A. E. Woltman and A. F. Freeman.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The Bound Brook bowling team will roll a game with the team from the Plainfield Catholic Club next Monday evening in this city.

There was an interesting bowling game yesterday at the Plainfield Catholic Club when the married and single members contested for the honors. The married men were captained by Thomas Cumerford, and they made a score of 1449. The single men had for their captain Mr. Moran, and their score was 1325.

THEATRICAL.

Current Dramatic Attractions That Plainfielders Can Witness.

The Burrill company played to full houses at Music Hall yesterday afternoon and evening, and gave satisfaction in their treatment of the pieces produced. Tonight the attraction is the stirling old piece, made famous by Joseph Jefferson, "Rip Van Winckle." Tomorrow night the engagement will end with "Nobody's Daughter."

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The attraction at Music Hall Tuesday night of next week will be the presentation of the famous American comedy, "The Nancy Hanks." The story of the play involves the life of a popular actor, a lively and extremely pretty actress, a worldly man, a marquis in hard luck, a new woman and several other characters.

"The Nancy Hanks" will be found by the audience not to be the famous racehorse of that name, but a gold mine that is supposed to exist only on paper, but which turns out fabulously rich. It is a comedy presenting many amusing situations, at all times humorous, merry in its conceits, rollicking in its actions, and brilliant in the art of repartee, which finds utterance in the dialogue of the play.

To Report the Convention.

At the Seventh-day Baptist church tonight, delegates to the recent yearly meeting of the New Jersey and New York city churches, held in Shiloh, of this State, will report some of the good things said and done at that meeting.

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will cut into small ones. Last season's gown, cleaned or dyed, will make up into this season's styles. Can be dyed to a fashionable shade; entirely made up or ripped apart as you prefer. If you're going to make the dress over anyway, rip it before dyeing.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY.

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—No arrests were made in the borough from Wednesday up to this morning. The order was excellent and very little trouble was noticed.

—The members of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will no doubt attend the funeral of their late brother, City Judge DeMeza, to be held next Sunday afternoon at the First Presbylerian church.

—In the case of Hand & McIntyre against Morrison, Codington & Swackhamer, counsel for the plaintiffs, moved to dismiss the appeal, which was granted, and obtained leave to take the appeal bond from the files for prosecution.

—Winter clothing! How timely and welcome is the sentence. Biting weather, with snow on the ground, means that unless you are well clothed you will suffer. Perhaps your stock of cash is limited. If so, don't worry. It don't require a fortune to be comfortably clothed in Plainfield. A little money will fix you out stylishly and comfortably at Weinberger's clothing store, next to Music Hall. Look at his new advertisement in today's Press.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. George F. Anderson, of this city, has gone to Washington.

Alonzo Ayres, of Grant avenue, who has been quite ill, is able to be about again.

Miss Olive Newell, of the State Normal School, is spending a few days at her home on East Second street.

There is no appreciable change noted today in the condition of Joseph W. Yates, of East Seventh street.

Rev. Mr. Dare, wife and boy, of Junction, spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, of 206 West Sixth street.

Letter-carrrier Charles Glaentzer and wife are receiving the congratulations of their many friends. It is a boy and was born Thanksgiving eve.

Mrs. Banta, wife of J. H. Banta, M. D. of Paterson, accompanied by her sons, John and Frank, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Meeker, of West Front street.

R. R. Fairchild and family, of Newark, spent Thanksgiving at the home of his brother, Chief Engineer George H. Fairchild, 36 Grandview avenue. The two brothers were furniture dealers for several years in Plainfield and still have many warm friends in this city.

Among those who gathered about the festive board at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. VanEmburgh, of East Second street, yesterday, Mrs. Colfax and son, of Newark; Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanEmburgh and N. W. Rappleyea, of Westfield. The latter is the father of Mrs. Fred VanEmburgh.

Adventist Meetings.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock the usual Sabbath services will be held in the Christian church on Grove street. Subject of discourse, "Things Written Aforetime." Arrangements have been made with the pastor and congregation of the Christian church whereby Elder Horton will conduct a series Bible lessons and Gospel services, beginning Sunday night. Subject Sunday night, "The Bible, Science and Alcohol." Interesting subjects will follow. All are welcome.

Prizes for Costumes.

The Prospect Social Club held a dance Wednesday night in Washington Hall. Miss Katie Kiely received a silver watch for being the best costumed girl in the room, and John Foreman, of New Brunswick, a diamond for wearing the most comical dress. The cake walk was quite a success and the cake a handsome one. It was won by Miss Cora Naylor and A. Springer. Prof. O'Reilly furnished the music.

Wants to Meet the Chairmen.

The success attending the Local Union Christian Endeavor social in July has led to another attempt of a similar nature to take place about the middle of December. Notice of time and place will be given as soon as definitely determined. To this end, Ira W. Travell, superintendent of the Local Union social department, wishes to meet the chairman of the social committee of each society in the union at his home, 815 College place, north side of City Park, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

No Star Course Entertainment.

Owing to an accident the persons who were to entertain at the Y. M. C. A. building last evening in the Star Course, were unable to appear. A large number of people gathered at the hall and there was great disappointment.

President Davis to Preach.

President B. C. Davis, of Alfred University, Alfred, N. Y., is to preach in the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow morning.

City Court Tomorrow.

All cases in the city court that were set down for today have been adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, when Mayor Fisk will hold court. He will then sentence C. V. D. Corle, N. B. Smalley and William Baldwin who were found guilty of fast driving by late Judge DeMeza. Sentence was then reserved until tomorrow.

Pythians Paid a Visit.

Last Wednesday evening the members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., of this city, filled two stages and went to New Brunswick to visit the K of P. lodge at that place.

THE FLAG THAT TRIPPED BOOTH.

Grand Army of the Republic Wants It in the National Museum.

Removal from one room in the Treasury Building to another of the flag which tripped John Wilkes Booth and caused him to fall and break his leg the night he shot Abraham Lincoln has raised the question as to the proper disposition of that famous bit of bunting. Grand Army of the Republic men want it sent to the National Museum, where it can be properly taken care of. It is one of the most interesting historic relics in the country, and should be carefully preserved. The flag happens to be in the Treasury Department because it was presented to the Treasury Light Guard along with another in 1864 by the women of the Department. This banner guard was of good use when Jubal Early was threatening the Capital, but it did not have any fighting to do.

April 12, 1865, two nights before the assassination of President Lincoln, the Treasury Guard gave an entertainment at Ford's Theatre for charitable purposes. The theatre was beautifully decorated. On the boxes occupied two nights later by President Lincoln and the White House party were the two flags mentioned. They gave the boxes such a prettty appearance that the manager of the theatre requested that the flags be allowed to remain until the night of the 14th, when the President was expected to be in attendance at a play. The request was granted, and on the arrival of the President at the theatre the fatal night he commented with pleasure on the decorations, and expressed admiration for the flag which hangs in the Treasury. In jumping from the box after the shooting the President to the stage below, one of the spurs on Booth's boot caught in the folds of the flag, causing him to lose his balance and fall, thereby breaking his leg. The rent in the flag is shown to visitors, and has been on exhibition for years.—Cor. Chicago Times-Herald.

WILLIAM'S COSTLY PRESENT.

The Emperor Displayed Great Taste in Designing.

Kaiser Wilhelm, Emperor of Germany, has started a fad in jewelry which promises to become universal. He wished to make the Empress a rich present recently, and could find nothing in stock lines of gems and manufactured jewelry to suit his fancy. So this man of ideas put his wits to work and originated a brand new design in the shape of a novel bracelet, or "arm-band," as the Germans call it.

The bracelet is one of the most costly as well as novel articles of its kind ever made. It is a jewelled miniature art gallery. The Emperor had miniature portraits painted of each of his six boys, his five-year-old daughter and himself, and, connected by wreaths of diamonds and bands of gold, these were made into a bracelet for the Empress.

All of the paintings are oval excepting that of the Emperor, which is heart shape and hangs as a pendant below the painting of little Victoria Louise, who holds the position of honor, with three brothers on each side. The pictures of August Wilhelm, Adalbert and Eitel Frederick are on the right, and those of Crown Prince Wilhelm, Oscar and Joachim on the left.

The bracelet is set with 253 of the finest diamonds that could be procured. The German jewellers and miniature painters are busy now making bracelets after this design, and the fad has extended to necklaces, especially where families are so large that to get portraits of all the children in a row would make a bracelet too long to be worn.—New York World.

Dog Can Tell Time by the Clock.

Carlo, a half spaniel, is the property of Walter W. Hunt, a newsdeader, of Auburn, N. Y., and is only two years old. His specialty is telling the time of day by the town clock.

"I want you to run up street, Carlo look at the town clock and return here again in just fifteen minutes," said Mr. Hunt the other day in the presence of several men.

Carlo trotted up street and at the expiration of just fifteen minutes had returned. He was sent out again with instructions to return in half an hour. One of the men present followed him to watch his actions. The dog went up State street to a point where he could see the clock and soon engaged in play with several other dogs. The watcher noticed that Carlo frequently glanced in the direction of the clock. Suddenly he stopped short, wagged his tail and started on a run down the street. It lacked two minutes of the appointed time and at the end of that two minutes the dog was back in the store.—New York World.

Edison Brown, formerly night operator at the telephone office, will leave Plainfield Friday for Bristol, Conn., where he has secured a lucrative position in the electrical business.

A HISTORIC ELEPHANT.

Carried the Prince of Wales Through India—Is Sixty Years Old.

There was landed at a London wharf the other day the historical elephant which had the honor of carrying the Prince of Wales during his tour in India. The animal is now over sixty years of age and is an object of interest to many zoologists, owing to the massive frontal development of its skull. It is believed to be the finest specimen of the race in captivity and has displayed some most remarkable traits of intelligence. Its enormous tusks are fully four feet in length and at the end of each a large brass ball, weighing nine pounds, has been fixed. It would appear that the same native attendant had been in charge of the elephant ever since the day on which he carried the Prince of Wales and the Governor General of India. The native Indian attendant, whose name is Thanyo, was by some mistake discharged when the animal was about to be shipped. The elephant, however, missing his old friend, refused to touch any food and was rapidly pining to death, though he did not show any active resentment against those who had charge of him. As soon as Lord George Sanger, the purchaser, was made aware of the fact, he immediately gave his agents instructions to re-employ Thanyo. From that time forth the animal regained his usual good spirits and there was no further trouble with him.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Got Out of Bed to Vote.

Judah P. Benjamin was the first Jew elected to a seat in the American Senate, and the contest was a notable one. Col. W. L. Knox was a member of the Louisiana Legislature, and when the Senatorial fight began he was lying at the point of death at a hotel in Baton Rouge. There was a tie vote in the Legislature. Col. Knox was a great admirer of Benjamin and he determined to break the tie, and send Benjamin to the Senate, even at the cost of his own life. He was placed on a cot, carried to the House of Representatives and when his name was called he voted for Judah P. Benjamin for United States Senator. Amid great excitement and the wildest sort of applause Benjamin was declared elected, and, more dead than alive, Knox was carried to his hotel. He rallied in a few days, and in the course of time recovered his health.—Dallas News.

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A great sale in men's, boys' and childrens' heavy winter suits and winter overcoats to commence Saturday, November 26th, at 8 a. m. sharp, at 214 W. Front St., Plainfield, N. J.

Clothing manufactures are compelled to confess from the weather standpoint that October and a part of November has been a serious disappointment to them. They counted on cold weather to create a demand for the surplus stock they had made up. From two manufacturers we were able to buy a large stock of winter suits, overcoats and trousers at about 40c. on the dollar for what they could ordinarily make the goods for. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. The present cold weather brings you now at the proper time for your winter clothing at cut prices that you could otherwise not secure and for the values read them careful they are worthy of anyone's attention for we can say without contradiction, that strictly high-class, well-made and absolutely first-class suits, overcoats, ulsters and reefers for men and boys', were never sold at such prices at any other store in all the land. Men's fine brown cheviot suits at $3.50 worth $10. Men's fine business suits in blue and brown serge cheviots at $4.50 worth $12.

Men's splendid business suits made of strictly all-wool material worth $7.50 at $2.50. Men's black and blue smooth thibet cloth suits, or the rough surface serge effects, made in the popular double breasted styles with silk faced lapels worth $15.00 at $6 90 Men's black clay diagonal coats and vests made of eighteen ounce winter weight Washington Mills clay diagonal worsted, the kind that will not fade or wear shiney at $4.90 worth $12.00. Men's suits in fine all-wool tweeds, cheviots and also homespuns, absolutely fast color and all-wool worth $14 00 at $6 50. Men's fine winter overcoats made of fine gloss surface, English Kersey cloth; these coats are lined with the highest grade plaid worsteds or with silk or satin, the tailor would charge you $25.00 for such a coat, our price is $8 90. Men's extra fine Castor beaver and frieze overcoats made with raw edges and lap seams, a bargain at $15.00 now at $6.90. Men's fine all-wool overcoats made of Wanskucks Mills kersey, the smooth closely shaven kind that will stand lots of wear, worth easily $18.50 now at $5 90. Men's overcoats made in foreign and domestic coverts at $4.50 worth $10.

Men's driving ulsters, black or brown, at $2 75, worth $7. Men's genuine chinchila, strictly all wool, heavy weight, worsted lined ulsters, a "beaut," black or blue, worth $18, at $7.50. A genuine Montagnac, extra heavy, as fine as split silk, ulster good for Sunday wear, worth $25. at $8.90. Boys' ulsters at $2.50, worth double Children's ulsters from $1.50 up. Children's reefers from 75c. up Boys' 3 piece suits in black or blue at $2.75, ages from 11 to 16 years, worth $6.50.

Boy's vested suits, navy blue and fancy cheviots, ages from 3 to 8 years, worth $2.75, at $1; a wonderful bargain. Boy's double breasted suits, good quality, pure wool, tweeds, cheviots and homespuns. The pants have double seat and knees, $1.50, $1.90 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $6.

Men's working trousers, well made, heavy weight, at 85c, worth $1.50. One thousand pairs of fine dress trousers, neat stripes and checks, French waistband, at $1 25, $1.50, $2 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $7.

All wool men's half hose at 18c, worth 25c. Men's heavy underwear at 19c, worth 40c. Men's dress shirts at 35c. Linen collars at 6c, worth 15c. Best Derby hats at 95c, and one thousand other bargains to be had.

Come early and avoid the rush.

Customers from Dunellen, Lincoln, Bound Brook, Somerville and New Brunswick, by buying five dollars' worth and over of clothing will have their full fare paid.

NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.
M. WEINBERGER, Mgr.
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Opportunities.

There are always opportunities in this store for economical buying. We claim no merchandising miracle, but we claim to sell you shoes at less than New York City prices, of equal value. Every line has the practical feature of the best goods at the lowest prices. Have you seen our men's Winter tan and black shoes for $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00? We have lower priced ones and higher priced ones.

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M. C. VAN ARSDALE, 127 East Front St.

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Saturday's Special Bargains.

MEATS	Fresh Jersey Pork Loin	9c lb
	Fresh Pork Shoulders	7c lb
	Small California Hams	6c lb
	Legs of Choice Spring Lamb	12c lb
	Honeycombed Tripe	7c lb
	Pickled Pigs Feet	6c
FLOUR	Best Minnesota Patent Flour per Bbl.	$4.39
	24½ Lb. Bag	55c.
	Best Family Flour per Bbl.	$3.89
	24½ Lb. Bag	40c.
	Imported Macaroni per package	6c
	Sweet Sugar Corn per can	6c
	Good Laundry Soap, 6 cakes for	10c
	Good Catsup, new, per bottle	4c
	Good, Strong Ammonia, per bottle	4c
	Choice Boneless Codfish, per lb.	5c
CRACKERS	Fresh Ginger Snaps per lb.	4c
	Fresh Nic Nacs per lb.	4c
	Cream Marshmallow Gems, regular 14c.	11c
	Chocolate and Orange Jumble, regular 14c.	11c

FREE!

A Galvanized Coal Hod given away this week with 1 lb. of our 50c. Teas, any flavor.

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OYOLISTS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 6:59 a. m.
Sun Sets 4:36 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 5:36 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.
Rain or Snow tonight, Sunday, Rain or Snow, followed by decidedly Colder. Thermometer 30.

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WHAT MR. LOUNSBURY WILL DO IF ELECTED.

Presents Platform In Letter of Acceptance.

THE CITIZENS' CANDIDATE.

SAYS THERE IS GREAT DISSATISFACTION WITH PRESENT PARTY.

He Would Govern City In Accordance With Wishes of Majority of People—Says Franchises Should Be Granted Sparingly and With Greatest Care—Says Republicans are Hedging.

Fred C. Lounsbury, Citizens' candidate for Mayor, has written the following letter of acceptance:

Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 25, 1898.

Messrs. Geo. O. Stevens, Henry Liefke and Chas. C. Burnett, Committee.

Gentlemen—Referring to my nomination to the office of Mayor, by the General Committee of Citizens' of which you notified me yesterday morning, I beg to say that, after careful consideration of the matter, I have decided to accept the proffered honor.

In reaching this conclusion I have been influenced not only by the desire of the public meeting as expressed through your committee, but also by requests made directly to me by many of our citizens from both political parties.

There can be no doubt but that there is considerable dissatisfaction among our people in regard to municipal affairs, not only with those directly responsible for the management of same but quite as much with the "power behind the throne" which at times for the sake of party policy has brought about results contrary to the will of the people. That those in power have recognized the existence of this dissatisfaction, is evident by their recent efforts to "hedge," so far at least as outside appearances are concerned, but the satisfactory element in the present situation is that even with a different engineer and stoker, the machine will remain practically the same.

From a personal standpoint I would say that, as you are well aware, this nomination has come to me entirely unsolicited, and you have not asked, neither have I given, or will give any pledge of any kind which, should I be elected, might hinder in any way the free and unbiased administration of the duties of the office.

It is my contention not only that municipal matters should be handled in accordance with the wishes of the majority of the people but that those in charge should use every available means to satisfy themselves as to what are the actual wishes of the people, and not take their information from any certain set or coterie, no matter how influential that set may be. I am aware that there is a sentiment among certain classes that the people in general do not always know just what is best for them but I am not in sympathy with this view, which belongs to the government by aristocracy, and is contrary to the principles of the Republican form of government under which we as a people enjoy such freedom and prosperity.

The people will undoubtedly make some mistakes, and we all know that rulers do the same, but on the average the people will be found not far out of the way in their views on public matters, and especially is this true in such an enlightened community as that in which we dwell.

Public franchises of all kinds should be granted sparingly and with greatest care, and the interest of the city fully guarded, without making the conditions so onerous as to check the general improvement and growth. Stoppage of growth is stagnation and stagnation is death; we must grow or die and to induce growth must surround ourselves with the elements which make for growth.

Should the majority of the citizens of Plainfield see fit to endorse your action with their votes, it will be my aim to administer the office of Mayor to the best of my ability, in an unbiased and non-partisan spirit and on the broad platform of the greatest amount of good to the greatest number of people.

Thanking you and the general committee which you represent, for the honor you have conferred upon me, I remain. Very respectfully yours,

Fred C Lounsbury.

—This cold weather makes hot soda a much desired drink and one of the best places in the city to secure first class hot soda is at Powers' drug store. Mr. Powers has just purchased a handsome art-tile fountain and he is serving fine drinks.

CHICKENS IN COURT.

THEIR PERFORMANCES CAUSE TROUBLE BETWEEN NEIGHBORS.

Clarence Hallett and Fred Crouse, of New Market, in Justice Storm's Court—Alleged Invasion by Crouse's Chickens.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Market, November 26—A few innocent chickens caused a feud to spring between two neighbors here last summer which finally culminated yesterday in a suit before Justice Storms for damages. The two neighbors are Clarence Hallett and Fred Crouse. Crouse owns the chickens, handsome pullets, some of them are, black and white and all colors, and just like chickens in general, always ready to skip through a hole in the fence and scratch up a neighbor's garden or flower beds.

That is what these chickers are alleged to have done to Hallett's garden last summer. Hallett says the birds played havoc with his garden, dug up his turnips and radishes, picked his ripe strawberries off the vines, took dust baths under his currant bushes, and had a good time in general.

Through William Newcorn, of Plainfield, Hallett brought suit against Crouse, and the case came to trial yesterday afternoon. One of the parties demanded a jury, but the jury couldn't agree on the verdict, so at 8:30 o'clock they were discharged. They stood 9 to 3 in favor of Hallett.

FORMER PLAINFIELDER MARRIED.

Clarence Johnson Wedded to Miss Florence Moore, of Roselle, Last Evening.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Roselle, Nov. 26—The marriage of Miss Florence Moore, of this place, to Clarence Johnson, of New York, but formerly of Plainfield, took place last Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Elliott, pastor of the M. E. church, of this place. John and Alexander Johnson, brothers of the groom, stood up with the bridal party. There were present about fifty guests including relatives and friends of the groom from Plainfield. Following the wedding a reception was held and early in the evening the happy couple left to enjoy a honeymoon trip. On their return they will reside in Roselle, where the groom is building a handsome residence. The groom is now employed at 43 John street, New York, and is engaged in furnishing shipping supplies. His many friends will wish both him and his bride a long life and a successful one.

EMINENT DIVINE TO LECTURE HERE.

Rev. Dr. Gunsaulus, of Chicago, Will Talk on "Savonarola."

Rev. Dr. F. W. Gunsaulus, of Chicago, is an eminent divine whose reputation for eloquence and profundity of thought has spread from his western home to the uttermost limits of the country. Plainfield is particularly honored in his appearance here and her people will listen with unusual interest to that Italian statesman, "Savonarola," by Dr. Gunsaulus. The lecture will be given at the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church on the evening of Thursday, December 15th, for the benefit of the Whittier House, a social settlement in Jersey City. The object is a worthy one and the lecture will be particularly interesting. Tickets will be for sale at Armstrong's pharmacy.

LEGAL PROFESSION TO ASSIST.

Will Act as Pall-Bearers and Ushers at City Judge DeMeza's Funeral.

Those who are to act as pall-bearers at Judge DeMeza's funeral tomorrow afternoon at the First Presbyterian church are all lawyers of this city, Senator Charles A. Reed, ex-Judge W. R. Codington, ex-Judge W. A. Coddington, Craig A. Marsh, William M. Stillman and Councilman William N. Runyon. The ushers at the church will be Francis J. Blatz, Charles J. McNabb, Robert M. Clark and Harry C. Runyon.

Privacy for Women Witnesses.

(Special to The Daily Press)

Somerville, Nov. 26.—The Board of Freeholders will hold a meeting at the Court House Tuesday to see what changes can be made to the rooms upstairs in that building. Complaints have been made that female witnesses called by the Grand Jury, have no place to wait, where they can have any privacy. The Board will see if some alterations cannot be made.

A Hundred New Members.

Next Friday will be red letter day in the history of Miantonomo Tribe of Red Men. At the meeting last evening thirty five more applications for membership were received making 89 in all. A special dispensation will be secured allowing another meeting Thursday night when sufficient applications will be received to bring to total number up to an even hundred.

TROLLEY TO METUCHEN IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

Necessary Consents Secured For the New Road.

INDEPENDENT CONTROL.

WILL CONNECT WITH BRUNSWICK TRACTION COMPANY.

The Trolley Line Will Start On Prospect Avenue and Pass Out Through Woodland Avenue, Passing the Crescent Oval, the Hillside Golf Links and the Gentlemen's Driving Park.

Several years ago, when the extension of the trolley roads through the suburban districts was first considered and the line connecting New York and Philadelphia suggested, it was said that it would only be a question of a few years before the square formed by Plainfield, Bound Brook, New Brunswick and Metuchen was connected by trolley lines. Part of that prediction has come to pass and the gong of the trolley car can be heard on three sides of the square. The remaining side, from Plainfield to Metuchen, has for some time been considered a good territory, but no active measures have, until recently, been taken to put such a plan through. For over a month, however, there has been a quiet effort to secure the necessary consents for a trolley line between the places mentioned. That has now been practically accomplished.

The necessary capital has been interested in the scheme and all that was lacked was the permission of the Freeholders and local governing bodies to lay the tracks and the permission of the property owners to allow them to pass in front of their property. These latter have been striven for and are now secured from Plainfield to Oak Tree and for a portion of the remainder of the way to Metuchen. F. M. Bacon, of this city, has been working early and late to get the consents and his efforts have met with success.

It is generally conceded that a trolley is much needed in the very section that this company proposes to operate. The line, as proposed, will start in this city on Prospect avenue and run east to Woodland avenue. There the line will swing to the south and follow that thoroughfare out by the Crescent Oval, the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club and the track of the Plainfield Driving Association.

At Avon Park, where Woodland avenue ends, the trolley line will swing to the left and follow the road to Mount Pleasant connecting with the back road to Oak Tree and thence to that settlement. On leaving Oak Tree, the line will take the regular Oak Tree road leading past Pumptown, under the Port Reading railroad and connecting with the lines of the Brunswick Traction Company at Metuchen.

From Metuchen it is the intention of those behind this plan to extend their lines out to Iselin, thence to Woodbridge, there connecting with Boynton Beach, Rahway and so on to Elizabeth, Newark, the Oranges and finally Jersey City and the New York ferries.

No company has yet been incorporated which will control this line. The necessary capital is promised and, if there is no unexpected obstacle, the company will soon be organized. It is claimed that it is an entirely independent organization from the other trolley companies in this vicinity. They claim that there is no alliance, as yet, with the Brunswick Traction Company. It seems likely, however, that a satisfactory agreement will be made with that company, even if it does not pass into their hands altogether.

On Prospect avenue, the single track will be run in the middle of the road way. The property-owners along Woodland avenue realize that that thoroughfare is narrow and they have all agreed to widen it to the regulation sixty six feet. There, it is expected, the trolley track will be placed on one side of the road Part of the way to Metuchen it may be necessary to purchase a strip of land parallel with the road and run the tracks there.

There is a very strong sentiment in favor of a trolley line through that section, and it will not be difficult for the trolley company and the Common Council to come to terms While Prospect avenue is some distance out from the centre of the city, it will probably only be a question of a little time before proper connection is made with the centre of the city.

The name of the proposed company will be the Plainfield and Metuchen Street Railway Company.

—Press want ads bring results.

MADE HER DEBUT IN SOCIAL WHIRL.

The Coming Out Party of Miss Helen Frances Bushnell.

VERY DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR.

MISS BUSHNELL WAS ASSISTED BY A NUMBER OF FRIENDS.

Mr. Bushnell's Residence Was Very Handsomely Decorated for the Event—Pink and White the Prevailing Colors—Effect Charming—Jolly House Party Will Remain for a Few Days

Last night Miss Helen Frances Bushnell, daughter of John Bushnell, made her formal debut into Plainfield society at a charming social event held at the handsome residence of her parents on Central avenue. The affair was one of the first of the social events of the season.

The hostess, wearing a gown of white silk, received the guests assisted by Miss Louise Porter, of Ottewa, Illinois; Miss Edith Johnson, of Washington, Miss Mary Whiton, Miss Nancy Lawson, Miss Mary Bushnell, Miss Jessie Bushnell, Miss Lowe, Miss Bushnell, Miss Lulu Holly and Miss Ethel VanBoskerck, all of this city.

The parlors, hall and stairway were prettily decorated with smilax, roses, chrysanthemums and potted plants. In one corner of the reception hall the musicians were hidden behind a green screen of palms and ferns. The front parlor was set off with great bunches of pink and white roses, and the open fire place was hidden by bunches of large yellow and white chrysanthemums. The prevailing colors were pink and white.

Davis, of Newark, was the caterer and also furnished the music. There were about 300 guests present, among them being a number of out of town people. Three college men, Fred Scott, 1900, of Princeton, Bascom Johnson, of Yale, and Ernest Mulford, of Elizabeth, a Harvard man, make up a jolly house party who will remain for a few days after the party.

ANNUAL INSPECTION.

Winfield Scott Relief Corps Did Very Satisfactory Work.

The annual inspection of Winfield Scott Relief Corps, No. 10, took place last evening in the rooms on East Front street. There was a large attendance of the members. Mrs. McCauley, of Paterson, Department President of the Corps, was present and inspected the corps. The work was performed in a highly commendable manner and Mrs. McCauley commented favorably upon it. After the work and routine business a number of excellent remarks were made by the Deparment President, and Mrs. Jennie Atwood, of Trenton, who is a member of the Corps, also by the officers and members of the corps.

Didn't Know of the Attachment.

In yesterday's issue of The Daily Press, it was stated that the Plainfield Ice and Cold Storage Company got out an attachment, through Codington & Swackhamer, against the goods belonging to Max Wiertz, the Sixth street caterer. This was an error as it has since been learned that Messrs. Codington & Swackhamer knew nothing of the attachment proceedings until after they had been completed and a levy had been made by the Constable upon defendant's goods.

Warren Rice to be Married.

Announcement is made by William Barie, of Saginaw, Mich., of the marriage of his daughter, Miss Otto Barie, to Warren Hoyt Rice, of that place. Mr. Rice was formerly a resident of this city, where he has hosts of friends who congratulate him and his wife. The marriage took place Tuesday last, and the bride and groom are now enjoying their honeymoon Their reception days will be Wednesdays in January at 306 Owen street, Saginaw, Mich.

Surprised Henry Perrine.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered to Henry Perrine, of Somerset street, last evening, when a large number of his friends called and spent an evening in dancing and having a general good time. At a late hour refreshments were served, and it was early this morning when the merry gathering dispersed and left for their homes.

Parish Meeting at St. Stephens.

At the yearly parish meeting of St. Stephen's church, Netherwood, held Tuesday evening, the following were elected to act as wardens and vestrymen for the ensuing year: Warden—William Palmer Smith, S Seabury Guion; vestrymen—A. J Beal, W. F. Tiemann, W W. Wheelan, J. M. Duck, J. H. Buckley.

LAWYERS HONORED THE DEPARTED JUDGE.

Plainfield Bar Association Passed Suitable Resolutions.

WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.

LOCAL AND UNION COUNTY LAWYERS WILL ATTEND IN A BODY.

Met Yesterday Afternoon at the Office of H. C. Runyon—Many Tributes Paid to the Late Judge By His Associates—Resolutions Passed—J. B. Coward Was Chairman of the Meeting.

The feelings of regret and tender sympathy regarding the death of City Judge George W. DeMeza, were eloquently expressed at a meeting of the Plainfield lawyers held yesterday afternoon in the offices of Lawyer Harry C. Runyon in the Babcock building. The following members of the Plainfield Bar were present; J. B. Coward, Craig Adams Marsh, William R. Codington, William A. Coddington, Charles A. Reed, William M. Stillman, William N. Runyon, Walter L. Hetfield, Charles J. McNabb, S. S. Swackhamer, Frank J. Blatz, George Bird, Charles L. Moffett, Isaac P. Runyon and J. P. D. Kirch.

Joseph B. Coward was made chairman of the meeting and, on a motion offered by Mr. Marsh, a committee, consisting of Wm. N. Runyon, Wm. M. Stillman and Mr. Marsh, was appointed to draft suitable resolutions the same to be sent to the family of the deceased and published in the local papers.

The resolutions will be found in another part of The Daily Press, and they fully express the feelings of the Plainfield lawyers for their late brother.

Harry C. Runyon, who was chosen secretary of the meeting, read a communication from A. M. Runyon & Son, which stated that seats would be reserved at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow for the lawyers who will attend the funeral services. This communication was received and a motion was made that the lawyers attend in a body. They will meet at Mr. Runyon's offices in the Babcock building tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and a committee, consisting of Walter L Hetfield and Nelson Runyon, will meet the members of the Union County Bar at the North Avenue station on the arrival of the 2 o'clock train to escort them to the general meeting place.

W. R. Codington, who attended the meeting of the Union County Bar at Elizabeth yesterday morning, stated that a committee, consisting of Chas. A. Reed, H. C. Runyon, E. M. Wood, James Connolly and W. R. Codington, was appointed to draft resolutions which would be presented at the next term of Court, and that the same would be spread upon the minutes. He also stated that the members of the Bar expect to attend the funeral services of the late Judge DeMeza in a body.

The resolutions presented by the Plainfield lawyers were adopted by a rising vote, after which Mr. Marsh arose and stated that he could not let such an opportunity pass without saying something regarding Judge DeMeza. He said that Judge DeMeza had a high ideal of what constitutes a true lawyer, and always believed that dignity should be added to the profession. Early in his career he thoroughly mastered the idea that a lawyer's profession is not a trade and whenever the occasion offered he expressed it. He possessed a modesty in approaching older members of the Bar that always won for him any assistance that he required. As a man, he deserved great credit for his treatment of his brothers and the other members of the family. Mr. Marsh stated that he knew Judge DeMeza in young and humble life, when he brought wood to his door, when he was employed at the business house of Schepflin, Baldwin, Tweedy & Co., and he never ceased to wonder at his remarkable progress, the result of pure grit. Mr. Marsh also spoke of Judge DeMeza's kindness in and out of business, and said that his sudden taking off was a shock to all. He then paid a tribute to the memory of the late Mr. Suydam and Mr. Jackson, honored members of the Plainfield Bar.

Mr. Marsh was followed by Senator Reed, who endorsed the former's remarks and also paid rich tribute to the departed. He said that Mr. DeMeza was a very likable fellow, that there was nothing mean or tricky about him. His heart was of the right sort and he won many friends because of his kindly and genial dis-

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MAYOR IN CITY COURT.

DIDN'T FIND ANYTHING STARTLING THIS MORNING.

He Dealt Out Justice With a Lenient Hand to the Few Offenders Arraigned—Reckless Drivers Were Not Fined.

The sessions of the City Court were resumed this morning, Mayor Charles J. Fisk presiding. The Mayor did not find anything particularly startling to cope with. C. V. D Corle, N. B. Smalley and Wm. Baldwin, who were found guilty of reckless driving by Judge DeMeza last Saturday, came up for sentence. His Honor delivered a long lecture on the subject of fast driving. Then he told the trio to go forth and sin no more, that they were forgiven this time.

Patrick Gannon and John Brennon were haled before His Honor on the charge of being disorderly on Liberty street last Sunday. There was nothing very wicked that they had done and the Mayor suspended sentence. They were arrested by Special Officer Mattox.

Frank Hand, who was accused of punching the features of one James White, was discharged.

WORK IN INDIA.

Rev. J. Henrichs Will Tell Something of It at First Baptist Church.

Tomorrow evening at the First Baptist church the service will be under the auspices of the Temple Builders' Society of the church, and an address will be delivered by Rev. J. Henrichs, who is in charge of the Yerkes chapel at Tettu, India. This chapel was built by the Temple Builders' Society of the First Baptist church, and every member will be interested to hear of the grand work being conducted there. Mr. Henrichs is a very interesting speaker and a cordial invitation is extended to all persons interested.

LAW STUDENTS IN LINE.

Pass Resolutions on the Death of the Late City Judge DeMeza.

The law students of the city passed a set of resolutions this morning on the death of City Judge DeMeza They were presented in court this morning and ordered placed on the records and a copy sent to the family. The presentation speech was made by William Sweeney, and the resolutions were signed by all the law students in the city. They are requested to meet tomorrow afternoon at William Newcorn's office and attend the funeral in a body.

Hillier & Co. to Move.

Announcement is made of the removal of Hillier & Co's dyeing and laundry establishment from North avenue to West Front street, to the the store now occupied by William Debele, the dairyman, adjoining the meat market of Fred Endress. The change will take place January 1st, and the many friends of this well-known house are urged to note the fact. The increasing business secured by the local store makes the change necessary, and in the new quarters there will be more room which is an urgent feature. The same care and attention will be given by Miss Mary Brown, the manager, to see that all work is properly and promptly looked after.

Lectured on "Our Country."

Last evening at Monroe Avenue church the pastor, Rev. W. C O Donnell, delivered an interesting talk before the American Club on the subject of "Our Country." The attendance was large and the speaker's remarks greatly enjoyed. The next lecture will be given two weeks from last evening.

A Startling Rumor.

Rumor went forth early this morning to the effect that a man living on Terrill road had shot his wife. Sergeant Kiely investigated but failed to find anything to confirm the rumor.

Band of Mercy Lesson.

The Band of Mercy lesson will be taught the Loyal Temperance Legion next Monday. Scholars will please bring items, also be prompt, as new music is being taught.

A Donation Party.

A donation party was given Wednesday night to Rev. W. G. Johnson, pastor of the Fillmore Avenue Baptist church, by the members of his congregation.

—Miss Carroll sang very acceptably at the Grace M. E. church entertainment Thursday evening, and her name was unintentionally ommitted from yesterday's account of the affair.

—In the matting department at White's they have just received three hundred rolls of fine linen warp matting which they will place on sale Monday at a very low price. They are all new patterns. They are also showing a very handsome assortment of fine portiefre curtains in new designs.

TEN YEARS' HISTORY OF ENDEAVOR LIFE.

Society of Park Avenue Baptist Church Celebrate Anniversary.

REV. DR. BRETT PRESENT.

FORMER PRESIDENTS TELL OF THE GROWTH OF THE SOCIETY.

Miss Hawkins Told History of the First Five Years—Miss Myra Runyon Sketched the Happenings of the Last Half of the Decade—Report of Treasurer by Miss Cuming—Dr. Brett's Talk.

The tenth anniversary of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church was held last night. The exercises consisted of the reading of reports of the work done during the ten years just passed, an address by Rev. Dr. Cornelius Brett, president of the State Union, and letters from past presidents who were unable to be present.

On the platform of the pulpit sat the president, Mrs. W. S Lowry; Rev. J. W. Richardson, Rev. Dr. Brett, E. E. Anthony, Mrs. D. M. Runyon, Miss Florence G. Hawkins, Miss Emma V. Fish, the three last former presidents; Miss Anna Wyckoff, vice president, Miss Myra Runyon, secretary, and Miss Henriett Cuming, treasurer.

Mrs. Lowry, the president, had charge of the exercises, which opened with a song service led by a volunteer choir. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Richardson, read the lesson, and Mr. Anthony led in prayer.

An interesting part of the exercises was the reading of reports of the ten years' work. Miss Forence G. Hawkins took the first five years from the organization of the society, November 23d, 1888, when twelve young people of the Young People's Society got together and concluded that they could do better work as a Christian Endeavor than as a Young People's Society. During the five years the membership increased to 54, a gain of 42. But in the way of prayer and personal testimony they had increased five times as much.

During the first five years the members engaged in all the work of the society, interested themselves in foreign and home missionary work, and supplied two of the barber shops of the city with religious literature.

Miss Myra Runyon told about what had been done during the last five years. The members of the society remain about the same. Several new ones have been added, but to offset this others have gone away, and at present there are 44 active members and 5 associate members of the society. There are also a few honorary members, consisting of the deacons and a few others.

Four of the past presidents were not able to be present, so sent letters which were read by the secretary, Miss Myra Runyon. These letters were from Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, of North Hampton, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. D. W. C. Skadin, of Minneapolis, Minn., and A. D. VanSciver, who is in New York State.

Miss Cuming, the treasurer, read a financial report extending over a period of eight years, the records of the first two years having been mislaid. The reports showed that $861.29 had been raised through the general fund, $8 8.46 expended, leaving a balance, November 25th, of $2 83. Through the missionary fund $537.48 had been raised, the expenditures were $517.86, balance $19 62.

Dr. Brett's topic was "The Relation of the Christian Endeavor Society to the Local Church," and was a bright, interesting address, full of encouragement to the Endeavorers. Miss Charlotte Messeramith sang a solo during the services, and Arthur Mosher assisted the choir with his violin. The evening closed with a sociable in one of the upper rooms at which refreshments were served.

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Work Pushed Rapidly and Trenches Will be Leveled Tonight.

Work on the electric light wire trenches has not been pushed very rapidly this week, and so far the men have only dug the trenches and laid the pipes from Front street a little above Second street. But in this short space the work has been done thoroughly, so that where the trenches have been dug up the pipes have all been laid, and the trenches covered.

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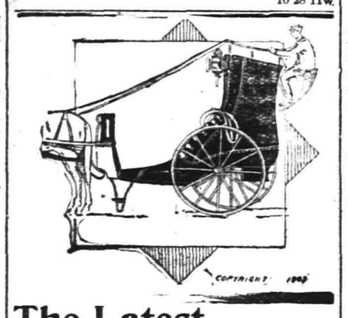

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FEW CARE TO WITNESS

Commission Will Not Hear of the Regimental Quarrels.

INQUIRY WILL SOON END

What is Wanted Is Testimony Regarding Negligence, Carelessness or Unmilitary Conduct. Says Son's Death Was Due to Inattention on the Part of Some One.

New York, Nov. 26.—Internal troubles of the Seventy-first regiment are not to be considered by the war investigating committee, which convened again at the Fifth Avenue Hotel yesterday after a recess since Wednesday.

Before the session was called to order General Anson G. McCook, talking to several Seventy-first men who had come to offer their testimony, said no witnesses were desired unless they could tell of negligence, carelessness or unmilitary conduct of some kind on the part of officers connected with the war or campaign. Any attempt to talk about regimental difficulties, according to General McCook, will promptly be suppressed.

Fifteen persons, mostly professional men, had volunteered to give testimony, but when the session was called to order at half past nine o'clock none of them was present.

The commission, for this reason, consented to hear Daniel McKeever, a lawyer, at No. 120 Broadway, whose son, E. Percy McKeever, Company K, Seventy-first regiment, died of typhoid fever at Mount Sinai Hospital.

Mr. McKeever says his son, who was twenty-one years old, was brought from Santiago on a transport while ill with typhoid fever, and that he was unable to eat the regular rations given him on the vessel.

The boy was taken to Camp Wikoff, where Mr. McKeever went to see him on August 20. He found his son, but was not allowed to go near him, nor was he able to procure a furlough for him.

When he returned on August 26, Mr. McKeever says, a colored guard, after consulting Dr. Cronin, the hospital surgeon in charge, told him no such person as McKeever was in the hospital.

Unwilling to be put off in that way, the father sent the guard back to the surgeon. Just as both returned and gave the same answer, some one raised the flap of a tent, Mr. McKeever says, and asked for whom he was looking.

When he answered he was told that his son was in that very tent. Mr. McKeever said he found that his son, though very ill with typhoid and dysentery, had been without any attention for six days.

General Alger was at Camp Wikoff at the time, and when he heard Mr. McKeever's story at once issued a furlough to the young man.

Dr. Monae Lesser of the Red Cross Society was the first witness yesterday afternoon. He testified that in no instance had the services of the Red Cross nurses been discourteously declined in Cuba.

There was never any clashing between the army people and the Red Cross nurses. We worked together frequently in the hospitals at Siboney from June 29 to July 14. The relations of the army medical department force and the Red Cross were at all times most pleasant."

Dr. Lesser said that the fever cases were attended to in two buildings, and the wounded were cared for in tents of all kinds, which Major Lagarde found.

"And if I may be permitted," said he, "I think too much praise cannot be bestowed upon Major Lagarde for his untiring efforts."

Dr. Lesser said that the Cuban hospitals had plenty of medicine for yellow fever.

In speaking of the trip from Cuba on the transport Concho, he said that there was no way of telling that 175 men were going to develop genuine Cuban malaria after they got out to sea.

Preparations had been made to treat about twenty-five patients should that number of cases develop. But when one hundred and fifty more cases of malaria developed than had been contemplated there was not sufficient medicine.

"Still," said Dr. Lesser, "not a death occurred in that ship which was not due to the carelessness of the soldier himself or to some kind-hearted but misguided comrade, who let him eat too much. I might say, parenthetically, that more men died from overeating than from insufficient food."

The members of the commission declare that they are disappointed so far in the testimony taken in this city. They had had enough testimony relative to the condition of affairs, and what they sought in this city was the fixing of the responsibility.

The members of the commission are also disappointed in the non-appearance of witnesses they depended upon, such as Dr. Delafield and Colonel Downs, the latter of the Seventy-first regiment.

They have not appeared and say they will not appear.

Another Cut in Sugar.

New York, Nov. 26.—All grades of refined sugars have been reduced in price 1-16c a pound, which brings the price to 5 1-4c a pound for granulated.

The reduction was participated in by both the American Sugar Refining Company and the independent refining interests. Lack of demand was stated to be responsible for the cut.

Oregon at Montevideo.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—The navy department has received a telegram from Captain Barker of the battleship Oregon reporting the arrival of that vessel, the battleship Iowa and the supply ship Celtic at Montevideo Thursday.

Indo-China Railway System.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The cabinet has decided to authorize a loan of 160,000,000 francs to establish an Indo-China railroad system, in connection with the Chinese railroads.

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WANT INDEPENDENCE NOW.

Cuban Commissioners Will Leave for Washington Early Next Week.

New York, Nov. 26.—The members of the Cuban commission now in this city expect to go to Washington either on Sunday night or on Monday, where they will lay their case before President McKinley.

They expect to finish their business there in a very short time and be back in Cuba in about twenty days.

Upon their return to Cuba a meeting of the general assembly, which they represent, will be called at once and the results of their mission placed before it.

General Garcia and the other members of the commission hope for the success of their mission to Washington.

Though they have not said so in so many words, it is now understood that they intend to ask this country either for a loan or to assist them in raising a loan.

The first use to which this money, if secured, will be put, will be toward paying off the officers and men of the Cuban army.

Word comes from Cuba that lists of the officers and men have already been completed, and as soon as the men can be paid in part for their services the army will be disbanded.

The members of the commission were a little startled at the utterances of Domingo Mendez Capote, formerly vice president of the Cuban republic, which have been cabled to this country. Capote, who was here not many months ago, declares that Cuba will in the end be annexed to this country and that in the end he has no doubt that ninety-five per cent. of the Cubans will vote for annexation.

At present, however, he declares the sole wish of every Cuban is for independence pure and simple. The Cubans want to have the satisfaction of seeing their flag in the galaxy of republics, and will stop at nothing short of that for which they fought so long.

After they have had a taste of liberty, however, under their own management, they will want to come into the United States, Capote declares. As to what he himself wants he does not say.

THE BALDWIN HOTEL FIRE.

Five Bodies Recovered So Far. A Charge of Incendiarism.

San Francisco, Nov. 26.—So far as is now known, the victims of the Baldwin Hotel fire number five, as follows:

J. L. White, Louis Meyers, J. M. Lighthead, Tate Pryor and J. J. Carter.

It is expected, however, that other bodies will be found. The bodies of Lighthead and Pryor have been recovered. That of J. J. Carter, the racing judge, has not yet been found, but it is considered certain that he perished.

The body of Pryor will be forwarded to St. Louis, where his widow resides. It was found under a mass of timbers and debris. It was badly burned but was identified by the gold filling of the teeth.

Charles McCarthy, a commercial traveller, for an eastern whiskey firm, may also have perished in the fire. He went to the hotel on Tuesday evening and has not been seen since by his friends.

There are rumors of incendiarism in connection with the fire, the crime being attributed to a discharged employe, who, it is said, had made threats to burn the place.

Estimates place the total loss at about $1,500,000. Mr. Baldwin, the owner, says that he had expended $2,500,000 in building, furnishing and equipping the hotel.

Tin Plate Combination.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 26.—The Iron Trade Review says:

"The tin plate consolidation is now an assurtd fact. Most of the details have been arranged and nothing is left undone which could cause a miscarriage of the plans at the last moment. Probably ninety per cent. of those who are selling out to the promoters are taking stock in exchange. The consolidated company will be in actual working order by the first of the new year.

"It is generally agreed that G. D. Reid, now treasurer of the American Tin Plate Company, Elwood, Ind., will be president. His only formidable opponent is W. T. Graham, president of the Aetna Standard Steel Company of Bridgeport, O.

Evacuation Day.

New York, Nov. 26.—The anniversary of the evacuation of New York by the British troops in 1783 was marked by fewer celebrations yesterday than usual.

The flag raising at the Battery was done at sunrise by a park department laborer, Christopher R. Forbes, a descendant of Abram Van Arsdale, having been refused permission to continue to act, as he has done for some years past.

Flags were also displayed on the public buildings, on the Central Park blockhouse, and at various places of historic interest.

GRAVE CHARGES MADE

First Volunteer Engineers Repeat Some Strange Tales.

ILL TREATED BY OFFICERS

Some Alleged to Have Been Triced Up and Other Men Beaten. Scarcity of Water and Poor Food. Officers Deny the Stories and Say Strict Discipline Was Necessary.

New York, Nov. 26.—The First Volunteer Engineers, to the number of nearly nine hundred men, returned from Porto Rico on the transport Minnewaska Thursday.

Yesterday they were transferred to the foot of East Twenty-sixth street and were marched up Fifth avenue to the Eighth regiment armory at Ninety-fourth street and Park avenue.

The First Volunteer Engineers were recruited from all sections between Maine and Virginia.

The charges made by the men, as set forth below, were not only not made by any particular individual, but by bodies of men from the various companies, who promised after reaching the armory yesterday afternoon and receiving their pay, to volunteer to appear before the war commission, and make it hot for those responsible for the brutal treatment and shameful neglect which the men claim they were subjected to.

More than fifty men testify to the truth of the first charge, which is as follows:

That a private, named Scott, a member of Company L, and a resident of Troy, was spread eagled for intoxication while the regiment was at Ponce; that he was pinioned to the ground for thirty-six consecutive hours, the most of which time he spent with his body in six inches of water unable to move hand or foot; that the members of his company were told that the guard had positive orders to kill the first man other than an officer who attempted to approach him; that several of the men asked permission to give the unfortunate man a drink of water and were met with the rebuff: "No, a thirst will do him good."

Charge 2.—Private Lewis of Company H, was, according to the men, hung or tried up by the thumbs at Ponce by order of a lieutenant whose name is withheld because he could not be found to defend himself.

The man had been under the influence of liquor, it was charged, and became unconscious twice before being finally cut down.

He had to be taken to the hospital, where he remained for a week.

Charge 3.—Running a sword into the calf of the leg of a private because the latter failed to properly obey the order of an officer, who is said to have committed the assault.

Charge 4.—Poor and insufficient food and confiscation and subsequent use by some of the officers of stores and delicacies furnished by the Red Cross Society for the men.

Twelve members of Company L say that there are seventy-seven witnesses to the fact that certain officers, whose names are to be given to the war commission, took provisions that were intended for the sick.

Charge 5.—Unjustifiable assault upon Thomas Finn of Company L, a resident of Bridgeport, Conn., by a sergeant and corporal. Finn was intoxicated, tied in his hammock; was ordered to pull one of his legs in, refused to do so, and was beaten, it is charged, by one of the men while being held by the other.

Charge 6.—Unjustifiable assault upon Private Sullivan of Company G, by a sergeant, who subsequently is said to have told Sullivan to go to his superior officer and be hanged, or words to that effect. Sullivan was placed in the guard house for forty-four days after the assault.

Charge 7.—Deprivation of the men on the trip South on the transport Chester, which left this city for Porto Rico on August 5.

The men claim that there was an insufficient quantity of fresh water on hand, that even while the transport was lying at anchor off Liberty island, within hailing distance practically of three big cities, they were obliged to pay twenty-five cents cash for a canteen of fresh water; that frequently on the way south they had to pay ten cents each for a piece of ice the size of an egg; that their sole mess on the trip was canned corned beef too fat to eat, inferior coffee that was served without either milk or sugar, and hard tack that could not be broken by the teeth; that the trip to Ponce lasted five days and thirteen hours, and that during the whole of this time few, if any, of the men were permitted to bathe because of the scarcity of water.

In justice to the officers, many of whom were seen and questioned, they replied that to their personal knowledge the majority of the charges were untrue.

There was some hardship, but officers suffered as well as the men.

There was intoxication among the men and radical means had to be resorted to.

The Florida at Havana.

Havana, Nov. 26.—The United States transport Florida arrived in front of Morro Castle at six o'clock yesterday morning and took a pilot on board and proceeded. At 7 o'clock she arrived in front of Marianao Beach.

General Greene and his staff left the Hotel Inglaterra yesterday morning for Marianao to superintend the landing of American troops there.

Fifty Years an Emperor.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—Both chambers of the Austrian reichsrath have passed resolutions agreeing to do homage to the emperor upon the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of his accession to the throne, which will occur next Friday.

No Sunday Concerts in London.

London, Nov. 26.—The London County Council has upheld by the vote of 62 to 33 the decision of the licensing committee to refuse licenses to halls where Sunday concerts are given for profit.

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DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

Largest Crops and Most Profitable Business for Thirty Years.

New York, Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving in 1898 means more than for thirty years. The "Harvest Home" has never recognized larger crops on the whole in this country, and the general prosperity is attested by the largest volume of business ever recorded. The year so exceptional in magnitude and variety of blessings draws near its end with yet another good gift, a marked increase of confidence in prospects for the year which is to close the century.

The industries are doing remarkably well, considering hindrance until of late by unseasonable weather. With storms and cold many branches now get larger orders. There has been more liberal buying of cotton goods.

More is doing in dress goods, but not enough for producers.

Sales of wool have been 35,975,000 pounds for four weeks, including about 5,000,000 for export, but mostly at concessions which have been this week a little increased on fine unwashed fleeces.

Wheat has again advanced a shade, though for spot only 1-4 cent during the week, while western receipts are heavy, and for four weeks have been 38,034,291 bushels, against 29,119,104 last year.

The Atlantic exports, flour included, have been 3,957,876 bushels for the week against 3,628,446 last year.

Pacific exports have been 371,185 bushels, against 1,626,959 last year, making for the three weks of November 13,642,066 bushels, against 15,195,209 last year.

The volume of business again exceeds two hundred and fifty millions per business day, being for the week 27.1 per cent. larger than last year, and 23.1 per cent. larger than in 1892, and for the month 22.2 per cent. larger than last year, and 19.9 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Frequently most of the principal cities outside of New York now show an increase of 20 per cent. or more over the most prosperous year hitherto.

Manufacturing failures this month have been for $2,594,822, against $3,909,340 last year, and trading $2,896,684, against $4,206,531 last year.

Failures for the week have been 188 in the United States against 236 last year, and 21 in Canada against 23 last year.

A Dinner to Schley.

Brooklyn, Nov. 26.—The complimentary dinner given to Rear Admiral Schley at the Brooklyn Club last evening was one of the most notable events which have occurred in this borough in some time.

It was remarkable for the fact of its being the first time that Admiral Schley has been honored north of Washington, and adds another to the long list of eminent men who have been similarly honored by the Brooklyn Club.

Over one hundred covers were laid and the club rooms were especially decorated for the occasion.

The admiral, who arrived in Manhattan yesterday morning, was escorted to the club by Congressman Chas. G. Barrett and Chauncey Marshall.

Colonel William Hester, the president of the club, presided at the dinner. Among those who responded to toasts were Dr. Chauncey M. Depew, General B. F. Tracy and Dr. Sa. Clair McKelway.

To Launch the Wisconsin.

San Francisco, Nov. 26.—A party of seventy-five persons has arrived from Wisconsin to take part in the ceremonies of the launching of the United States battleship Wisconsin this morning. They are headed by ex-Congressman Isaac Stevenson, whose daughter, Miss Elizabeth Stevenson, will name the vessel, and the Hon. S. M. Stephenson, and members of their families.

Some question arose as to whether the launch should be under the management of the Wisconsin delegation or of the Union Works, the constructors of the battleship.

It has been decided in favor of the builders. Whether French or California champagne shall be used in the naming is a matter for diplomatic arrangement between the Wisconsin party and the San Franciscans.

Gen. Butler to Return.

Washington, Nov. 26.—In the army orders published yesterday the announcement is made that, under instructions of the president, Major General Matthew C. Butler of the Cuban evacuation commission, is to report in person to the secretary of war for temporary duty in Washington and upon its completion to return to Havana.

It is believed that the president and Secretary Alger desire to consult General Butler about the progress of the work of the commission.

A College Building Burned.

Indianapolis, Nov. 26.—The building of the Indiana Medical College, a department of the University of Indiana, was burned early yesterday morning. Dr. Norman Shobe attempted to escape by means of the stairway, but was caught between the second and third floors and perhaps fatally burned.

He was rescued later. The loss will amount to forty thousand dollars, with an insurance of thirty-five thousand dollars.

The Rioting at Anniston.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 26.—The city has quieted down after last evening's rioting and it is believed that the full extent of the shooting has been ascertained.

Two negro soldiers were killed and three wounded, and six or eight white enlisted men were more or less seriously hurt.

The two members of the white provost guard who were missing have reported for duty.

Col. Henry Lee Dead.

Boston, Nov. 26.—Colonel Henry Lee, for many years the head of the well known banking firm of Lee, Higginson & Co., has just died at his home in Brookline.

Colonel Lee was 81 years of age. He was a lover of literature and often had written for magazines. He also published a book on "The Militia of the United States: What It has Been and What It Should Be."

A DECISION AT MADRID

Spain's Cabinet Approves Instructions to Commission.

LIKELY TO TAKE FULL TIME

A Counter Proposal That We Give for the Philippines $100,000,000 Instead of $20,000,000. No Doubt That Spain Will Sign the Treaty of Peace.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—After visiting the queen regent yesterday in order to condole with her majesty on the anniversary of the death of her husband, King Alfonso XII, who died on November 25, 1885, the ministers met in council.

They were occupied exclusively with the consideration of the peace question.

Eventually the council unanimously approved the instructions to Senor Montero Rios, president of the Spanish peace commission, drawn up by the foreign and colonial ministers, which were telegraphed to Paris in the evening.

While the ministers were reserved regarding the instructions sent to the Spanish commissioners, it is believed the Philippine question will be settled on Monday next.

Premier Sagasta was asked if Monday's session would see the close of the Paris conference, and the signing of the treaty of peace. He replied:

"Who knows? May be a fresh incident will arise or further consultations or exchanges of views will be necessary."

The Liberal says: "The cabinet disagreed yesterday as to the reply that should be sent to Senor Rios. But it is believed that it has decided whether it will or will not instruct the Spanish commissioners to sign the treaty of peace."

Spain's Proposals.

Paris, Nov. 26.—It is now known that Spain will exhaust her time limit, which expires on Monday, before replying to the American offer regarding the Philippine islands.

In the meanwhile the Spaniards are canvassing the entire field and exhausting every resource to postpone the inevitable.

As cabled on Wednesday, they could not accept the American ultimatum as ultimate without asking if it really were so. That applied to the time limit. Now the Spaniards apparently doubt the fixedness of the amount the Americans offered for the Philippines, and yesterday they sent a communication to the American commissioners asking if the latter would accept a counter proposal by Spain to cede the Philippines for $100,000,000.

Spain imagines the Americans might be willing to lop off the great island of Mindanao from the Philippines and pay Spain $50,000,000 for what would remain, instead of the $20,000,000 now offered for the entire archipelago.

Before giving up or turning away Spain will also propose that the United States hold some part of the Carolines or the Canary islands, in addition to the Philippines, on condition that Spain be permitted to retain her sovereignty in the Philippines.

In other words, Spain will cede certain territory in the Carolinas and Canaries in return for a nominal Spanish sovereignty in the Philippines, and, as a further inducement, will propose that the United States shall pay Spain no money on account of the Philippines.

Night Meeting of Cabinet.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—A special meeting of the cabinet was held at ten o'clock last night. All the members were with the president, except Secretary Long, who is out of the city.

The meeting was called by the president in order that his advisors might consider with him advices received last evening from the American peace commissioners at Paris.

It is understood that the advices related to counter proposals informally made to the American commissioners by the representatives of the Madrid government.

At the close of the meeting, which lasted only forty minutes, and was held in the parlors of the White House, Secretary of State Hay said that the president had received some advices from Paris that he desired to lay before the cabinet and that he had called the members together to consider them. The nature of the advices Mr. Hay declined to state.

The Administration Confident.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—The Spanish commissioners are evidently going to take the full time allowed them by the United States in the ultimatum.

The president and his cabinet now feel fully assured that Spain will sign the treaty of peace, and that the answer at the next meeting of the commission will be satisfactory.

A New Naval Station.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—Our government has secured a site and taken steps to establish a naval and coaling station at the Chiriqui Lagoon in the Carribean side of Southern Costa Rica.

The harbor is said to be one of the finest in the world, with anchorage in all parts of it; the climate is the best anywhere near the isthmus, and it is understood that a practically limitless supply of good coal is to be mined in the immediate neighborhoid.

Negotiations for this acquisition were in progress when our civil war interrupted them, and were renewed under President Grant's administration, but have only now been brought to a definite conclusion.

Valuable Land Claimed.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 26.—A bill in equity has been filed in the superior court of New London county claiming, on behalf of the remnants of the Mohegan Indian tribe, the site of an ancient Indian burying ground in the city of Norwich, Conn., covered with buildings, and very valuable. The claim is based on old Indian deeds.

LOSS OF THE MARIA TERESA.

Arrival of the Vulcan and the Potomac With Important Witnesses.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 26.—The naval court of inquiry to inquire into the abandonment of the cruiser Infanta Maria Teresa resumed its session yesterday after having secured important papers bearing on the case.

The examination of witnesses has just fairly begun and, being necessarily slow, the court may be in session for several weeks.

The United States ships Vulcan and Potomac arrived in Hampton Roads yesterday morning from the scene of the Teresa wreck at Cat island. They report that the cruiser has been left to her fate.

She was stripped of everything that would be valuable as a relic.

Both vessels came up to the navy yard in the afternoon, when Captain McCalla and Naval Constructor Hobson reported to the commandant of the yard.

The arrival of the Vulcan brings important witnesses, and the actual facts connected with the casting adrift of the Teresa are expected to be brought out.

The court will try and ascertain whether any persons on board opened the port holes so that the ship should sink before she drifted far.

Another vessel expected is the tug Merritt, which had the Teresa in tow. It is thought that Captain Chittenden, who had charge of the wreckers, will be summoned before the court of inquiry.

The Merritt's representatives here believe that the published interview with the second mate of the Antilla, Webber, who is credited with saying that the Teresa's port holes were found open, was incorrect. They think that the port holes were closed, and doubt whether the British officer ever said they were open.

The President's Message.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—The president is devoting all of his spare time to the preparation of his message to Congress. Minor matters will be considered only briefly and by far the larger share of the message will be devoted to the great questions which have been raised by the war. Sections of the message have been gone over by the president with the members of the cabinet to whose departments they particularly relate, and the indications now are that the message will exceed in length any sent to Congress during the last several years.

Secretary Long's Report.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—Mr. Long, secretary of the navy, has submitted his annual report to the president, the most important recommendation in it, perhaps, being the immediate addition of fifteen warships to the American navy, beyond the fifty-five vessels now under construction, which include eight first class battleships, four coast defence monitors and one cruiser.

The total cost of this formidable addition to our navy is estimated at $25,000,000.

President Iglesias to Prolong His Visit.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 26.—Don Rafael Iglesias, president of Costa Rica, has decided to prolong his visit to Washington and does not contemplate returning to New York until some time next week.

He is much interested in the work performed by the various executive departments here, and will make a thorough examination of their organization and operation.

He visited the Congressional Library yesterday afternoon and spent several hours inspecting the treasury department.

The Battleship Texas to Sail.

New York, Nov. 26.—Officers, marines and sailors of the battleship Texas attended a ball in LenoxLy ceum last night. It was complimentary and was paid for by the sailors, as a farewell to their wives and sweethearts on shore.

The big Texas is now being coaled at Tompkinsville. She will have her bunkers filled when she puts to sea under sealed orders on Monday.

Her sailors believe that she will sail on a long trip to Manila, so they gave their farewell dance last night.

Photographs of a New Comet.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 26.—The Yale observatory has just secured four new photographic plates of the new comet, which was first discovered ten days ago.

It was then found on two plates used in photographing the Leonid meteors.

Death of a Prominent Chicago Lawyer.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Edward G. Asay, a prominent member of the Chicago bar for the last forty years, is dead at his home on Forty-seventh street, after a lingering illness.

Dropsy was the cause of death. Mr. Asay was born in Philadelphia in the year 1825.

Speedy Torpedoboat Davis.

Portland, Ore., Nov. 26.—The torpedo boat Davis, constructed at the Wolff & Zwicker Iron Works in this city, on her official trial trip of two hours, made an average speed of twenty-three and one-half knots per hour, a full knot in excess of rtquirements.

Battery K, 2d Artillery Starts.

Dover Depot, N. H., Nov. 26.—Battery K, Second United States Artillery, in command of Captain A. B. Curtis, left yesterday for Savannah. Battery M, Fourth Artillery, has arrived at Fort Constitution, Portsmouth.

Falls Heir to a $1,000,000 Fortune.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Nov. 26.—Alphonse Vuylstake of this city received a telegram yesterday from Paris announcing the death of an uncle, who left to him a fortune estimated at $1,000,000. He has left for France to get his fortune.

Big Shoe Firm Fails.

West Derry, N. H., Nov. 26.—Colburn, Fuller & Co., the largest shoe manufacturers in this part of the state have announced their assignment for the benefit of creditors to Benjamin F. Johnson of Boston.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 27—Talk on inductive Bible study at Y. M. C. A. at 9:15 a. m.
November 27—R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, will again address the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p. m.
November 28—Harry Steele Morrison, the boy traveler and writer, Y. M. C. A. Hall, 8 p. m.

No Continental Sunday.

Mayor Hoos, of Jersey City, has stirred up a veritable hornet's nest by his announcement that he was in favor of a wide-open town, especially in the matter of having Sunday performances at the theatres. The whole voice of the pulpit and the respectable element of Jersey City has been raised in indignant protest against the utterances of the Mayor, and none more strongly than Charles B. Brown, formerly of Plainfield, but now general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Jersey City. At the association meeting last Sunday Mr. Brown gave voice to the following effective sentences:

We want no continental Sunday. Jersey City has a bright future, but its fall would be swift and sure if Satan was given full swing. From a purely moral or financial point of view, without regard to creed or politics, every man in Jersey City, especially the property owner, ought to view with deep anxiety and utterly repudiate the opinions so recently expressed by the Mayor.

Chicago's Foolish Craze.

The antivaccination craze in England, which resulted last summer in some very foolish legislation in parliament and brought out such a flood of bitter protest from medical men, is not confined to the other side of the water. It has organized itself in Chicago as the People's Liberty league. Superintendent Andrews fears that it may compel the board of education to abandon compulsory vaccination in the schools, as there is no law on the statute books enforcing it. It is extraordinary that in this age of the world so bitter a prejudice can exist in the minds of large numbers of people, by no means confined to the ignorant, against a preventive method which has almost eradicated one of the great scourges of the human race. Where 50 deaths by smallpox occurred two centuries ago, not more than one is recorded now.

The Paterson Press, referring to the fact that gas is being sold twenty-five cents per 1,000 cubic feet in Trenton, terms it "Trenton's Crazy Gas War." It is a pity that there is not more insanity of this sort.

Mayor Fisk entered on the duties of the City Judge this morning until an acting Judge shall be appointed His treatment of such offenders as were haled before him was lenient.

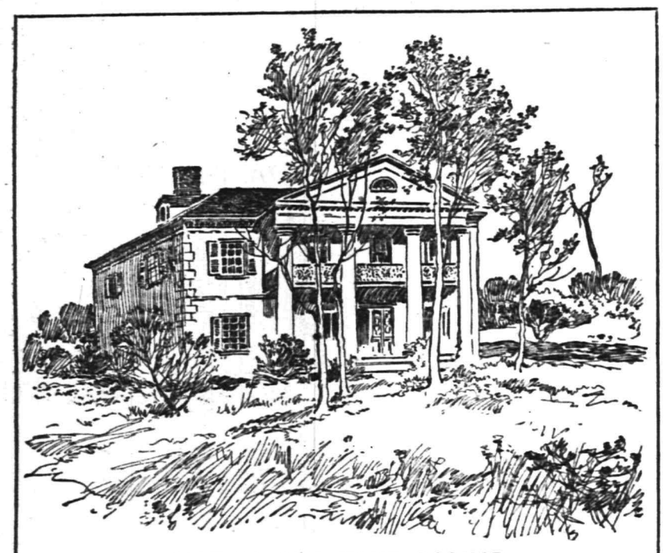
Winter is beginning early this year. One snow storm already and another in prospect. It has been many years since Plainfield has seen a white Thanksgiving.

It is well to hear what both sides have to say in the campaign preceding the municipal election.

Mary Anderson in Her English Home.

Every American will be interested in a page of photographic reproductions in the Christmas Ladies' Home Journal which presents "Mary Anderson in Her English Home." The pictures were made expressly for The Journal, and show Mary Anderson de Navarro as she is today, her two-year-old son, and the exteriors and interiors of the de Navarros' delightful English home. These pictures will be treasured by the beloved actress' admirers in this country, as they give an interesting glimpse of Mrs. de Navarro's daily life and her surroundings.

—Edward Mundy, of Metuchen, who was injured sometime ago in this city, and who has been confined to the hospital, has been discharged, having recovered from his injuries.



WASHINGTON'S HOME DOOMED.

The ruthless hand of what we call progress is to be laid upon one of the few remaining relics of our country's most interesting period. The old Jumel mansion, on Washington Heights, New York City, is to be removed from its beautiful site to a less valuable location. This house was the home of Washington during the most trying time of the Revolutionary War. In its drawing room Hamilton and Burr met just before their tragic duel.

HONOR FOR LATE JUDGE.

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position. He considered Mr. DeMeza's death a great loss to the Plainfield Bar. Another tribute paid to him by Mr. Reed was that one could always depend on him. If he said hat he would do a thing he would keep his word.

The next speaker was W. R. Codington, with whom Judge DeMeza first studied law. Mr. Codington said: "It is only due to Mr. DeMeza that I should say something. He started in the office of Jackson & Codington, and I desire to say that during his entire clerkship he was never known to tell an untruth. He was always honest and fair, and while his salary was limited we were always glad to help him in any way possible. He didn't have the advantages of others, but it is to his credit that he persevered, and his work showed that he did. It was always a pleasure to assist him, and I cannot emphasize too strongly the help he gave his widowed mother and the members of the family."

In conclusion Mr. Swackhamer made a few remarks in view of the fact that he will be unable to attend the funeral services. He said that he fully sympathized with the bereaved family, that he was proud to be a member of the Plainfield Bar which had for a member George DeMeza. He added, that when he came to Plainfield and learned of Mr. DeMeza's success, it proved a great inspiration to him and that it had to other young men.

Lawyer Bird suggested that a floral tribute be given by the Plainfield Bar, and the suggestion was heartily concurred in. The meeting then adjourned.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE MOFFETT.

Adjourned—Case of Wiegel against Marsh for one week. Murphy & Blatz represent the plaintiff. Case of Wiegel against Bicknell; Clark against Madretta.

Summons issued—In the case of Plainfield Ice & Cold Storage Co. against Hand. In the case of Beerbower against Trust.

JUSTICE MOSHER.

Adjourned—Case of Codington against Goblismisch for four weeks.

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List of Books in the Free Public Library.

Irving, Washington. Works nearly complete.

The best biographies of Irving are that by his nephew, Pierre Irving, in four volumes, and that by Charles Dudley Warner. In addition to these are the following sketches of his life and works:

Bolton, S. K., Famous American authors.
Bryant, W. C., Prose works, v. 1.
Curtis, G. W., Literary and social essays.
Griswold, H. T., Home life of great authors.
Howells, W. D., My literary passions.
Hubbard, E., Little journeys to the homes of American authors.
Lowell, J. R., Fable for critics.
Mitchell, D. G., Bound together.
Parton, Ja., Triumphs of enterprise.
Wilson, Ja. G., Bryant and his friends.

The Library possesses nearly all of the writings of James Fenimore Cooper, also his biography by Lounsbury, referred to by the lecturer. In addition to these the following sketches relating to Cooper are in the Library:

Bryant, W. C., Prose works, v. 1.
Greene, G. W., Biographical studies.
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Other sketches of the life and writings of Irving and Cooper may be found in the works on American literature, previously published in these columns.

—Next Friday evening the Borough Council will meet in regular session and transact important business.

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Manager Maze Edwards, of Music Hall, has arranged through George Rogers, the well-known musical director, for the services of Prof. P. L. Conde, violinist, and Ernest Wilcox, flutist, as permanent members of the Music Hall orchestra. Some good music may be anticipated in the future, in addition to the very superior line of attractions which will be presented the coming winter months.

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"The Nancy Hanks" will be the attraction at Music Hall next Tuesday night. "The Nancy Hanks" was never brighter or more popular than it is today. A prominent paper has this to say of it, and some of its company: "Frank Tannehill, Jr., heads his own play acceptably, and he has surrounded himself with a good comedy organization. Miss Lillian Allyn, as a continuance performance favorite, infuses a quantity of ginger into her movements and songs. Miss Georgie Lingard, Miss Ollie Lowe, and Miss Carlotta all contribute, while Mrs. Tannehill, Sr., as Aunt Hetty, impresses one that she is exactly what she seems, whether her mind is made up or not. Taylor Williams has quite likely tramped Broadway, and incidentally sings in excellent voice a selection quite above the ordinary. Harry Beresford, as an eccentric Frenchman, who prizes his decoration and later disguised as a woman, sings capitally a half English, half French song, rendered his part in a humorous manner."

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Manager Maze Edwards has secured as a Christmas attraction a card that should prove the event of the season. George Thatcher's Fashionable Vaudevilles will give a matinee and night performance Monday, December 26th Particular care has been given to the selection of the artists comprising this coterie of entertainers, which in its entirety is made up of versatile acts that have each and every one made distinctive hits at Kieth's Theatres, which not alone insures the cleanliness of the performance to be given but is a guarantee of its merit. Of course, George Thatcher and Ed Marble will be seen in their new blackface absurdity, and the other artists, who comprise the ensemble, will give "Our George" a close race for first honors.

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James K. Hackett, one of the youngest of prominent American actors and quite the most youthful dramatic star who will appear here in Anthony Hope's dramatization of "Rupert of Hentzau," has been before the critical New York Lyceum audiences for two years. He crowned his previous excellent work by a decided hit as Rassendyll in "The Prisoner of Zenda." Subsequently he went on tour in the Hope romance and met with success. Previous to joining forces with Daniel Frohman, his present manager, Mr. Hackett was a valued member of the Daly Company and later appeared in a principal part in Madame Sans Gene. He thus had the advantage of dramatic training under Augustin Daly and Daniel Frohman than whom perhaps there are no better stage managers anywhere. A fine looking sturdy young man, this actor has proved himself a great favorite with all classes of theatregoers who know him as one who does what he has to do in the very best way.

—The Thursday Night Whist Club which meets next week Thursday will probably adjourn to some future date on account of the death of City Judge DeMeza, who was a member of the club.

Rain or Shine, Another Great 6 O'CLOCK SALE!

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Cuticura Soap 20c "
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Packer's Tar Soap 15c "
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Cake Cutters, all shapes, - 1c
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1 qt and 2 qt Stone Cook Pots 10c
All our 19c Brooms - 12c

All this takes place after 6 o'clock tonight. We expect a crowd well worth seeing. Come early and stay late, and don't fail to bring the children to see the toys.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 26—Sunday being temperance day, a union service under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow evening in the Methodist church. The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock, and Rev. E. S. Jamison will deliver the address.

During Advent, special Advent services will be held in Holy Innocents church every Wednesday night. Out-of-town preachers will address the meetings, and Rev. H. B. Wright, of Somerville, will be the first.

Rev. M. L. Lamb, of Trenton, will deliver a lecture on Mormonism in the Seventh-day Baptist church tonight. No admission is to be charged, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Alfred Pearsall, of Westfield, will give his entertainment, "A Soldier's Story," in the chapel of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening. He will be assisted by Marie Budworth.

Monday evening a number of members of Court Columbus, I. O. F., of Elizabeth, will visit Court Dunellen. A social time will be spent, members of Dunellen Court being the hosts.

H. C. Gaskill, W. S. Frederick, L. T. Titsworth and J. F. D Heimelin attended the banquet of the Middlesex County School Association at New Brunswick Wednesday afternoon.

No movement has yet been made to straighten the weather vane on the Methodist church, and now it is not likely anything will be done with it this winter.

Rev. A. I. Martine attended the anniversary exercises of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, Plainfield, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunham, of Prospect avenue, entertained his sister, Mrs. Ann Dunham, at dinner Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hamilton, of Westfield, spent Thursday with Mrs. Hamilton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bodine.

Edison Brown left here today for Bristol, Conn., where he has accepted a good position in an electrical works there.

The third quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held here Wednesday evening.

Miss Nancy Thomas, of Hacketts town, is spending a few days with Mrs. Nancy Thomas, her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oakley, of New Brunswick, have been visiting their parents in the borough.

Irving Martine, of New York, spent Thanksgiving Day with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. I. Martine.

Miss M. Bodine, of Trenton, spent Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bodine.

Miss Sadie Wilson, of Irvington, who has been visiting the Misses Jamison, has returned home.

Mrs. John Wherley, of Somerville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Swackhamer.

Rev. A. S. Phelps, of Plainfield, preached in Holy Innocents church Thursday evening.

John Fenner and sister, Miss Annie, spent Thursday at Pluckamin with their parents.

Mrs. William Carman still lingers, although her death is expected at any moment.

John Eder, of Chicago, has been a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Catharine Maier.

Miss Edna Smock, of Jamesburg, is visiting her friend, Miss Mary Martine.

Master John Deneen is spending a few days with relatives in Brooklyn.

Mrs. A. I. Martine is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Gaston.

Wilson Fredericks spent Wednesday in New Brunswick.

Percy Abbott is visiting his grandparents at Somerville.

In its advanced and chronic form a cold in the head is known as Nasal Catarrh and is the recognized source of other diseases. Having stood the test of continued successful use, Ely's Cream Balm is recognized as a specific for membranal diseases in the nasal passages, and you make a great mistake in not resorting to this treatment in your own case. To test it a trial size for 10 cents or the large for 50 cents is mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren street, New York. Druggists keep it.

PLAINS AND PANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 26—Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held an important meeting in their rooms last evening.

Wm. Hauptman, one of the original seven members of the New York Rescue Band, out of which grew the Doyer Street mission, of New York city, will give a missionary talk in the Baptist church Sunday evening. Mr. Hauptman is a fine speaker and will no doubt give an interesting talk on mission work in New York city. The Y. M. C. A. of Plainfield have had Mr. Hauptman address their meetings on three different occasions.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Schmidt are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son Friday morning.

Rev. Mr. Woodruff will take for his Sunday evening text "The Ideal Friend."

Charles Sheelen spent Thanksgiving with friends in Brooklyn.

Resolutions of Condolence.

The following resolutions were passed by the members of the Plainfield Bar at a meeting held yesterday afternoon:

Resolved, That in the sudden death of Judge DeMeza the city of Plainfield has sustained the loss of a just Judge and upright citizen, and the Bar of the county an honored member.

Called to preside at the early age of twenty-four years, over a court at whose Bar were often submitted the rights and obligations of the friends, neighbors and business acquaintances of the Judge, the duties of the office called for the exercise of candor, courage, calmness, disinterested zeal for the public welfare, rare good judgment and the strictest integrity. It is simple justice to declare that throughout his public career he was always equal to the severe requirements. Genial, loyal, kind-hearted, and naturally inclined to temper justice with mercy, especially in cases of the young or unfortunate, he did not hesitate to visit upon offenders deserving severity of sentence the full measure of punishment demanded by a just sense of the rights of the public.

By his industry and zeal and natural aptitude for public service, he became in the true sense of the word a self-made man, and the community in which he was reared, in common with his brethren of the Bar, watched with pride and satisfaction another and striking illustration in this city of the possibilities of advancement and success attending such efforts.

Resolved, That we offer to his bereaved family the sincere expression of our sorrow and sympathy, and as a last tribute to his memory we attend his funeral in a body and cause an appropriate floral emblem to be placed upon his bier.

Craig A. Marsh,
William M. Stillman
William N. Runyon,
Committee.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Not "the cheapest" but the best at Peck's.

—The usual Christmas celebration will be held at the hospital this year.

—Don't forget "The Boy Traveler" at the Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, November 28th.

—The Monday Night Euchre Club will hold its regular meeting next Monday evening.

—The next regular meeting of the City Council will be held on Monday evening, December 5th.

—Most all of the inmates of the hospital were remembered in a substantial way last Thursday.

—The interior of the North Avenue station is being repainted and redecorated in an up-to-date manner.

—The Woman's Temperance Aid Society will hold a sociable next Monday evening at Mrs. Higgins, of Lafayette place.

—The Class of '95 of the Borough Public High School will hold a reunion and reception this evening in the school building.

—A number of the borough school teachers are spending this week with out-of town friends. The school will open again next Monday.

—The young women at the central telephone office were kindly remembered with turkeys last Thursday. They were the gift of friends.

—Lowney's famous candies are gaining new friends every day at Randolph's pharmacy. The quality is of the finest and the price is just right.

—An enjoyable dance was given last Thursday evening in Washington Hall, South Plainfield. It was arranged by Daniel Laing and Frank Ford.

—The arrangements for the Sons of Veterans fair, to be held December 5th to 10th inclusive, in Washington Hall, are about made. There will be a number of special attractions.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Voehl, of Somerset street, is visiting relatives at Bayonne.

Charles L. Moffett, of Arlington place, entertained friends over Thursday.

Marshal Winn, of the borough, is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

Rev. Father Miller, of Jackson avenue, is much improved from a severe illness.

Wesley Abbott, of Central avenue, is home from Yale University for a few days.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, is home from Lehigh University for a few days.

Col. Scott, of West Front street, is greatly improved from an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Louella Mills, of Fifth street, has returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Irwin Cooley, of Westervelt avenue, is home from Cornell College on a short vacation.

Philip Macintyre, of West Seventh street, has been taking a week's vacation at home.

Fred Stack, of Glen Cove, L. I., has been the guest of Thomas U. Smith, of Westervelt avenue.

Miss May Bryan, of Orange, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hallock, of West Fifth street.

Mrs Wm. A. Wilson, of Grove street, who has been seriously ill, is now able to sit up a little each day.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

James M. Middledith, of Mercer avenue, is home from Lehigh University on a short vacation.

George Coard, of East Ninth street, is home from the Montclair Military Academy for a short vacation.

Mr. Marvin, of Yale University, was the guest of his college friend, Wesley Abbott, of Central avenue.

Louis A. Chase, of East Front street, is home on a short vacation from Johns Hopkins University.

Miss Mabelle Force, of Watchung avenue, entertained a few friends at her home last Thursday evening.

Benjamin A. Mills, of the Second ward, is being urged to take the Councilmanic nomination from his ward.

Mr. Patterson and family, of Grove street, have moved to West Front street, near the corner of Washington avenue.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, who has been seriously ill, is no better. He seems to be failing continually.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis H. Flannery, of New York, have returned home after a pleasant visit with Plainfield relatives.

George W. Davis and family, of Orange, have been visiting at the home of Daniel E. Davis, of East Fifth street.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Hyde, of Titusville, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hyde, of East Front street.

Mr. Thomas, substitute end on the Yale 'varsity football team, has been the guest of his college friend, Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard avenue.

Mrs. Penfield and Mrs. Smock, of Park avenue, are visiting Messrs. Brokaw, of the firm of Brokaw Brothers, of New York, to whom they are related.

Miss Alys Marie Chandor, of East Fifth street, is able to be out again after being confined to the house for several weeks with injuries received in a bicycle accident.

The members of the Union County Bar have taken action regarding the death of City Judge DeMeza and they will no doubt attend the funeral services tomorrow afternoon in a body.

Mr. and Mrs. R Frank Bowne, son and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bowne, of Glen Cove, Long Island, were guests at the home of Mrs. E. B. Smith, of Westervelt avenue, Thanksgiving Day.

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9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

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(FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

THOS. NEWMAN, Prop.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Arthur W. Lederer, of West Front street, has returned to his studies at Princeton University.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Adams, of East Sixth street, entertained a party of friends Thanksgiving Day.

Harry Woltmann, of Princeton University, has returned to his studies after spending a few days at his home on West Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harden, of Summit avenue, are entertaining Mr. Harden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harden, of South Branch.

A CLAIM EASILY SETTLED.

The Shining Piles of Silver Dollars Captured Her Fancy.

It is not so easy now to cheat the Indians as in the days when they bartered their lands for glass beads and worthless trinkets. They are now pretty sharp in making ordinary trades which come up in their daily life; nevertheless, it is true that when it comes to a question of large sums of money—thousands or even hundreds of dollars—the average Indian is bewildered at the mere idea of so much wealth. An incident which happened not long ago in New Mexico illustrates this point. An Indian was killed by a railroad train, and his widow demanded $3,000 as an indemnity. The company was willing to settle, and sent an agent who knew Indians thoroughly. He took with him several bags of Mexican silver dollars, which pass freely among Indians in that part of the country. Sitting down gravely with the aggrieved widow, he began counting out the big shining dollars one by one. When the pile had reached a hundred, he glanced inquiringly at the squaw, but she shook her head firmly. The agent went on with his counting, and at the end of another hundred he looked up again. She repeated the negative shake of her head, but her eyes began to brighten at the heap of silver. At three hundred the agent paused a little longer. The squaw still held out, though with unmistakable signs of weakening. The agent counted more slowly and impressively, and when he reached three hundred and forty-eight, the squaw stopped his hand. "Heap plenty," she said, with decision; and, gathering up the silver, she accepted in perfect contentment this settlement of her claim for $3,000.—Golden Days.

To Succeed Judge Gordon.

Harrisburg, Nov. 26.—Governor Hastings has appointed ex-Judge Henry J. McCarthy of Philadelphia to the vacancy on the bench of the Philadelphia common pleas court caused by the resignation of Judge Gordon.

Judge McCarthy is a Democrat, as was Judge Gordon. He will serve till the first Monday of January, 100.

Blanco Sails Sunday.

Havana, Nov. 26.—Marshal Blanco, whose resignation as captain general of Cuba has just been accepted, sails for Spain on Sunday next.

He will be succeeded by General Jimenez Castellanos, a division commander.

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Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

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Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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$1,500 Wanted on first mortgage on East Fifth St property, worth $3,000. Address Mortgage, care Press. 11 23 6

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

FOR SALE—A handsome, young, sound and very gentle polo pony; splendid driver and perfect saddler, at 207 LaGrande avenue. 11 19 6

FOR SALE—Elegant residence with barn, near Postoffice. Apply 145 East Front street. 11 22 4

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EXPERIENCED dressmaker desires work by the day; terms $1 50. Address Miss Simons, 304 W. 2nd St 11 26 3

BOARDERS WANTED—A delightful home for a family or few adults; excellent table, parlor, library, billiard and smoking room. Mrs Winter, 831 Madison Ave. 11 25 3

WANTED—Horse to board for the winter; good care guaranteed. Inquire of Smalley Bros. or Geo Conner. 11 25 6

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A GENTLEMAN wants furnished room and board, private family preferred. X. Y. Z., Press. 11 25 2

THE KEYNOTE

of our store news this week is warm. Winter wearables—Jackets, Capes, Underwear, Blankets, Comfortables with a windup on Thanksgiving Linens. You will do well to read every line of the news, you will do better to come in and investigate the values, compare them with others. There are many good reasons why this store undersells all others

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Velveteen Waists in all the new shades .. $3.98
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Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair
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We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

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Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
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The major had but one near relative, in the world—his nephew, Jack Mackintosh. Jack was in a government office, and as he was not twenty-three years of age, his uncle began to think seriously of arranging a match for him.

The major was very anxious that Jack's match should really be a triumph, and it cost him much thought and grave weighing of pros and cons for months, before the critical time came. Of course, he did not consult Jack in the matter. To do so at so early a stage in the proceedings would have been contrary to all precedent.

Despite the earnest cogitations of months and all the careful study of six specimens of girlhood, the major suddenly made up his mind that Nellie Bloxham was the one woman in the world for Jack, and this within five minutes of his first introduction to her! The girl charmed him, and he at once decided that she must marry Jack.

A letter was dispatched that very evening, and a few days later the young fellow joined his uncle at the watering place where he had been so fortunate as to make Miss Bloxham's acquaintance.

"Well, Jack, have you got your leave, or is this only a Saturday to Monday trip?" was the first question he asked when they met at the station.

"I can stay a fortnight, if you'll have me."

"That's capital. I've a lot of friends here, and some uncommonly pretty girls among them. The Fishers came down last week, and the Renshaws—"

"Is May Renshaw here? I'm glad of that."

May Renshaw was one of the half-dozen who had been under consideration, and it is possible that Jack was aware of the fact; but of their recent rejection he was totally ignorant.

"May? Yes; I—I believe so."

The major spoke absently, for he was thinking how very unfortunate it would be if Jack really felt any attraction in that quarter. Not but what May was a nice girl enough—till you compared her with Nellie Bloxham.

Jack noticed the change of tone, and drew his own conclusions from it.

"Any new acquaintances, uncle?" he asked; and there was a twinkle in his eye as he spoke which it was just as well the major did not see.

"A few; yes, Jack, a few. Old Colonel Marsh and his sisters; pleasant women, though a bit elderly—for you, you know; and Mrs. Bloxham and her daughter; charming girl, the daughter, though a bit young—for me of course."

"Ah, about the right age for me to play with, I suppose?"

"To play with? No, no, Jack, you're too old for play now. It's quite time you settled; and I've been thinking——"

"Yes?" as he paused, impressively, for the major felt that at last the time had come for him to speak.

"That Miss Bloxham is the very girl for you. In fact, that you're just cut out for each other."

"H'm!" said Jack.

"Well, why not?"

"Why not? No reason, perhaps But then again—why?"

"Because she's pretty, and good form, and very good company; a thorough lady, and a charming woman! Can't you trust my judgment in a matter of this kind? She's miles and away too good for you, you young dog, if that's what you mean!" he broke out angrily.

"That's exactly what I do mean. If she's all the admirable things you say she is, I fail to see how we can be cut out for each other; and shall feel bound in common fairness to let some better fellow cut me out. I'm not half good enough for her—if she's all you say she is."

"If that's all, come and have a look at her," he said, "and then you can judge for yourself. She is sure to be on the parade; they all are at this hour."

He "had a look" at Miss Bloxham and he was introduced to her. They talked together, the major beaming approval the while. He was introduced to her mother, a harmless, garrulous old lady, who always talked whether there was anybody to listen or not, and always about nothing in particular.

When the Bloxhams left the parade an hour or so later, the major and Jack walked with them as far as their own door, and Jack walked with Miss Bloxham.

"Well," said the major, as they turned away.

"Eh?"

Jack was evidently not attending. A slight, pale-faced little girl was passing at the moment, and bowed to him with a shy smile.

"Who's that?" Major Mackintosh asked abruptly. It struck him that Jack was looking ridiculously pleased about something or other.

"The sister of a man in my office. I've been down to his place once or twice lately."

"O!" The major dismissed the subject. "Well, what do you think of her?"

"Of—her?"

"Yes; isn't she all I said and more?"

"Oh, Miss Bloxham! Yes, she seems all right."

"All right? I should think she is all right. 'Pon my word, Jack, you take it coolly."

"Why, what would you have? She has talked to me about a lot of things for an hour or so; but I really know nothing about her, except that she is good-looking, and too good form to say that she is bored, whatever she may feel."

"Bored! Why should she be bored? Didn't you talk to her?"

"Yes, and she'd much rather I hadn't. I wasn't the right man, uncle that's all."

"Then, by Jove, I should like to know who is!" the major said testily.

Jack laughed, but he did not pursue the subject further. After all, it was no affair of his; and if his uncle liked to play a little game of cross purposes, he had no wish to interfere with him.

The next week passed away pleasantly enough. The major, taught by experience, knew just the kind of little expedition that was best qualified to throw young people together—and he was constantly arranging some nice little pleasure party or another. Of course, none of these were complete without the Bloxhams, and a quiet, shy girl, a great friend of Nellie's in whom—somewhat to his surprise—the major recognized Jack's little acquaintance. Millie Lee went everywhere with her friend; and as she was always sweet-tempered and happy, the major presently grew quite fond of her in a fatherly sort of way, and looked forward to arranging a suitable marriage for her as soon as Jack should be off his mind.

The major observed with approval that Jack, too, was kind to her; for he thought it an excellent sign that he should wish to please Miss Bloxham by little attentions to her friend. On the whole, he was satisfied with the way things were going—or so he told himself.

Of course Jack was in love with Miss Bloxham; how could he fail to be, knowing her so well as he now did? Why, even he, the major, was more than half in love with her himself, as he owned, with a sigh, to his cigar; and he was old enough to know the folly of it; how, then, should a young fellow like Jack escape?

The major called himself an old fool for his pains, and refused to think of what, perhaps, might have happened had he only been a dozen or fifteen years younger; but for him—a man of fifty—oh, no; it was out of the question!

And so the first week of Jack's visit came to an end.

The little expeditions, however, did not come to an end; on the contrary, Major Mackintosh redoubled his exertions, for he was growing extraordinarily anxious to have the affair settled; and the more he saw of Nellie, the more he was convinced that Jack would be the luckiest fellow in the world if he won her.

And he must win her. The major felt that his reputation was at stake, for he had never labored to make any match as he had labored for this.

"Jack, have you thought over what I said to you?" he asked abruptly one day, as they were walking back to their hotel.

"What about? You've said a good deal at different times."

"Oh, about settling, you know!"

"To be sure I have! There's a lot in it. In fact, I think I shall act on it."

"You're thinking seriously of settling, my boy?"

"Most seriously, to tell the truth!" And there was a twinkle in Jack's eye as he spoke. "I was just going to tell you that I've already asked—some one to settle me, and she's promised to do it."

"I congratulate you with all my heart, my boy!" he said huskily.

"Thank you. She is a dear little girl, and thinks no end of you. She has no father, you see, and so——"

"Yes, yes, I quite understand!" The major felt that this was a little too much. "I think she must know how I've set my heart on it," he added.

"Not a bit of it! She feared you had quite other views for me. Indeed, it was all Miss Bloxham and I could do to persuade her——"

"Her? Whom?"

"Why, Millie, of course. She fears you'll play the cruel uncle, and object to my marrying her."

"Millie! Marrying Millie!"

"Yes. Surely you must have seen——"

"And what does Miss Bloxham say to this?"

"Oh, she's delightful. We're all such friends, you know."

"Friends! Marry Millie! And but for that little marplot you might have married Miss Bloxham——"

"Not a [illegible] of it. You are mistaken there. Even had I ever wished it, she wouldn't have had me."

"Who told you so?"

"Nobody; but I'm not quite a fool, any more than you are quite a hundred. Because—uncle, Millie is not the marplot, but—quite another person!" significantly.

"By Jove!" exclaimed the major.

He was silent for some moments. When next he spoke it was in a very different tone,—

"Do you think I've any chance, Jack?"

Jack laughed not unkindly.

"Go and see," he said.

So, after all, he made an excellent match for Miss Bloxham; and Mrs. Mackintosh never regretted that Jack was not the bridegroom.—Household

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Provinz Westfalen.

Münster. Der Provinzialausschuß bewilligte 469,000 Mark zur Förderung des Kommunalwegebaues, 1,592,300 Mark zur Unterhaltung der Provinzialstraßen, 120,000 Mark für Wiederherstellung der evangelischen Kirche in Meinerzhagen, 11,000 Mark für die katholische Neustadter Kirche in Warburg und 5000 Mark dem Kreise Herford zur Errichtung des Wittekind-Denkmals. Für Kleinbahnen bewilligte der Provinzialausschuß 285,000 Mark für die Linie Bielefeld-Schildesche-Enger und Werther und 232,000 Mark für die Linie Hamm-Werl.

Dortmund. Durch eine Schlagwetter-Explosion wurden auf der Zeche Borussia drei Mann getödtet und fünf verletzt. Ein Steiger kam bei den Rettungsarbeiten um's Leben.

Sachsen.

Dresden. Der Garantiefonds für das 1900 hier abzuhaltende 13. Deutsche Bundesschießen ist bereits auf 200,000 Mark angewachsen. — Das hiesige Landgericht sprach mehrere wegen Verkaufs von Spielwaaren mit über 10 Prozent Bleigehalt verurtheilte Kaufleute kostenlos frei, mit der Begründung, es sei ihnen selbst eine Fahrlässigkeit nicht nachzuweisen, da ihnen nicht widerlegt sei, daß sie den guten Glauben gehabt, die verkauften Gegenstände seien nicht gesundheitsschädlich. Diese Annahme habe bei ihnen um so mehr bestehen können, als sie die Waare aus, nach ihrer Meinung, zuverlässigen Fabriken bezogen hatten.

Asch. Von sämmtlichen Gebirgsvereinen des Vogtlandes und Erzgebirges, unterstützt von der Bezirkshauptmannschaft Asch, ist nun die Fassung der Elsterquelle vollzogen worden. Die eine Theilquelle liegt 700, die andere 900 Meter hoch.

Chemnitz. In Folge des Zusammenschlusses aller Gegenparteien sind die Sozialdemokraten in den Stadtverordnetenwahlen vollständig unterlegen.

Freiberg. Das hiesige Schwurgericht verurtheilte den Brandstifter Arbeiter Greulich aus Somsdorf zu elf Jahren Zuchthaus, den Anstifter, Bauunternehmer Kramer, aus Tharandt zu lebenslänglichem Zuchthaus. Bei dem durch die Angeklagten herbeigeführten Brande sind zwei Menschen getödtet worden.

Leipzig. Bei einem Bau im Stadttheil Reudnitz riß beim Aufwinden eines mehrere Centner wiegenden Sandsteins das Seil und der Stein durchschlug das Gebälk, auf welchem Maurer arbeiteten; diese wurden in die Tiefe gerissen. Einer der Leute, der 42jährige Rothe, erlitt einen linksseitigen Unterschenkelbruch, die Maurer Adam und May erlitten innere Verletzungen.

Thüringische Staaten.

Eisenach. An Pfingsten vorigen Jahres wurde auf dem nördlich von hier gelegenen Wadenberge unter großen Feierlichkeiten der Grundstein für ein Burschenschaftsdenkmal gelegt, welches dem Andenken Kaiser Wilhelms des Ersten gewidmet sein soll. Der Errichtung des Denkmals auf diesem Grunde stellten sich jedoch schwerwiegende Bedenken entgegen, so daß der Denkmalsausschuß, welcher vor Kurzem von Berlin nach Eisenach verlegt wurde, sich entschließen mußte, einen anderen Platz auszuwählen. Die Wahl ist nunmehr auf die östlich der Stadt belegene Goepelkuppe gefallen.

Gera. Der Fabrikbesitzer Richter, der nach vielen Wechselfälschungen einen Bankerott machte, in welchem die Masse gleich Null war, erhielt für seine Fingerfertigkeit und Geschicklichkeit im Betrügen acht Jahre Zuchthaus.

Weimar. Die Landessynode kam, entgegen den Thesen der Eisenacher Kirchenkonferenz, zu der Anschauung, daß es eine Härte sei, den Geistlichen die Theilnahme an der Feuerbestattung zu versagen. Die Mitwirkung sei vielmehr zu gestatten, wenn der kirchliche Akt in einem mit dem Feuerbestattungsraum nicht unmittelbar zusammenhängenden Raum erfolge.

Freie Städte.

Hamburg. Dieser Tage ist die bekannte Margarinefabrik und Schmalzfabrik von A. L. Mohr in Bahrenfeld-Altona mit 5,000,000 Mark durch die Vereinsbank in Hamburg in eine Aktiengesellschaft umgewandelt worden.—Auf der Werft von Blohm u. Voß lief ein zur Woermannlinie gehörender neuer Dampfer, „Lothar Bohlen," glücklich vom Stapel. Das Schiff soll hauptsächlich dem Frachtverkehr nach Afrika dienen, hat 3500 Tonnen Tragfähigkeit und 750 Pferdekräfte.

Bremen. In Blumenthal geriethen bei einem Ball polnische Arbeiter der Wollkämmerei mit deutschen in Streit, und es kam zu Thätlichkeiten. Mehrere hundert Arbeiter eilten herbei. Zwei Arbeiter sind todt. Der Hauptschuldige wurde verhaftet.—Der Bremerhavener Stadtverordnete Hermann Grunow ist wegen Unterschlagung sozialdemokratischer Parteigelder zu sechs Monaten Gefängniß verurtheilt worden.

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"All right, Mr. Webster, quickly responded the Nantucketer. "Here's your $1,000. You come down, and I'll fix it so you can try every case."

Webster was so amused over this proposition that he kept his word. He spent the entire week in Nantucket, and appeared on one side or the other in every case that came up for hearing. The shrewd Nantucketer hired Daniel out to all his friends who were in litigation, and received in return about $1,500, so that he got Webster's services for nothing, and made a good profit to boot.

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CLOCK IN A PAINTING.

George W. Childs Offered $500 for It but It Wasn't for Sale.

The queerest oil painting in Philadelphia came from the brush of a Frenchman, his subject being a church in Stuttgart, Germany. There is a clock in the church tower, but it is not a painted clock. A real timepiece of small diameter occupies the space. It has a cathedral gong, which strikes every half-hour. Each hour is celebrated first by chimes and then by two German airs played from a music box. This musical mechanism occupies a box-like apartment, which is connected with the frame of the picture. Change of temperature affects the peculiar clockwork, as it runs very regularly in the summer, but in winter the chimes and music are seldom heard. The owner has had much trouble in getting it repaired, and no clockmaker in America seems to understand the queer mechanism. The painting, with its accessories, was made in 1700, and caused no end of comment when first brought to this country. The late Georgre W. Childs offered the husband of the owner $500 for it, as he desired to add it to his museum of clocks, but the offer was declined.—Philadelphia Record.

Notice of Order to Limit Creditors

Somerset County Surrogate's Office.

Estate of Albert B. Darby, deceased, Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of Oct. A. D., 1898, on the application of the undersigned as Executors of Albert B. Darby deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate requiring the creditors of Albert B. Darby, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscribers within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor should be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscribers.

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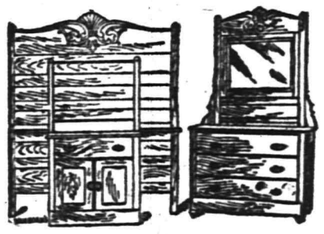

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Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m. 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 10, 7 55, 8 35 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25 2 25, 3 25, 3 35, 3 55, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 15, 6 25, 6 55, 7 25, 7 45, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25, 3 55, 6 45, 7 25, 8 55, 9 55 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 03, 7 47, 8 13, 8 31, 9 33, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15 2 12, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 10 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 47, 6 55, 8 35, 9 15, 10 15 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 00 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 03 5 35, 5 34, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 28, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 33, a. m.; 3 03, 3 40, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 38 7 55, 9 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 53, 2 05 2 39, 4 33, 5 26, 6 05, 6 08, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 27, 7 52, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 9 00 a. m.; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m; 12 25 4 15, 5 19, 7 17, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m 6 30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton Pangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 38 p. m.—For Flemington.

8 21 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

9 00 p. m.—For Easton.

5 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton

9 00 a. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 38 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D., L. & W R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 27, 5 27, 8 13, 8 27, 9 18, 10:27, a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 27, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 27 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 27, 8 13, 10:27 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 27 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 27, 5 27 9 58 a. m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a. m.

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For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 29, 9 44 a. m., 1 01, 2 16, 4 14, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 16, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m 2 16, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

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It may never be known just what the cause was that separated Ballington Booth from the Salvation Army and caused him to organize the American Volunteers.

It is said in both armies that the women of the Booth family became jealous of the amazing personal, religious and social success of Mrs. Ballington Booth in America.

It is furthermore stated that these ladies brought their influence to bear on Gen. Booth to cause him to recall his son and daughter-in-law from their popular and increasing work in the United States and consign them to the humdrum oblivion of labor in England or in some out-of-the-way country.

It is rumored that Mrs. Booth-Tucker looked from afar upon the amazing popularity of Mrs. Ballington Booth, and saw no reason why she, too, should not enjoy the same measure of success.

Members of both armies stoutly deny that there is the remotest prospect of the amalgamation of the two forces.

Maud Ballington Booth is a unique and fascinating figure in the religious history of this country.

When she first came from England the Salvation Army was a byword and a hissing. It was looked upon with about as much respect and consideration as Falstaff's army of ragged scarecrows.

By her beauty, her grace, her wonderful magnetism, her womanliness, Mrs. Booth did more for the Salvation Army in the United States than had ever been done before her advent or since.

First, her beauty won recognition before she uttered a word.

Maud Ballington Booth is like a

MAUD BOOTH.

lovely flower. She is below the medium height, slenderly built, with soft, girlish outlines. Her face is simply exquisite. Her complexion is like the delicately tinted heart of a white rose. Her great grey-blue eyes deepen into darkness as she talks. Her hair is of a warm chestnut, the tone of coloring that is vibrant with life and instinct with passion. This vital hair she seeks to restrain within proper bounds, as becomes a sedate, modern Deborah. But it persists in breaking from bounds and in rioting about her low, broad forehead in little curls and tendrils like those of a rebellious grapevine. Best of all, her beautiful face is dominated by celestial purity and light.

One of the most powerful aids Maud Booth brought to her work was a voice of wonderful and thrilling sweetness and sympathy. It is a voice that goes straight to the heart, making it leap and bringing tears to the eyes; the voice that encourages, that strengthens, that consoles.

Mrs. Booth is a gentlewoman born and bred. An educated woman, and one of great refinement, she was equipped both by nature and education to interest a class of people that had hitherto looked upon the Salvation Army as frowsy and battered, though somewhat amusing spectacle.

It was Maud Ballington Booth who took the Salvation Army into the drawing-rooms of the fashionable society of New York city.

Amazement seized the exclusives when a prominent society woman issued 200 cards of invitation to meet Mrs. Ballington Booth, "who will," so the cards ran, "give an account of the work of the Salvation Army."

Many responded to mock, but remained to pray.

When the slight figure came before those fashionable women; when the earnest, exquisite face, like the face of some saint of old emblazoned on a cathedral window, was uplifted in prayer; when the wonderful voice told its tales of the pathos and sorrow and misery of one-half the world, the frigid, flippant listeners were conquered.

Maud Ballington Booth became the fashion.

Morning meetings were held in many of the most exclusive drawing-rooms in New York. The lovely Salvationist attracted the very elect of society.

Being a beautiful woman and an accomplished one as well, she held her own among her listeners.

At the close of her talks she gave informal receptions, at which she spoke to her admirers in perfect English or fluent French.

From Murray Hill she would pass to Cherry Hill.

In the morning she would thrill a jaded and blase crowd of worldlings; in the afternoon she would scrub the dirty floor of some frightful back tenement.

About three years ago Mrs. Booth naugurated her convict work.

She was the woman of all others to attack this undertaking.

The most strongly developed trait of this remarkable little woman is her maternal instinct. She is above all else a mother; a mother to the poor and unfortunate, to the downtrodden and the lowly, to the erring and sinful.

She loves people; she broods over the world; she could gather the universe to her warm, sympathetic heart.

Thugs, thieves and murderers are to her God's unhappy children, with souls to save and much misery to suffer.

So when she went to Sing Sing and talked to one thousand convicts the motherhood of this woman welled up in her heart and overflowed and enveloped her listeners and captured them, as her innate refinement and high-bred manners had conquered the social world, and as her native kindness and sympathy had won the hearts of the dwellers in the slums.

The convicts became "her boys" and she was soon their "Little Mother."

BALLINGTON BOOTH.

Nor did her ministration stop at preaching to the convicts. So deeply were Mrs. Booth's sympathy and interest engrafted on this work that she established a home for discharged convicts. "Hope Hall" stands to-day a monument to the woman who not only looked within the prison walls and brought the light of her sweet face and the warmth of her generous heart to the wretched beings there, but who looked beyond the walls as well and saw that to save these men when they emerged from prison some sort of a refuge and help in time of trouble must be provided for them.

Through Mrs. Booth's ceaseless energy and unbounded influence more than through any other channel the superb barracks of the Salvation Army was built on Fourteenth street.

The Army had now a recognized place in the United States, and this was due more to the work, presence and interest of Maud Ballington Booth than to any other agency.

Then came the sudden order to the Booths to return to England, their refusal, their withdrawal from the Army, the establishing of the American Volunteers and the advent of the Booth-Tuckers.

It is not the province of this story to discuss the various points of difference between the Booths. The matter has been sufficiently aired already in every paper in the land.

RUSSIAN MARRIAGES BY ORDER.

If They Have Acted as Godfather and Godmother They are Exempt.

Marriages by order were so common, says Prince Kropotkin in the Atlantic that amongst our servants, each time a young couple foresaw that they might be ordered to marry, although they had no mutual inclination for each other, they took the precaution of standing together as godfather and godmother at the christening of a child in one of the peasant families. This rendered marriage impossible, according to Russian church law. The stratagem was usually successful, but once it ended in a drama. Andrei, the tailor, fell in love with a girl belonging to one of our neighbors. He hoped that my father would permit him to go free, as a tailor, in exchange for a certain yearly payment, and that by working hard at his trade he could manage to lay some money aside and to buy freedom for the girl. Otherwise, in marrying one of my father's serfs, she would have become the serf of her husband's master. However, as Andrei and one of the maids of our household foresaw that they might be made to marry, they agreed to unite as godparents in the christening of a child. What they had feared happened. One day they were called to the master and the dreaded order was given.

"We are always obedient to your will," they replied, "but a few weeks ago we acted as godfather and godmother at a christening."

Andrei also explained his wishes and intentions.

The result was that he was sent to the recruiting board to become a soldier.

Military service in those times was terrible. It required a man to serve twenty-five years under the colors, and the life of a soldier was hard in the extreme. * * * Blows from the sergeant and the officers, flogging with birch rods and with sticks, for the slightest fault, were the normal state of affairs. The cruelty that was displayed surpassed all imagination.

Thus Andrei had now to face for twenty-five years the terrible fate of a soldier; all his schemes of happiness had come to a violent end.

Molly—I wonder why those chickens are called leghorns.

Dolly—Don't you see the little horns on their ankles?—Brooklyn Life.

LEARNING A LESSON.

"I can get along with him, I'm very sure," said Joscelind Darkridge. "Nobody could get along with him!" chorused the three other Miss Darkridges, in unison.

Uncle Black was the personage of whom they spoke—a crabbed, ill-tempered, little old man—who lived in a superb old country seat among the Catskills.

He had money to leave, but his nieces and nephews secretly believed that it would be a deal easier to go to California of Golconda, or some of the fabulous places and dig fortunes out, nugget by nugget, than to stay at home and earn them by making themselves acceptable to an old gentleman who had as many angles as a rose diamond, and as many prickly spikes of temper as a porcupine.

Naomi Darkridge had tried it first. Naomi was a soft-voiced, slender girl, with a head which reminded one of a drooping lily.

"No one can help loving Naomi," said Mrs. Darkridge, as she kissed her daughter good-by.

But in three weeks Naomi came back half frightened out of her wits.

"He scolds so dreadfully," said Naomi. "And he looked at me as the wolf must have looked at Little Red Riding Hood. Oh, mamma, I couldn't stay there, not if I was to be made richer than Mrs. Burdett-Coutts herself."

Margdalena Darkridge went next; but Margdalena, although a fine, tall girl, with a spirit of her own, was cowed by Uncle Black's savage eyes in less than a week.

"I'd sooner sweep crossings for a living," said she, "than be Uncle Black's heiress."

And so she came home without loss of time.

Rhoda Darkridge, in no wise abashed by the successive failures of her sisters, was the third one to try Black Grange and its possibilities. But she also succumbed before the terrible scourge of Uncle Black's savage tongue.

"It's scold, snarl, snarl, scold, from morning till night!" said Rhoda, as in three days' time she tearfully related her experience to her parents. "Oh, you don't know—nobody can know—what a dreadful man Uncle Black is!"

"Oh, hang the old scamp!" said Mr. Darkridge, who was of a free-and-easy nature, and thought his girls a great deal too sweet and nice to be snarled at by any rich old miser. "Let him alone. My daughter's needn't go begging for any man's money."

But here Joscelind, the youngest, tallest and prettiest of the four girls, spoke up,—

"I'll go!" said she.

"You don't know what you are undertaking," said Naomi, with a shudder.

"He'd wear out a stone," said Magdalena.

"He's a ghoul!" shuddered Rhoda.

"I can get along with him, I am very sure," said Joscelind, brightly.

And she packed up her little trunk and went to Black Grange.

It was sunset—a red, flaming sunset like one of Gifford's pictures—when she came up the terraced flight of steps that led to the house. Everything blushed blood-red in the deep light, and Joscelind could see how lovely was the scenery, how substantial this old gray house, with its square towers and semi-circular, colonial porch. Uncle Black stood on the steps.

"So you are Joscelind?" said he, surveying her with little twinkling eyes, like glass beads.

"Yes, I am Joscelind," said the bright cheeked girl, giving him a kiss.

"You're late!" said Uncle Black.

"I am late," said Joscelind. "I thought the old beast of a stage never would have got here. The horses fairly crept and the roads were horrid."

"It's a dreadful warm day," growled Uncle Black.

"I am almost roasted," sighed Joscelind.

"The whole summer has been intolerably warm," said the old gentleman.

"We might as well be in the tropics and be done with it," retorted Joscelind, flinging off her shawl and fanning herself vehemently.

Uncle Black gave her the keys that night, just as he had three times before given them to her three sisters.

"I shall expect you to take charge of the whole establishment," said he. "The servants are miserable—"

"No more than one might expect," interrupted Joscelind, with a deprecatory motion of the hand. "Servants are mere frauds nowadays!"

"And nothing goes right about the place."

"Nothing ever does!" said Joscelind.

Uncle Black eyed her queerly. This was quite different from the determined cheerfulness and systematic good spirits of her sisters.

At breakfast next morning Uncle Black began to scold as usual.

"Fish again!" said he, "This makes four mornings this week we've had fish."

"I detest fish!" said Joscelind, pushing her plate away with a grimace.

"And the rolls heavy again!" growled Uncle Black, breaking one open.

"Please give me the plate, Uncle Black," said Joscelind, and she rang the table-bell sharply.

Betty, the cook, a stout, good-humored Irish woman, made her appearance.

"Betty," said Miss Darkridge, "be so good as to throw these rolls out of the window."

Betty stared.

"Do you hear what I tell you?" said Miss Darkridge, with emphasis.

And Betty flung the rolls out among the rosebushes, where they were speedily devoured by Cato, the Newfound-

[illegible] m I to eat for breakfast?" [illegible] Uncle Black.

"Crackers, of course," said Joscelind. "Anything is better than imperilling one's digestion with such stuff as this! And, Betty, if you send up any more fish in a month you may consider yourself discharged—do you hear?"

"But, my dear, I am rather fond of fish," put in the old gentleman.

"One can't eat fish the whole time," said Joscelind, imperiously. "Here, Betty, this coffee isn't fit to drink! and the toast is burned! and you must have put the cooking butter on the table by mistake! Let these errors be rectified at once."

Betty retired with an ominous rustle of her stiffly starched apron.

"My dear," said Uncle Black, apprehensively, "Betty is a very old servant, and—"

"I don't care if she is the age of Methuselah," said Joscelind; "nobody can be expected to put up with such wretched cooking as this!"

"I really think she is not so bad, it—"

"Oh, pray don't apologize for her, Uncle Black," said Joscelind. "They are all shiftless, lazy creatures, who must be discharged promptly if they don't do their duties."

Uncle Black began to look frightened. He had kept Betty, Sylvia and old John for ten years. Was it possible that he had scolded at them for ten years, only to have Joscelind Darkridge outscold him now?

"I wouldn't be too short with 'em, my dear, if I were you," he remonstrated.

"Then let them do their duty," said Joscelind, with the air of an empress.

"We are all mortal," pleaded Uncle Black.

"I expect every one around me to live up to their conditions," said Joscelind.

Uncle Black ate the rest of his breakfast with but little appetite. Sylvia, the housemaid, was finishing dusting his library when he entered it.

"Not through yet!" growled Uncle Black, the fretwork of wrinkles once more coming into his brow.

"Sylvia," said Miss Darkridge, severely, if this happens again I shall dispense with your services! Look at that clock! Is this the time of day to be dawdling about the rooms with a broom and duster? Remember Mr. Black does not pay exorbitant wages to lie in bed until noon!"

"My dear," said Uncle Black, "Sylvia is generally a very good girl, if—"

"Dear uncle," interrupted Joscelind, "pray permit me to be the judge of these matters. You have ruled your household with a slack and indulgent hand altogether too long. I shall now institute a reform."

And poor Sylvia had never moved about so briskly as she did that day.

Old John, the gardener, was not exempt from his share of the general turmoil. Miss Darkridge chanced to hear her uncle reproaching the old man for some fancied neglect in the flower beds, whose diamonds, ovals and crescents of brilliant colors were the pride of his horticultural heart, and she promptly came to his aid.

"Gardening, indeed! Do you call this gardening?" she said. "Uncle Black, I am astonished that you keep such a man as that about the place!"

And the torrent of taunts and reproaches which she showered upon the luckless head of poor old John was enough as that individual observed, "to make one's flesh creep."

"My niece is a young lady of spirit and energy," apologized Mr. Black, when at last Joscelind had gone back to the house.

"Verra like you, sir, verra like you!" said old John, scratching his head.

"Like me!" said Mr. Black, slowly.

And he stood full five minutes, quite speechless and motionless, staring at the mossy rim of an ancient sun-dial half sunk in the velvet grass. And at the end of five minutes he spoke two other words, and only two,—

"Like—me!"

"There's no knowin' the masther, he's that changed," said Betty, in the kitchen, a week or two later. "He's as mild as a lamb and as peaceable as a kitten."

"Sure, isn't that what the young lady told us," said Sylvia, "when she came down into the kitchen that first morning after the fire was lighted, and told us she was goin' to try an experiment, we wasn't to mind a word she said, cause it was all by contraries? 'He don't know what his temper has got to be,' said she, 'and I'm going to show him.' And, bless her sweet heart, her plan has worked like a charm."

It had, in good truth. Uncle Black was a changed man. And Joscelind had relapsed into the original sunshine of her temper—and all the domestic wheels of Black Grange seemed to revolve on velvet.

But Uncle Black took all the credit to himself. He never knew that Joscelind had taught him a lesson.

"We can get along very nicely," said he, "now that my niece has subdued those little tempers of hers."

And Joscelind was his heiress and darling after all—for he will always believe that it was he "who formed her character."—Cambridge Tribune.

I once had money and a friend;
On both I set great store;
I lent my money to my friend
And took his note therefor.

I asked my money of my friend,
And naught but words I got;
I lost my money and my friend,
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As I had once before,
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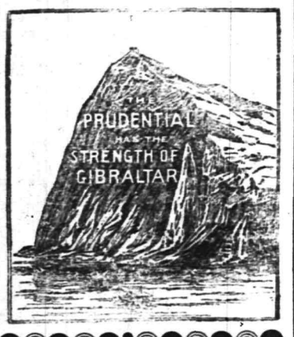

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SPORTING.

GOLF.

Owing to the storm Thursday all outdoor sports were postponed in this city. The events on the local golf links could not be played, and there were many disappointed people in the city and borough.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

Next Monday evening there will be a bowling match between the team from the Plainfield Catholic Club and the Bound Brook team. The game will be rolled in this city.

WHIST

Wednesday evening, December 7th, there will be a whist match at the Park Club between the New Jersey Athletic Club team and the Parks.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Marion S. Ackerman, of Crescent avenue, gave a party yesterday afternoon at her home for her son, Marion S. Ackerman, Jr. A number of the little fellow's friends were invited and a very pleasant time was had by all

Sprained His Ankle.

William Kilfoil, the popular Somerset street butcher, is detained at home with a sprained ankle. Dr. Buchanan anticipates no serious results, however.

Queer Remedy for Toothache.

"This talk about careless and incompetent doctors," said the Captain, "amuses me, because the fellows who do the talking assume that there were no careless doctors in the old Union army. But with the good ones we had some bad ones. While in winter quarters in '62 our surgeon, old Major S., was made brigade surgeon, and the first assistant had charge of the hospital, which was a wall tent and about as cold as a modern refrigerator. The young sawbones pinned his faith to two remedies, castor oil and quinine. One morning at sick call one of the boys showed up with a roaring toothache. The doctor prescribed castor oil.

"Naturally the fellow 'kicked' and said that he did not think castor oil reached his complaint. The doctor replied that decayed teeth were caused by a disordered stomach, and if the stomach was all right the teeth would be all right, and if he did not take the oil he would not be excused from duty. The fellow with the toothache took the oil, which was dug out of a jar with a spatula by the hospital steward, as it was frozen to the consistency of good ice cream, and went on his way swearing. Whether his toothache was cured history sayeth not."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

"Not a single book that I have written has made a hit." "H'm; you must have some Spanish blood in your veins."—Detroit Free Press.

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INEBRIETY AMONG ANIMALS.

Birds and Even Insects Show a Love for Intoxicants.

It is a curious fact that there are topers innumerable in the animal kingdom. Bipeds and quadrupeds alike are fond of alcoholic drinks, and, although some display aversion when first tasting liquor, they soon acquire a craving for it.

Chickens and ducks, after having once tasted brandy, become absolute slaves to the drink. They refuse to eat, grow thin and exhibit symptoms of dejection when unable to obtain their favorite tipple.

Monkeys and apes are passionately fond of spirituous liquors. Of these Buffon's wine-bibbling chimpanzee was a shining example, and Brehm, the German zoologist, owned several mandrills that drank wine regularly and did not disdain brandy.

Herbivorous animals frequently become intoxicated, innocently enough, through eating decaying fruit. In orchards oxen and cows, after eating overripe apples, have been seen to display all the symptoms of drunkenness. They stagger, their eyes lose expression, and they grow sleepy.

It seems that animals are susceptible to alcoholism in proportion to the development of their intelligence. Elephants are fond of wine and rum, and rats gnaw the staves of wine casks to get at the contents. Cats, however, rarely exhibit a fondness for intoxicants.

Among birds the parrot takes first place as an habitual toper. Insects have many opportunities to become intoxicated, and it is the most active that most frequently avail themselves of the chance. There is an aromatic, intoxicating fluid in linden blossoms for which bees show an especial fondness.

Instances have been observed where swarms of bees regaled themselves with the poisonous linden nectar until they exhibited all the signs of intoxication. Hundreds fell helplessly to the roadside, to be trampled under foot.—New York Herald.

AN UNRECOGNIZED HERO.

A Soldier Who Died Clutching the Cherished Evidence of His Bravery.

In the two days' real fighting before Santiago men of the different regiments became mixed, and for a time were lost to their commands. This condition gave rise to the report that a certain few men had shown the "white feather."

One of the officers of General Lawton's division observed a colored trooper of the Tenth cavalry among his men, who explained that he had lost his command, and asked that he be allowed to remain where he was.

He stayed and did fine service that day, and none of his white comrades were able to outdo him in notable deeds of bravery. He twice risked his life assisting the wounded to places of safety, but each time escaped uninjured.

That night he asked the officer he had met earlier in the day to give him a note to his own commander, explaining his absence, and certifying to his good conduct during the fighting that day. This was willingly given him and with the precious paper clasped tightly in his hand, under cover of darkness, he started in search of his own command.

The next morning at dawn Lieutenant L——, starting on a search for wounded men in his division, happened to stumble over a prostrate body. He immediately recognized the brave cavalryman of the day before, who was fast losing consciousness.

After struggling a moment for strength to speak, the prostrate man held up his precious little slip of paper and said, "Give it to Captain A——, of L troop, if you can find him, and tell him Williams wa'n' no coward."

With a look of satisfaction in his eyes his hand dropped to his side, and he was dead.

That hero rests now in a shallow trench, with ten or twelve other unknown privates.—New York Herald.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

THE PULPIT SUBJECTS.

SERVICES IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES TOMORROW.

What Plainfield Ministers Will Talk About for the Elevation of the Minds and Morals of Their Congregations.

St. Mary's (R. C.) church, Rev. P. E. Smyth, pastor.—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 2:30; evening devotions at 8.

St. Joseph's (R. C.) church, Rev. William H. Miller, pastor.—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3; evening devotions, 8.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest, Clinton avenue, William Winans Moore and Francis Gregory Moore, lay readers—9:45, Sunday-school; 11, morning service.

Grace P. E. church, Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector, and Rev. F. Appleton, curate—7:30, Holy Communion; 10:30 litany, sermon and Holy Communion; 2:45, young men's Bible class; 3, Sunday-school; 3:15, parish Bible class; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon.

First M. E. church, Rev. Winfield C. Snodgrass, pastor—10:30 and 7:30, services; 2:30, Sunday-school, 6:45, Epworth League service.

Wilson Memorial chapel—Evening, R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, will give a Bible talk.

Park Avenue Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "Unfaithful Stewardship;" 2:45, Sunday-school; evening, special Gospel and praise service and an address "America as She Was, and as She Is." All sittings free.

Reform Hall—4 p. m., Rev. B. W. Hand will lead the Gospel temperance meeting.

First Presbyterian church, Rev. C. E. Herring, pastor—Morning subject, "Twentieth Century Civilization;" evening, Question No. 3, "Is Christian Science Christian or Scientific?"

Christian church, Grove street, Rev. H. McKane, pastor—11, sermon by Rev. Edward Love; evening, Elder S. B. Horton will discuss the subject of "The Bible, Science and Alcohol," using charts and chemical experiments to illustrate the subject. The public is cordially invited.

Filmore Baptist Church, Rev. W. D. Johnson, pastor—11, sermon by Rev. G. Jones; 3, Sunday-school; 8, sermon by pastor, subject, "He That Enters the Kingdom of Heaven."

Trinity Reformed church, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, Ph.D., pastor—The pastor will preach morning and evening; 2:30, Sunday-school.

All Souls' church, Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, sermon, subject, "The Great Revolution in Men's Ideas About Religion;" 11:50, Sunday-school. In the course for the adult class on early church history, Mr. Nickerson will speak of St. Athanasius.

Grace M. E. church, Rev. G. W. Gardner, pastor—10:30 and 7:45, sermons by the pastor; morning subject, "Jesus: the Way, the Truth and the Life;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7, Epworth League devotional service, Charles Heywood, leader.

Swedish Mission Society—7:45 p.m., sermon by Rev. O. G. Truglof, theme, "The Kingdom of Christ."

Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Rev. W. C. O'Donnell, pastor—11, sermon, subject, "The Work of the Holy Spirit Illustrated;" 8, "Five Reasons Why Every American Citizen Should be a Christian;" W. C. O'Donnell, of Brooklyn, will also speak.

Y. M. C. A.—4:15, p. m., men's meeting, address by R. M. Honeyman, of Somerville, subject, "The Measure of a Man;" Mrs. John Manley and R. W. Davis will furnish vocal and instrumental music; after this meeting Mr. Honeyman will meet the Bible Training Class and others interested and give his talk on "Inductive Bible Study;" boys meeting, address by Mrs. Wheaton S. Lowery.

Mt. Olive Baptist church, Rev E E Jackson, pastor—11, sermon, theme, "The Footman and Horses in a Tedious Race;" 3, Sunday-school; 4:30, Lyceum's special Thanksgiving service; 7:30, sermon, theme, "The Three Pentecosts."

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Next Saturday the H. O. Co. will present to each purchaser of Hornby's oatmeal a package of Hornby's buckwheat.

—"Sorosis," the new shoe for women, are guaranteed by the manufacturers to be the best all around shoe. Doane & Edsall have just put them on sale, who are agents for Plainfield.

—The members of the Miantonomo Tribe and Paughcaughnaughsinque Tribe of Red Men will turn out tomorrow afternoon and attend the funeral of the late City Judge DeMeza in a body.

—At the men's meeting in the Seventh Day Baptist church tomorrow night, Dr. T. H. Tomlinson, of this city, is to speak upon the subject of "Physical Degeneracy." Youths and young men are especially invited to attend.

POPULARITY OF PEANUTS.

They Came from Africa and Originally Were as Full of Grease as Pork.

The American people are evidently very partial to peanuts, remarked a large peanut planter in Virginia to the writer recently, for there are nearly 4,000,000 bushels of them consumed in the United States annually. Before the Civil War the peanut was only a holiday luxury to the majority of the people living in the North, the day when the circus was in town, during the country fair and the great and glorious Fourth of July being the principal occasions that the popular yearning for the nut was in any measure satisfied. The product then amounted to barely 500,000 bushels a year.

"I don't suppose there are many people who know that the peanut came to this country with the first cargo of slaves that were landed on our shores. It is a native of Africa and in its original state as full of grease as a bit of pork. Cultivation and change of soil have greatly reduced the oleaginous quality of the nut, although the North Carolina variety has enough grease yet to find a ready sale in France, where it joins its African ancestor and cottonseed in supplying not a little of the olive oil we find in the restaurants and family groceries. Norfolk, Va., is the greatest peanut centre in the world, and handles annually 200,000 bags, or 8,000,000 bushels.

"It is a pretty sight to see a peanut plantation when the vines are in blossom. The blossoms are a bright yellow and the vines are a vivid green. As soon as the blossom appears a fine branch forms on the vine and shoots down into the ground. The peas, or the nuts are called on the plantation, form on the shoot beneath the ground like potatoes. When the crop is gathered in October the vine is plowed up and the nuts hang to the roots. Vine and all are piled in cocks in the field and in twenty days the nuts are ready to be pulled off, placed in bags and taken to the factories. There they are cleansed of dirt, assorted, polished in revolving cylinders and put into bags ready for the market."—Washington Star.

Disliked Royal Road.

Spain's boy King was one day admiring some heavy ordinance and questioning his tutor as to the method of using it. The mentor answered willingly, but, by way of recapitulating all he had said and closing the door to further questions, remarked "All good artillery officers find it easy enough. They merely learn mathematics, trigonometry and—" "And shall I learn these things?" asked the King. "Why, certainly," was the reply; "there is no royal road to science." "Oh, I'm glad of that!" cried the little monarch; "a royal road seems to mean the most disagreeable way of learning anything, so I'm pleased to hear there's none."—New York Press.

—The city election will be held Tuesday, December 6th

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Clothing manufactures are compelled to confess from the weather standpoint that October and a part of November has been a serious disappointment to them. They counted on cold weather to create a demand for the surplus stock they had made up. From two manufacturers we were able to buy a large stock of winter suits, overcoats and trousers at about 40c. on the dollar for what they could ordinarily make the goods for. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. The present cold weather brings you now at the proper time for your winter clothing at cut prices that you could otherwise not secure and for the values read them careful they are worthy of anyone's attention for we can say without contradiction, that strictly high-class, well-made and absolutely first-class suits, overcoats, ulsters and reefers for men and boys', were never sold at such prices at any other store in all the land. Men's fine brown cheviot suits at $3.50 worth $10. Men's fine business suits in blue and brown serge cheviots at $4.50 worth $12.

Men's splendid business suits made of strictly all-wool material worth $7.50 at $2.50. Men's black and blue smooth thibet cloth suits, or the rough surface serge effects, made in the popular double breasted styles with silk faced lapels worth $15 00 at $6 90 Men's black clay diagonal coats and vests made of eighteen ounce winter weight Washington Mills clay diagonal worsted, the kind that will not fade or wear shiney at $4 90 worth $12 00. Men's suits in fine all wool tweeds, cheviots and also homespuns, absolutely fast color and all wool worth $14 00 at $6 50. Men's fine winter overcoats made of fine gloss surface, English Kersey cloth; these coats are lined with the highest grade plaid worsteds or with silk or satin, the tailor would charge you $25.00 for such a coat, our price is $8 90. Men's extra fine Castor beaver and frieze overcoats made with raw edges and lap seams, a bargain at $15.00 now at $6.90. Men's fine all-wool overcoats made of Wauskucks Mills kersey, the smooth closely shaven kind that will stand lots of wear, worth easily $12.50, now at $5 90. Men's overcoats made in foreign and domestic coverts at $4.50 worth $10.

Men's driving ulsters, black or brown, at $2 75, worth $7. Men's genuine chinchila, strictly all wool, heavy weight, worsted lined ulsters, a "beaut," black or blue, worth $18, at $7.50. A genuine Montagnac, extra heavy, as fine as split silk, ulster good for Sunday wear, worth $25 at $[illegible].90. Boys' ulsters at $2 50 worth double Children's ulsters from $1.50 up. Children's reefers from 75c up Boys' 3 piece suits in black or blue at $2.75, ages from 11 to 16 years, worth $6.50.

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THE DAILY PRESS.

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TRAFFIC NEARLY SUSPENDED THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE STATE.

Ten Inches of Snow in Plainfield—Streets Blocked—Trolley System in Trouble—Trains all Late—Some Did Not Run at All—Bad Drifts Reported Everywhere.

New Jersey and New York are just recovering from a snow storm, the fiercest and most far-reaching in its effects of any since the memorable blizzard of 1888. It was, in fact, quite a formidable blizzard and New York and all the surrounding country was snow-bound in truth. Railroads, street car lines and elevated tracks were blocked and traffic was practically suspended. The storm began gently Saturday noon and continued slowly increasing in force until it attained its height Saturday night. Early sunday morning the snow stopped falling but a gale from the northeast had set in and carried the snow into huge drifts. On a level tnere was ten inches of snow but the drifts were, in some places, as many feet deep. Coming as it did so early in the season, the storm caught the country unprepared to meet it.

IN THE CITY.

Church Attendance Slim—Few Ventured Out—Hard Time for the Hackmen.

Yesterday found most of Plainfield at home. The situation out of doors was not tempting and those who did not have to go out were glad to remain within doors. Everything was practically at a standstill. There were only a few who braved the storm to venture out to church and the morning services were very slimly attended. Attempts were made to clean sidewalks early in the morning, but in many cases it did no good, as the high wind so drifted the snow over the path. It was somewhat better in the afternoon in the more closely built up sections of the city. The attendance at the sessions of the Sunday-schools was consequently larger. The wind increased in violence as the full moon came up at nightfall, and most of the evening services were given up.

The Sunday newspaper men had a hard row to hoe. The morning paper trains were nearly three hours late. Then some of the smaller carriers succumbed to the power of the storm and new men had to be substituted. As a result the newspapers were not all delivered until 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The liverymen were joyful Saturday night when the promise of sleighing for the morrow was so bright. The high gale, however, made sleighing decidedly uncomfortable yesterday, and there were comparatively few sleighs out.

The hackmen had a hard time of it, for the snow was so deep in places as to make going almost impossible. There was a great demand for hacks, of course, as many did not care to face the storm and wind afoot. Horses slipped and fell and were soon exhausted.

The sleighing was not good, the snow drifting too much. On the outskirts of the city, where the wind had full sweep, the drifts were deep, measuring five and six feet in places. The sidewalks there were impassable, and the few pedestrians were driven to take the middle of the roadway or else wade waist deep in drifts. Up to this morning the outlying sections of the city were practically storm-bound.

FRONT STREET IMPASSABLE.

Street Department Men Opened It Up—Also Did Other Work About City.

Street Commissioner Gavett was on hand early Sunday morning. With the high winds blowing there was little that he and his men could do. A report soon came in that East Front street at Cole's hill was impassable. The snow had formed high sloping drifts that overturned every sleigh that reached them. Several milkmen came to grief there in their efforts to reach the city. The drifts were nearly ten feet in height in places. The city scraper was sent to the scene and managed to clear away some of the snow with difficulty It was necessary to keep at work constantly as the wind filled up the gaps at once.

Park avenue, beyond Randolph road, was reported to be almost impassable. Several upsets were reported there in the deep drifts.

Yesterday afternoon the regular gang from the street department was at work removing the snow from the crosswalks. Seeing that his regular force was far too small, Mr. Gavett increased it. The crosswalks in the business section were all cleaned and many in the other parts of the town.

Today the department men began work on such sidewalks as had not been cleaned since the storm and the owners will have to pay for it. It is probable that some arrests will be made for failure to clean off the sidewalks twenty-four hours after the storm when the work is supposed to be done within four hours.

THE TROLLEY TROUBLES.

Local Line Unable to Run Over Its Entire Route—Cars Stopped Awhile.

The storm caught the cars of the Plainfield Street Railway and about 2 o'clock yesterday morning all traffic on the several lines were stopped. Fortunately the cars were able to reach shelter at the car house, and were not obliged to remain outside all night. Under the supervision of Superintendent Adleman the sweeper was kept agoing, but the snow reached such a depth that this work had to be stopped early. It was finally decided that it was useless to continue the work while the snow was falling so fast.

Early yesterday morning the snow plows were started again and at 10 o'clock after a great deal of hard work the tracks were cleared on the main line from Woodland avenue to Grant avenue, and from the car house to Johnston's Drive on the Fourth street and Somerset street line. All day yesterday the cars got no further toward Dunellen than Grant avenue.

The wind blew the snow back as fast as it was removed and all efforts to reach Dunellen were in vain. The employes of the road have kept at their work and the line will soon be opened through to Dunellen. The other parts will soon be opened as well.

RAILROADS IN TROUBLE.

Traffic on the Jersey Central Greatly Delayed by the Storm.

All the railroads whose terminals are located in Jersey City felt the severity of the storm. Trains were delayed many hours and some did not run at all. The officials of the Jersey Central Railroad were kept busy all Saturday and Sunday nights. The heavy snowfall of Saturday night combined with the high winds blocked the switches in the Jersey City yard making it very difficult to get any of the trains started. The trains leaving New York at 11:45 and 12:15 Saturday night, did not arrive in Plainfield until 6 o'clock Sunday morning. It took twenty minutes for the trains to go through the Fanwood cut. The wind had drifted the snow in there to a great depth through which the locomotive found great difficulty in making their way. Freight and coal traffic was practically at a standstill. One coal train went through with three engines pulling it.

The newspaper train, due here at 5:45, did not arrive until 8 o'clock. It was then composed of three cars instead of eight as usual. The 2:08 and 5:15 trains never came at all. A snow plow, pushed by two powerful locomotives, passed through here at 7 o'clock. It went on to Somerville and started on the Flemington branch to get stalled in a deep cut near Flagtown.

The Newark-Elizabeth branch was blocked until late Sunday morning. The first train from the west was the Philadelphia express, due at 6:59 o'clock. It arrived after 10 o'clock. Two engines were used on all of the P. & R. trains and on some of the locals.

The snow drifted into a cut near Finderne delaying all the trains from Somerville yesterday. None of the trains were on time either way and all were from half an hour to three hours late.

The wind of the night made things even worse and the Flemington branch was still blockaded. Trains from Phillipsburg and Easton encountered enormous drifts west of Somerville and were unable to get through until late this morning. The Fanwood cut still troubled the local traffic and delayed trains. Most of the morning trains that carry the local commuters to New York were almost on time when they left Plainfield. They were late in arriving at Jersey City, however. The 7:55 train, which comes through from Flemington, had to be made up at Somerville as the Flemington train was unable to get through.

The railroad company is hard at work and expects to get things in running order by tonight unless the wind increases in violence. There are snow plows at work besides gangs of men with shovels.

WIRES SUFFERED LITTLE.

Only a Few Telephone Wires Went Down Before the Fury of the Big Storm.

There has not been a storm in many months during which so little damage was done to the electric light, telephone and telegraph wires. None of them were down except a few telephone wires on Prospect and Putnam avenues, and the service was not interrupted at all.

The telegraph wires stayed in place, and this kept up communication all along the line. The electric light wires suffered no damage, and the lights shone through the storm. Superintendent McClurg, of the Electric Light Company, says that the storm did no damage to the wires because it was such a dry snow, and blew away before it had time to settle and stick. The leaves being all off the trees, there was less thrashing and whipping, and this also protected the wires.

The storm has put a sudden stop to the work being done on the electric light trenches. Saturday night, fortunately, Patsey Christmas, the contractor, covered them all up as far as he had gone. This morning he dug from below Second street to North avenue, to the manhole, and when the pipes are laid there, he will stop work for the season.

THE TROLLEYS BLOCKED.

Lines All Over the State Are Blockaded by the Storm—Cars Stalled.

Outside of this city, the suburban trolley lines were compelled to suspend operations Saturday afternoon and evening, and few have yet resumed. Despite all efforts, communication will not be resumed until some time today. In other neighboring cities, the trolley lines suffered greatly and traffic was suspended almost for twenty-four hours.

In New Brunswick the trolley system of the Brunswick Traction Company, which extends from New Brunswick to the neighboring towns of Milltown, South River, Metuchen and Bound Brook, was the first to suffer from the fierceness of the snow storm. As early as 5 o'clock the trolley officials had the snow sweepers and snow plows out on the line of the road, and a vain effort was made to keep the line opened. Before midnight it was found to be impossible to keep even the city line in operation, and several cars became stalled in heavy snowdrifts outside of the city.

One of the cars of the trolley line became stalled in a deep snowbank on the line from New Brunswick to Metuchen, shortly after 5 o'clock. There were six women among the passengers, and the party of about ten spent several hours in the car before they were able to get out and reach a dwelling.

A car on the line to Bound Brook became stalled in a snowdrift late Saturday night. Several hacks were sent after the passengers and they were taken back to New Brunswick. Several of them wanted to go to Somerville, and some of them did not have sufficient money to pay their car fare or hotel bills, and they had to be sent home by the Brunswick Traction Company.

It was nearly noon yesterday before the traction company managed to get the tracks in New Brunswick cleared sufficiently to permit of the moving of

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HONORED THE MEMORY OF THE LATE JUDGE.

Impressive Funeral Service of the Late Judge DeMeza.

VERY LARGE ATTENDANCE.

IT WAS HELD IN THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The Members of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Acted as Guard of Honor—Delegations of Red Men, Knights of the A. E. O. and Lawyers Present—Mayor and Council Attend in a Body.

City Judge George W. DeMeza has passed away to another land from whence none return. But the remembrance of him still remains. Yesterday afternoon, the last sad rites were held and friends, fraternal comrades, and business associates gathered in the First Presbyterian church to do honor to his memory. It was one of the grandest and most impressive funeral ceremonies ever witnessed in Plainfield, for the young judge had a host of friends who braved the elements to show their regard for the departed one.

Saturday afternoon, from 2 to 6 o'clock, the late City Judge rested in state at his old home on West Second street. The cover of the casket had been removed and the familiar face, so white and still, was gazed at for the last time by the sorrowing friends. Despite the snow storm that raged outside, there were a host of them who came to bid farewell as it were to their once active friend.

The funeral yesterday afternoon began at 2:30 o'clock. The two central sections of seats were reserved for the societies of which Judge DeMeza was a member and the other special guests. The side sections and gallery were filled even before the hour of beginning.

The members of Franklin and Somerset Councils, J. O. U. A. M. marched to the church in a body and acted as guard of honor. The members formed an open aisle leading to the church door and there waited. The members of Miantonomo and Paughcaughnaughsinque tribes of Red Men, in regalia, marched between the rows of attendant Juniors and took seats on the right of the centre aisle. They were followed by a delegation of the members of the Ancient Essenic Order, numbering about forty.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk, City Treasurer W. F Arnold and Sheriff William T Kirk were given seats in the front pews. A few minutes later all the members of the Common Council together with several other of the city officials were seated just behind the Mayor on the right. Behind them came the members of the Plainfield Bar. The inclement weather kept many of the out-of-town lawyers away but there was a representation of the Union County Bar outside of Plainfield. The law students were also present seated together.

For sometime preceding the opening of the service soft minor harmonies swept out from the organ. Sorrow seemed to fill the very tones. At last the side door swung quietly open and the black casket, with its silver trimmings, was borne into the auditorium by six of Plainfield's most prominent men in the legal profession, Senator Charles A. Reed, Former Assemblyman W. R. Codington, ex-Judge W. A. Coddington, Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh, Former Judge W. M. Stillman and Councilman Wm. N. Runyon.

At the same time there entered from the rear of the sanctuary, the bereaved mother leaning on the arm of her now eldest son, William G. DeMeza and the other members of the family. Following were the intimate friends of the late Judge. All were seated on the left of the centre aisle. In the space remaining the members of the Junior Order occupied, filing in behind the mourning ones. Then eleven policemen in full uniform, led by Chief Grant, Sergeant Kiely and Roundsmen Frederickson and Flynn, entered and took their place in the rear pews of that section.

The seating of the people was done by the ushers, Francis J. Blatz, Charles J. McNaub, Robert M. Clark and Harry C Runyon, co-workers of the late Judge in the legal profession. After the arrival of the cortage, the rear of the church was speedily filled by those for whom there were no seats.

Rev. Charles E. Herring, pastor of the church, officiated at the service. He opened the service by reading the 23d Psalm, after which he led in prayer and made his remarks, which were tender and comforting to the be-

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DEATH CAME WHILE HE WAS AT WORK.

Sudden Death of Robert F. Randolph Saturday Night.

THERE WAS NO WARNING.

HAD JUST REMOVED THE SNOW FROM THE SIDEWALK.

Mr. Randolph Had Conversed With a Press Reporter a Moment Before—Complained That He Was Getting Weak—Fell by the Back Porch—Wife Heard Him Groan—Died From Rupture of a Vein.

Without a moment's warning death came suddenly and painlessly to Robert F. Randolph, of 119 Elmwood place, last Saturday evening at 5:30, and the community was deeply shocked when the sad news was heard about the city.

Mr. Randolph has been employed at the Pond Tool and Machine Works for nine years, and on Saturday afternoon he came home from his work early, as is customary on that day. On arriving home he secured a shovel and proceeded to remove the heavy fall of snow from his front walk and the walks about his house. While he was shovelling the snow from the front walk he conversed with a reporter of The Daily Press, and he remarked about the heavy fall of snow and how difficult it was for him to shovel snow now that he was getting old. He complained a little about his not being strong enough to do the work. As he made these remarks he concluded his work, and these were the last words spoken by him. He then walked around the side of his house to the back porch. Just as he reached the porch he fell suddenly on the board walk and after a few gasps he passed away.

Mr. Randolph's wife was alone in the kitchen and she heard a noise and a groan. She hastened to the back door and there she saw her husband lying out stretched and apparently unconscious. She spoke to him, but no answer came back. Mrs. Randolph then called Daniel Page, a neighbor, and with his assistance Mr. Randolph was carried into the house and placed on a couch.

Examination soon proved that life had left the body and Mr. Randolph was dead. His sudden death is supposed to have been caused by his fall, as the physician thinks that a bloodvessel was ruptured. At first it was thought that his heart was the trouble, but this theory was not substantiated.

Mr. Randolph was sixty-six years of age, and was one of Plainfield's oldest and most respected citizens. He was the son of the late Joseph Randolph, who was one of the pioneer citizens of this place. Mr. Randolph was, by trade, a carpenter, and nine years ago he secured a position at his trade in the Pond Tool and Machine Works under Andrew McCardle. The latter, in speaking about Mr. Randolph, says that he was the hardest worker in his departtment, and that it will be almost impossible to fill his place. He always worked for his employer's interest and was faithful to the last.

Mr. Randolph lived a very quiet and retired life. Several years ago his daughter died, leaving his wife and himself. He was a good citizen, a kind neighbor and a faithful and loving husband. His interests were in his home, and there was no place that he preferred to it. Being of domestic habits, he loved to keep his home and property in the best of condition. Outside of business hours, he could almost always be seen working about his place, fixing here and there. His death will cause a severe loss in the home, and in his place of business.

A few years ago his mother and sister died, and there is only one left in the family, his brother, Joseph J. Randolph, who lives on the same street only a few doors away.

Mrs. Randolph, who is left alone, has the sympathy of a host of friends and neighbors. She is the sister of Mrs. William H. Shotwell and Mrs. L. E. Barkalew, both of the borough.

The funeral services will be held from the home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment will be at Hillside Cemetery.

The First Sleigh.

"Gene" Laine, the South Plainfield hotel keeper, called at The Daily Press office Saturday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock, in a sleigh, the first one, he says, on the road this winter.

Taken to Hillside Vault.

The remains of the late City Judge DeMeza were taken to the vault at Hillside Cemetery this morning, and will be interred as soon as the weather permits.

—Press want ads bring results.

THE HILLSIDE LINKS CLOSED FOR SEASON

Last Match Played Saturday Morning for Fisk Cup.

A SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

COURSE WILL BE OPENED IN THE SPRING FOR PLAY.

In the Contest for Fisk Junior Handicap Cup, A. G. Fisk Won—Final Ownership of Cup to be Played for Next Spring—Mixed Foursomes for the Gilbert Cup Were Not Played.

After a season of great success the links of the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club were closed Saturday, and will not be used again until next spring. The last event to be played took place last Saturday morning when the Fisk junior handicap cup was contested for by six members. The day was not a pleasant one, but good scores were made. The winner of the cup was A. G. Fisk with a net score of 103. He will hold the cup until next spring when it will be finally contested for permanent ownership by A. G. Fisk, G. H. Richards, Parker Mason, Owen Fleming, Jr., N. P. Rogers, Jr., M. J. Dumont. All of them have won the cup and a great spirit of rivalry has and still exists for the final ownership.

Below will be found the scores for Saturday's play:

	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
A. G. Fisk	105	2	103
C. W. Fisk	107	3	104
M. J. Dumont	106	scratch	106
G. H. Richards	121	3	118
N. P. Rogers, Jr.	128	5	123
H. Dupee Wright	148	18	130

The mixed foursomes for the Gilbert cup were not played in the afternoon on account of the weather. The grounds will now be covered and enclosed and will be kept so until next spring when they will be put in shape for the spring, summer and fall play.

The members of the club feel highly gratified with the success of the past season, and although the links were opened late they were in very good condition. By next year they hope to have the grounds in far better condition, and so on with each succeeding year. The officers of the club deserve much credit for their management of affairs and to them is due much praise.

ROUTE OF NEW TROLLEY.

SLIGHT CHANGES OVER THAT ALREADY PUBLISHED.

Will Pass the Golf Links and Go Out Woodland Avenue to the Oak Tree Road Passing the Marconnier Chapel.

The project to build a trolley line from Plainfield to Metuchen, as was told exclusively in Saturday's Daily Press, has attracted much attention in Plainfield and all along the line of the projected road. In the account, however, there was a slight error as to the proposed route of the trolley line.

As told in The Daily Press, the line will start on Prospect avenue near Park avenue, thence running south on Woodland avenue, passing the Crescent Oval, Hillside Cemetery and the Hillside golf links. Instead of turning to the left on the Mt. Pleasant road, the line will follow Woodland avenue past the golf links, the driving park and on to Marconnier, passing close by the little chapel there. There a tour will be made to the left and the Lehigh Valley Rail road will be crossed and the Oak Tree road followed in the turn to the right on to Pumptown and thence according to the route already published.

It is not yet decided how the Lehigh Valley Railroad tracks will be crossed. The present bridge is hardly wide enough to allow the cars to run over it. That would necessitate a new bridge, or practically a new one by widening the present structure. It is possible that a new road may be cut through crossing the railroad tracks at grade and that the trolley line will follow it. These, however, are details which will not interfere with the general plan and will have to be settled as they are reached.

Entertained His Young Friends.

A pleasant event of Saturday afternoon was the party given by Edward Hayman, aged thirteen years, to twenty of his school friends from the Bryant Public School. The affair was given between 2 and 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. Drain, an aunt of the young host, who resides at 73 Leland avenue. During the afternoon the young people had a general good time playing games, etc., after which refreshments, consisting of ice cream and fruit, were served in abundance.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Huff, of Coddington avenue, are entertaining Mr. Huff's mother, sister and brother from Centreville, N. J.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE DISCUSSED IN PULPIT.

Rev. Chas. E. Herring Preached on That Subject.

SAYS THEORY IS FALSE.

IT CLAIMS SIN, SICKNESS AND DEATH NOT REAL.

Rev. Mr. Herring Preached a Straight Sermon Last Night—Claimed That Christian Science Could Not Agree With the Unchangeable Facts—Discussed the Alleged Wonderful Healings.

Rev. Charles E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church, chose "Christian Science" as the subject of his evening sermon and spoke as follows:

"Is a belief in Christian science consistent with a belief in historic Christianity?—I answer no—Christian science is neither scientific nor Christian—we are especially interested in the religious phase of it.

"It denies the incarnation of our Lord. God cannot become finite. It makes therefore a distinction between Jesus and Christ—Jesus was a godlike man. The Christ is the divinity of the man Jesus. There is nothing of this in the New Testament. The creed says the son which is the word of the father begotten from everlasting of the father and of one substance with the father took man's nature, etc. Godhead and manhood were joined together in one person never to be divided.

"The Jesus of Christian science was only a man, the Christ is God's spiritual eternal ideas, undistinguishable from God.

"Christian science offends in its theory of sin. There is no atonement, for there is no sin—man is the reflection of God, and is capable of sin inasmuch as he derives his essence from God.

"The only reality of sin, sickness or death is the awful fact that unrealities seem real to human belief until God strips them of their disguise.

"Scripture asserts that sin is the result of disobedience, a transgression of law. Christian science asserts that it is not a reality, but simply a result of inverted thinking—a phantom. The experience of a dream seems real. This is the only reality of sin.

"The theory denies the Scripture and the intuitions of men. Such doctrine, if believed extensively, would have a disastrous effect. If sin is only a phantom, if God is of purer eyes than to behold iniquity, what an opportunity for sinful man to plunge into the wildest excesses. Mind has a tremendous power over bodily ailments. At the grotto of Lourdes cures are achieved where hospitals have failed. Hindoo fakirs and Indian medicine men have accomplished similar results. The ordinary physician seeks the patient's co-operation; scientific men parallel these cures by scientific methods through mental suggestion; and there is no need of such religious theories as deprive us of the fatherhood of God and of the atonement of prayer to a personal God, for Mrs. Eddy says 'audible prayer cannot change the unalterable truth or give us an understanding of it.'"

An Unfortunate Game.

Raymond A. McGee, of Orchard avenue, Washington Park, returned from Yale University Wednesday evening to spend Thanksgiving at home and take part in the football game here. He attended the "tank drama" at New Haven as the Yale-Harvard game is suggestively named, and caught a heavy cold standing out in the rain that afternoon. He is now confined to his home with an attack of the grip brought on by the exposure. He will be detained to his home for several days.

Part of His Fine Returned.

It is reported on excellent authority that J. Harry Green, of the borough, who was recently fined $60 for having rabbits in his possession which he claimed he shot in New York State, where the law was up, has had $40 of the amount refunded to him. It is said that the State authorities have ascertained that the $60 fine was illegal, hence the refunding of a portion of the amount.

A Strong Argument.

At the First Church of Christ last evening Mr. Horton, the adventist, proved by translation of the Bible that it argued against anyone using strong drink. Debates on this subject have been held at Reform Hall for sometime, but it remained for Mr. Horton to give the explanation of the subject.

'Twas the Relief Association.

It was not the Organized Aid Association which distributed Thanksgiving dinners among the poor Wednesday, but the Relief Association.

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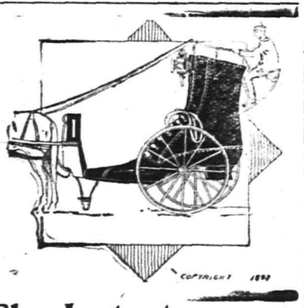

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BOMB FOR WAR BOARD

Roosevelt's Stinging Letter Stirs Up the Commissioners.

CAN DECIDE WITHOUT HELP

The War Commission Listen to the Testimony of Dr M. R. Terry Surgeon-General of the National Guard of the State of New York and Pres. Baldwin of the L. I. R. R. Then a Letter from R. Roosevelt is Read.

New York, Nov. 28.—The first witness before the war board Saturday was Dr. M. R. Terry, surgeon general of the National Guard of the state of New York. He told of his observations while on a tour among the army camps.

Dr. Joseph Chmelicek, acting assistant surgeon in the army, who was assigned to duty in the hospital at West Tampa, testified that everything possible was done for the sick soldiers.

W. H. Baldwin, Jr., of the Long Island Railroad Company made a lengthy statement. At the close a letter from Robert B. Roosevelt, secretary of the committee for the protection of soldiers, was received, which was as follows:

New York, Nov. 26.

To the Presidential Commission of Inquiry:

Gentlemen: I have noticed in the morning press that one of your members criticises the witnesses who have testified at the request of the committee formed in this city to protect the soldiers, for the reason that, while establishing the fact that much groundless and inexcusable suffering was inflicted on the army, they do not fix the responsibility nor show who is to blame.

If the views of your commission are correctly reported, there seems to be a misunderstanding between us. We supposed all the witnesses were to do was to prove the facts, and that the commission would fix the responsibility—indeed, was appointed for the express purpose of fixing the responsibility—and that it would have been a case of presumption, might be even a case of cruel injustice, if any witness had undertaken to express his opinion on the condition of which he was of necessity only partly informed, for the men who are guilty of the ill treatment of our soldiers will be execrated in this community. No one knows better than myself how deep this feeling is. Any party or person who trifles with it will regret doing so, and any person, who, through ignorance or prejudice, directs it into an erroneous channel is doing a great wrong. The heroic boys may forget their sufferings, may even refuse to testify to them, but their mothers will not and their fathers will not.

Nor will it do to take refuge behind the errors of the civil war. Then we were wholly taken by surprise at the North. No one here could believe in the possibility of so hideous a folly There followed blunder after blunder disgrace after disgrace. There was no intentional cruelty, such as has so often prevailed in this war, but do you forget the rumors of peculation, the paper shoes, the shoddy clothing, the demurrage on transport? But the men were not starved and the sick were treated with all possible attention and kindness. Water was not sold to fever racked sufferers at ten cents a glass, food was not sold to starving men at 25 cents for a sandwich, and dainties for the dying were not eaten by the officers.

But suppose matters had been a thousand times worse in the civil war, would that be any reason now that our men should be sent with arms out of date, that there should be no ambulances, no pack trains or transportation to carry food to the front, not half sufficient medicine or doctors, no proper hospitals, and that men with freshly treated wounds should be left to lie in the mud on a blanket, if they had one, without if they had none, nor even why mid-winter underclothing should be sent to Cuba and midsummer gauze undersuits to Montauk, in company with the siege guns intended for Santiago?

. . . . . .

The witnesses have established monstrous incapacity, even greater negligence and indifference and political interference. That they have not full confidence in the power of your commission, no matter how good its will to meet all the requirements the public demands of it, is only echoing your own doubts, but in spite of that they seem to have done their share, and it would seem that it only remains for you to do your best, even if that best is not quite satisfactory to yourselves. If done in good faith it will teach the soldiers that at least there is a power which has honestly endeavored to do them justice; has endeavored to revive that patrictism which was so grandly flourished five months ago, but has been nipped in the frost of brutality and neglect. You can direct your inquiries in the first place to the food supply. Find out who gets the difference between the liberal rations allowed by the government and the meagre hardtack, bacon and green coffee served to the soldiers. The witnesses are the books and rolls in the public departments, to which you have full access. Find out who left the medicines, the two fully equipped hospitals and the ambulances at Tampa, when there was abundant time to ship them on the transports which were delayed for a week by the rumors of the Spanish fleet. Why General Miles's intelligent directions to make a list of everything which was stowed on board and where, so each article could easily be got at, and to put a variety on each ship, were not followed.

How can any witness within our reach give you this information? We have furnished you the facts, shown you brutality, cruelty, neglect, indifference, how men whom the government was under every obligation to protect and who had a right to rely on such protection, were starved even in a land of plenty, were uncared for when sick, left without attention when wounded, were abused, maltreated, in some cases practically murdered. We have shown you an indifference and belittling of human sufferings which continues even now. If this nation is to become a warlike one, if we are to have an army which shall be efficient, and to be relied upon, these crimes and blunders must be corrected, and your commission must correct them. It is not for you to make the feeble excuse that our committee, a mere voluntary association, with no legal power, no legal existence even, shall shoulder this responsibility for you. In saying this I do not mean in the least to express a doubt of either your ability or desire to do so, for the whole country urges upon you the necessity to succeed.

Yours very respectfully,
ROBERT B. ROOSEVELT.
Secretary Committee for Protection of the Soldiers.

General Dodge suggested that the letter be received and filed. Captain Howell seconded the motion.

"We have invited all the witnesses to tell everything they know," he said, "and we have made and are making every honest effort to get witnesses and to get the truth from them. I do not see that Mr. Roosevelt's letter deserves any answer. I am ready to stand on the record of the commission when the commission has made a record. I do not need Mr. Roosevelt nor any one else to make up my mind for me."

The afternoon session completed the work of the commission in this city, and the members went to Boston by the midnight train.

GENERAL BUTLER'S REPORT.

Work of the Evacuation Commission Proceeding Smoothly.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—General M. C. Butler of South Carolina, a member of the Cuban evacuation commission, arrived here Saturday from Havana in response to a telegraphic summons from President McKinley and in the afternoon he had a two hours' consultation with the president at the White House.

He made an extended report of the terms upon which the Spaniards had agreed to complete the evacuation by January 1.

General Butler gave it as his opinion that all the Spanish troops will have departed ten days before the date fixed in the agreement.

He says that the Spanish officials and American commissioners work with admirable fairness, and that there has been little friction

In addition to his report upon the actual work of the committee, General Butler gave to the president much information as to the general situation in Cuba, the ability of the Cubans for self government, the sanitary condition of Havana and the general results of his observations during his stay there.

He thinks that the military government of the island must be continued for some time, but that it should only be as vigorous as may be necessary to preserve order. If military control is exercised with discretion he believes there will be little trouble.

General Butler describes Havana now as a pest hole, filled with filth and destitution. The Spanish authorities have agreed to inaugurate the work of putting the city in a sanitary condition with the aid of the American authorities, and the work to this end is to begin at once.

The general paid a high tribute to the discipline and uncomplaining suffering of the Spanish troops. They endured hardships, he said, which would have caused American soldiers to revolt.

HOLLAND'S QUEEN TO WED.

Betrothal to Prince William of Wied, Now Practically Settled.

London, Nov. 28.—The young queen of Holland, who recently displayed her strong will by recalling a whole issue of postage stamps because her portrait on them made her look too girlish, is again showing her spirit in the question of her betrothal to Prince William of Weide, an officer in the German army, which has been practically settled upon.

The official announcement of the betrothal has been kept back on account of certain difficulties in the protocol, the question being whether the prince should be invested with the rights and perogatives of prince consort or retain his present rank.

Unless the former plan is adopted neither the laws of Holland nor the foreign courts will recognize him as a member of the Dutch royal family. The Weide family insist upon the title of prince consort, but Queen Wilhelmina demands that Queen Victoria's precedent be followed and that the title of prince consort be not conferred until eighteen months after the marriage.

It is expected, however, that the difficulty will be overcome before long. The wedding has already been fixed to take place at The Hague next spring.

Hobson Will Return to Annapolis.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—Naval Constructor Hobson arrived at Washington yesterday from Norfolk and came directly to the navy department. He has just returned from his trip on the Vulcan to Cat island, the scene of the casting away of the Infanta Maria Teresa.

He brought with him the report of Captain McCalla, who was in charge of the expedition sent on the Vulcan to endeavor to save the vessel. The report is merely an elaboration of the history of the journey and its results already contained in the telegraph report to the department and where it touches upon the present condition of the Teresa makes the wreck appear even more hopeless than Captain McCalla's telegram.

This statement was strongly reinforced by Constructor Hobson's verbal report to Acting Secretary Allen.

Captain McCalla will resume his duties as captain of the Norfolk navy yard.

Constructor Hobson will go to Annapolis to take up the direction of his course in naval architecture. He was desirous of returning to Santiago and endeavoring to raise the Colon, but the department had made other arrangements that made this impracticable.

British Seize An Island

London, Nov. 28.—According to a dispatch from Shanghai to a news agency published here yesterday afternoon, the British admiral has hoisted the union jack over Tinghai, capital of the island of Chusan and over several other islands in the Chusan archipelago

SPAIN WILL SIGN NOW

Instructions Said to Have Been Sent from Madrid.

WILL MAKE NO PROTEST

Paris Advices Say That American Demand Will be Met To-day. After the Peace Convention Commercial Treaties to be Arranged. Peace Commission Says Open Door Does Not Mean Free Trade.

Madrid, Nov. 28.—The Imparcial says "the Spanish government thought that after the signing of the peace treaty friendly relations between the United States and Spain would be resumed, and the government would negotiate directly on matters of secondary importance.

"But the last note of the United States requests that the Paris commissioners be empowered to arrange a revision of the treaties of commerce and a special treaty for the Philippines, as well as settle other questions. The Spanish cabinet is obliged to accede to the request, and therefore several additional sessions of the commission will be necessary after to-day's session.

"Instructions were sent to Senor Montero Rios ordering him again to insist that the absolute rights of Spain in the Philippines should be maintained in accordance with the very clear text of article 3 of the protocol. However the government declares that Senor Montero Rios will sign the peace treaty without reserve, as its signature under protest will deprive the treaty of a definite character and leave matters as bad as they are now, and we have ministerial authority for saying that the government desires the speediest settlement of these matters, as otherwise they may result in grave dangers to Spain."

Spain Will Not Ask More Time.

Paris, Nov. 28.—Spain will not ask for time beyond to-day. She will then meet the Americans and make a conclusive reply.

Speculation continues rife here as to the acceptance or refusal of the American terms, but a majority of those who are in any degree able to judge believe that Spain will yield, and the American commissioners expect that a treaty will be signed.

Regarding the discussion of the so called "open door" policy in the Philippines, the American peace commissioners understand that it does not mean free trade nor even low duties, but that the Philippines, whatever the tariff rates, shall be open to all trade on equal terms.

The Philippine islands will be expected to yield sufficient revenue to meet the expenses of its own administration, and a large schedule of dutiable goods may be established, or only a few may be taxed.

This constitutes a question, but an immaterial one. Another and a more important question will be solved favorably to other nations. Thus, the ships of all nations will be permitted to engage in commerce throughout the archipelago. This is in contradistinction of the United States' interdict of coast trade in foreign bottoms, which may possibly extend also to Cuba and Porto Rico. The advantage to the United States in the Philippines' coasting trade lies in the fact that American goods will only have one ocean to cross, while the goods of other nations must cross two oceans.

Don Carlos Has Money and Men.

London, Nov. 28.—An English Carlist positively asserts that Don Carlos's army will take the field in Spain soon after the treaty of peace is signed.

He declares that a loan has been fully financed, and that it is divided equally between France and England, and he adds that after the English capitalists were shown the evidences on which Don Carlos's chances of success are based they offered several times the amount asked.

Finally, the English Carlist asserts, much more money would have been secured had it not been for the fact that Don Carlos stipulated that there should be no assistance from Jews, as he is apprehensive of their obtaining financial control of the monarchy.

Continuing, it was asserted that the Spanish government has known for some time that Don Carlos possessed an army, organized into battalions and batteries, officered and largely armed. But the Spanish ministers counted on his failure to secure funds. Therefore, the Spanish government is said to be panic stricken and to be endeavoring to make the Spaniards believe that Great Britain has agreed to finance Don Carlos and that he in return has undertaken to cede the Canary islands to Great Britain in the event of success.

New Justice for Santiago.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 28.—General Wood has appointed Senor Eudaldo Tamayo chief justice of the supreme court, and Senores Jose Berela and M. de J. Mandulay associate justices.

The chief justice will receive a salary of $3,500 a year and each of the associate justices a salary of $3,000.

These are about half the salaries paid to the chief justice and associate justices in the Spanish regime, but owing to the fact that the officials now receive full pay instead of, as before, being paid less than half their salaries, the positions are now really worth more than they were under the Spanish sovereignty.

The men appointed are well known Cubans who have been connected for years with the Bar Association of Santiago and have held many important positions and their appointment apparently gives satisfaction to all classes of inhabitants.

Ordered to Cuba.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 28.—The 4th Tennessee regiment, Col. Gideon Le-roy Brown, will go to Cuba this week. The orders came by telegraph yesterday.

The regiment will proceed to the province of Santa Clara, which may mean the capital city, Santa Clara, Cienfuegos or Trinidad.

Brigadier General Snyder and staff will go with the regiment.

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PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

The Principal Theme. Document Longer Than Usual.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—President McKinley's forthcoming message will be about one-third longer than his last message, which consisted of thirteen thousand words.

The document that he will send to Congress one week from to-day will be composed of about sixteen thousand words.

The message is not yet completed, and the president has not read it to his cabinet, as has been stated in some of the sensational papers. He, however, has informed one or two of the members of the cabinet that he has not reached any definite decision in regard to certain things that he expects to urge Congress to take action upon.

When the president began to collect the information for his message, he found that there was so much matter bearing upon the recent war with Spain that this material would take up the bulk of his message to the exclusion of almost everything else. These statistics in regard to the war came from nearly all the departments and have been freely used by the president in the preparation of his message. Having just concluded the conduct of a successful war, he and his official advisers have agreed that the war must necessarily form the principal theme of his report to Congress.

He, however, will have something to say on currency reform and will practically reiterate his views on this subject as contained in his last message to congress.

Of course his remarks on the treaty of peace will depend entirely on the result of the present deliberations now going on in Paris.

This part of his message will remain open until the treaty is definitely settled.

There has been absolutely no clash in regard to matters pertaining to the message between the president and any members of his cabinet. He will stand by Secretary Alger and the other heads of the departments and will recommend in his message just about what they desire.

LOSS OF THE MOHEGAN.

She Was Wrecked Because a Wrong Course Was Steered.

London, Nov. 28.—The Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the Atlantic Transport Company's steamer Mohegan, which was totally wrecked off the Lizard, between the Manacles and the Lowlands, on October 14 last, while in command of Captain Richard Griffith, has finished its investigation of the affair.

The judgment of the board's commission was that the ship was in a good seaworthy condition, and that Captain Griffith was in good health at the time the disaster occurred, the stranding of the vessel being caused by a wrong course being steered after the Mohegan had passed Eddystone Light.

The commission, in addition, expressed admiration of the efforts made to save those on board the ill fated vessel.

The commission also found that the great loss of life was due to the extinction of the electric lights on the steamer after she went ashore.

A Franco-Italian Treaty.

London, Nov. 28.—After a decade of tariff warfare France and Italy have surprised their friends and enemies by concluding a commercial treaty.

Critics here deem the treaty a sequel to the Fashoda incident. France's defeat in Egypt opened her eyes to the necessity of increasing the number of her friends.

Therefore she hastened to begin negotiations with Italy, and will give her weaker neighbor the benefit of the minimum tariff long and vainly sought by the latter.

The Italians estimate that under the new arrangement a million hectolitres of heavy southern wines, which are used in mixing with the lighter French wines, will be exported to France annually, resulting in a great impetus to Italian industry.

In return France expects to remove the danger of having to cope with the Italian navy in the Mediterranean in the event of a German war and also to nullify in part Germany's policy of isolating France.

Won't Release the Priests.

Manila, Philippine Islands, Nov. 28.—Aguinaldo, the insurgent leader, has addressed a second communication to Major General Otis, the American military commander, on the subject of the Spanish prisoners in the hands of the insurgents. He has declined to release the clericals and civilians, arguing that both carried arms voluntarily against the insurgents. Aguinaldo then refers General Otis to the local papers, published since the insurrection for "irrefutable proof" of his assertion that the clericals were the "most active and vengeful agents in sacrificing the lives and honor of innocent natives."

Wisconsin Successfully Launched.

San Francisco, Nov 28.—At the Union Iron Works Saturday another great marine fighting machine was added to the already large fleet of Pacific war vessels. The vessel, which successfully slid from the ways at 9.22 o'clock, was the battleship Wisconsin, the largest of the vessels built for the United States government by the Union Iron Works, which built the Oregon.

The launching of the warship was effected without a hitch, and she now rests calmly on the waters of the bay.

State Canals to Close December 10.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 28.—G. W. Aldridge, state superintendent of public works, has issued an order that the canal system of the state close on December 10, unless compelled to suspend navigation at an earlier date by reason of ice formation.

Favor New Department.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 28.—The National Business League has sent to President McKinley a letter urging favorable action on bills for the establishment of a department of commerce and industry, which are now pending in Congress.

REGULARS FOR SERVICE

Volunteer Term of Enlistment not to Be Enforced.

A LARGER STANDING ARMY

Chairman Hull of the House Committee on Military Affairs Says a Bill Will be Introduced During Fiart Days of Coming Session for Increase in Size of Army.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—Chairman Hull of the House committee on military affairs was at the war department Saturday in consultation with Secretary Alger, General Corbin and others in regard to legislation affecting the army.

Congressman Hull stated that he has the draft of a bill for the increase of the regular army practically completed to the House during the first two or three days of the coming session.

Several important features of the measure have yet to be settled and Mr. Hull will be in almost daily conference with the war department officials until these points are decided.

A special arrangement is to be made by which the volunteers now in the service will be released as soon as possible. It is now reasonably certain that the volunteers will not be required to serve out their full two years of enlistment unless they particularly desire to do so. The disintegration of the volunteer force will take place very rapidly after the passage of the bill for the increase of the standing army.

"If my plans are not disarranged," said Chairman Hull, the law increasing the size of the regular army will be adopted by December 25, so that it can go into effect before the holidays. We have already mapped out the main features, but there are some matters yet to be settled. The bill, however, will be completed and presented without delay and will be pushed with vigor. I hope that the department will be able to begin recruiting during Christmas week. As fast as new regiments are organized they will be detailed to take the places of volunteer regiments. The change will go on regiment by regiment, until all the volunteers are mustered out; or as many as care to retire from the military service. Although there is less talk in the press nowadays about mustering out the volunteers, I know that the feeling among the men is just as strong as before. They want to get out. The people of New York state are particularly anxious that the two Iowa regiments still in the field be released. They believe that they enlisted to serve merely during the war and now that hostilities have ceased this duty should be performed by men who are professional soldiers.

It is very probable that the regular army will be larger than had been contemplated.

"There is a disposition in official circles," said Chairman Hull, "to place the maximum strength in times of peace at 125,000, instead of 100,000, which is the size that most people appear to have agreed on some time ago. New evidences are developing every day that we will have need of a large armed force, and in all probability 125,000 men will not be any too many."

Mr. Hull says that provision will be made in the law, authorizing the president to enlist natives in Porto Rico and the Philippines.

"Of course the number of these men to be taken into the army," he said, "will be limited and will be left discretionary with the president."

Chairman Hull says that he does not believe it will be possible for Congress to pass any legislation establishing a federal national reserve.

"The National Guard organizations of the various states," he said, "are so jealous of their own existence that they will oppose and defeat if possible any bill of this sort. I am in favor of a national reserve organization, to be formed on the same general lines of the regular army, but I will not have time to devote to this matter. The bill for the support of the regular army will not treat of this matter, which will come up, if it is brought forward at all, in a measure introduced from the committee on militia."

Vehy slow progress is being made by the war department in getting off the troops detailed some days ago for duty in Cuba. On Wednesday of this week a brigade of troops now at Augusta was ordered to be sent to Savannah and reach Havana not later than December 1.

At the present time there is only one transport at Savannah, the Chester, and she is scheduled to take the Fifteenth United States infantry to Nuevitas.

The Manitoba yesterday left Newport News for Savannah, and she is the only army transport en route to Havana.

Most of the army ships are either laid up for repairs or are not available for duty in connection with the recently ordered movement to Cuba.

People's Bank to Pay Up.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 28.—Thomas W. Barlow, receiver of the People's Bank, has informed the depositors of that institution that the remaining ten per cent. due them will be paid on and after December 5, 1898.

This payment will close every uncontested claim against the bank, including the deposits of the city and state.

The People's Bank closed its doors on March 25, after the cashier, John S. Hopkins, had committed suicide. It is charged that Senator Quay was mixed up in the failure.

When the bank closed its doors the liabilities were about $1,500,000, while the assets were less than a million dollars.

At the time of the suspension President McManes pledged himself to pay the depositors dollar for dollar.

Germany After Anarchists.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The North German Gazette says that it learns that all the German federal governments have adopted a uniform system for watching Anarchists, and that a central intelligence department with that object in view, is to be established in this city.

M'MILLIN ACCUSES BAILEY

Says the House Monetary Leader is Guilty of Political Crimes.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28.—Congressman Benton McMillin of Tennessee, who has always been one of the prominent leaders of the Democratic party in the House, is out in opposition to Congressman Bailey of Texas. He speaks in the most vigorous fashion against the Texan, and intimates that he acted the part of a traitor to the Democratic party on more occasions than one.

"The Democrats of the country," said Mr. McMillin, "do not know Mr. Bailey yet. They are only beginning to find him out. I was severely censured several months ago for opposing Mr. Bailey on the very same grounds that the Texan is now being fought. Mr. Bailey is guilty of all sorts of political crimes."

Mr. McMillin then went on to explain Mr. Bailey's conduct and vote in the committee on ways and means when the Dingley tariff bill was being considered.

"I moved in committee," said Mr. McMillin, "that the clause relating to wool and woolens be stricken out and that the corresponding section of the Wilson law be inserted in its stead. The duties as fixed by the Wilson law were far more equitable and far more in accord with the established Democratic doctrine. I demanded a yea and nay vote on that measure in committee and Mr. Bailey is on record as voting with the Republicans."

Mr. McMillin intimated that Mr. Bailey voted this way as a result of an understanding with the Republicans, who, he said, clearly encouraged his leadership.

Mr. McMillin said that Speaker Reed helped Bailey by appointing him to desirable committee positions.

Mr. McMillin says he believes that Bailey stands only a faint show of being elected leader of the minority in the next House. The breaking away of the Alabama delegation he regards as significant, and he believes that the Mississippi delegation will support Private John Allen for the position of Democratic leader.

WORST STORM IN MANY YEARS.

Thirty Barges and Schooners Go Down Off Boston.

New York, Nov. 28.—More serious in its effects in some sections of Greater New York than the blizzard of 1888 was the storm which began with a heavy fall of snow on Saturday night and abated only Sunday night.

Surface traffic was delayed on Manhattan island and abandoned altogether in the suburbs.

Boston, Nov. 27.—In the gale last night and this morning thirty barges and schooners lying in the harbor were wrecked and sunk and at least twelve lives lost.

The Wilson liner Ohio is ashore on Spectacle island, in the bay. No serious damage is expected.

Swampscott, Mass., Nov. 28.—The wind and snow storm which, in proportion to the damage wrought, nearly equals any blizzard in recent years, had not abated in its intensity last evening.

A message from Palmer's Beach says that a three-master is ashore and several fishing boats went to pieces on the rocks off Fisherman's Beach. Two hundred feet of stone sea wall, twenty feet high and three feet in thickness, on King's Beach, which for twenty years has been safe against the high seas, was washed away.

Newburyport, Mass., Nov. 28.—The blizzard of Saturday night and Sunday wrecked wharves and public buildings, and about fifty small boats were destroyed, while sections of the sea wall were washed away.

The barge Atlantic, with two hundred and fifty tons of coal, sunk at the wharf, and the schooner Newell E. Hawes of Boston sunk at Plum Island Point.

The crew of five men were taken off by the Plum Island life saving crew in the breeches buoy.

The wind reached a velocity of fifty-five miles an hour.

AMERICAN ARRESTED IN BERLIN.

Accused of Having Referred in Offensive Manner to the Emperor.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—Frank Knaak of New York has been arrested here on the charge of lese majeste, said to have been committed in a wineshop recently.

Mr. Knaak was arrested while sitting with his wife in a fashionable restaurant.

It is alleged that he referred in an offensive manner to the emperor, and a person who heard him immediately summoned a policeman.

Although Mr. Knaak had several witnesses who denied that he had made the alleged remark, he was thrown into jail.

The officials of the United States embassy have done everything possible to bring about his release and a large amount of bail has been offered. J. B. Jackson, the United States charge d'affaires, has had two interviews with Herr Richthofen, the under secretary of state for foreign affairs, on the subject.

Mr. Knaak is a civil engineer and is interested in the Niagara water power. He originally came from Stettin.

Return of Emperor William.

Berlin, Nov. 28.—The German emperor and empress arrived at Potsdam at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, on their return from the Holy Land.

The church bells were rung and the public buildings were decorated with flags when Emperor William passed through here at twelve o'clock yesterday morning.

The Boersen Zeitung says that his majesty's trip to the Holy Land has cost ten million marks. A few of the newspapers print welcoming articles.

All the Prussian ministers welcomed the German emperor and empress on their arrival at Potsdam.

Emperor William has returned home to find Germany in a seething political foment. All classes of society seem permeated with the spirit of unrest and dissatisfaction.

Reinforcements Reach Manila.

Manila, Philippine Islands, Nov. 22.—The United States transports Arizona and Ohio have arrived here with reinforcements.

FAITH CURE AND A CARBUNCLE.

Friends are Not So Easily Convinced as the Patient.

Say I have an obtrusive carbuncle on my nose. I call in the Christian Scientist, who administers "a high attenuation of truth." My belief in the carbuncle disappears, and with it goes the carbuncle, too, so far as I am concerned. It may be that I look in the glass and perceive no carbuncle. The Christian Scientist takes her fee and leaves me. In comes my friend Brown, and greets me with, "Hullo! old man: you have got a nose on you!" or some such vulger and inconsiderate remark. I endeavor to assure him that he is mistaken, and that the carbuncle is a creation of his diseased imagination. But Jones and Robinson speedily turn up, and accost me in similar terms, until my mind becomes impressed with an uneasy suspicion that all is not as it should be with my nose. The morbid delusion of my friends extends to me.

I take up the glass again, and there, sure enough, is the carbuncle as large and as angry as ever. Under these circumstances, it seems a clear waste of money to pay a Christian Scientist to cure my carbuncle, unless the fee is to include the treatment of the whole circle of my friends, and, indeed, of any one whom I may meet by chance in the street. I rather fancy that the Scientists have met with this difficulty in practice, for I find that in many cases which they have taken under their treatment it has been a sine qua non that the patient should be isolated from communication with everybody except the physician.—London Truth.

The Bishop's Complaint.

A great many Episcopal clergymen probably would sympathize with the English bishop who said recently: "The two things of which I am most tired are 'The Church's One Foundation' and cold chicken. The hymn seems always to be chosen wherever I go, and kind hostesses, with quite extraordinary unanimity, provide cold chicken for luncheon."

Mutual.

"I'm surprised, John," said an old lady when she found her butler helping himself to some of her finest old port.

"So am I, ma'am," was the calm reply. "I thought you was gone out."—Tid-Bits.

Not the Dame.

Baggs—It is said that Dame Fortune knocks once at every man's door.

Jaggs—Well, it was her daughter, Mis-Fortune, who called on me.—Boston Traveler.

"It is dangerous," says the Manayunk philosopher, "for a young man to say 'Hawaii?' to an old maid. That suggests annexation and she'll doubtless send him to papa."—Philadelphia Record.

LITTLE HAMPERED BY BLINDNESS.

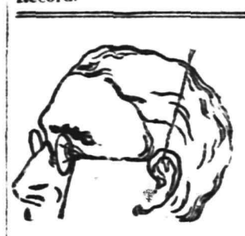
Remarkable Things Done by a Sightless Man in the Hoosier State.

John Walther, who lives within two miles of Clinton, Ind., has been blind from birth. Until he reached manhood John lived on the farm with his father, and it was not uncommon to see him driving to the city with a load of corn, wheat or other farm produce. A piece of ground was given to him, and each year he would plant and cultivate a big garden, which he would market in Clinton and place the proceeds to his credit in the bank. He would buy horses, cattle and hogs. Even when a boy he was regarded as a good trader. It is now a common occurrence for John to stop in the middle of the road and trade horses with some jockey, and it is said that he is never worsted. He will go to any part of his father's large farm, unattended, in search of a truant horse or cow, and his searches are usually successful. How he manages to distinguish the stock for which he is searching is a question which puzzles everybody, and a mystery which the blind man himself cannot or does not explain.

When he decides to come to town he goes to the woods and, with apparently as little difficulty as a man blessed with two good eyes, selects his favorite horse from perhaps a dozen grazing in the pasture. He has each season for years made a hand in the harvest field, and the farmers regard him as one of the fastest and most reliable wheat "shockers" in the neighborhood. It was three years ago during harvest that the blind man's brother became entangled in the machinery of a harvester and suffered a broken arm. As soon as the accident occurred John started on a run from the field to the barn and began hitching a team to a spring wagon.

He worked rapidly, and when the men bore the injured man to the house the blind boy had the team hitched up, driven out in the road and ready to start with his brother to a doctor in the city. He drove almost at breakneck speed, made the turns of the streets after reaching the city, and brought his horses to a standstill in front of a doctor's office. After assisting the wounded brother up the stairway into the office he drew out his watch, slid his index finger quickly around the dial, and with a sigh, remarked, "Just half past 10—I was only twelve minutes driving to town."

There is no work on the farm that the blind man can not do, and during his idle times he builds and repairs fences. He can lay the "worm" for a rail fence as well as any man, and prides himself on the rapid manner in which he gets along with the work. He built a plank fence along the gravel road in front of the Walther house. The line is perfectly straight, while the workmanship on the fence and gates is not excelled by many men who can see and profess to be carpenters.



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COMING EVENTS.

November 28—Harry Steele Morrison, the boy traveler and writer, Y. M. C. A. Hall, 8 p. m.

NOMINATIONS.

Republican Ticket.	Citizens' Ticket.
For Mayor. George W. Rockfellow.	For Mayor. Fred C. Lounsbury, R.
For Collector. James A. Martin.	For Collector. Arthur T. Gallup, D.
For City Judge. William N. Runyon.	For City Judge. W. S. Angleman, R.
For School Trustee. Rev. W. R. Richards.	For School Trustee. Charles C. Burnett, D.
For Councilmen.	For Councilmen.
First Ward. Ralph I. Tolles.	First Ward. J. C. Blimm, D.
Second Ward. George P. Mellick.	Second Ward. J. B. Mills, R.
Third Ward. B. Frank Coriell.	Third Ward. George V. W. Moy, R.
Fourth Ward. Frank H. Smith.	Fourth Ward. James Davis, D.

The Plainfield Citizen.

Something new for campaign methods in Plainfield will be introduced this winter by the leaders in the Citizens' movement. It is to be a campaign newspaper, filled with stirring articles on the coming election and filled with "hot shot" for the Republican party in the city. It will be a four page paper printed at the Crescent Embossing works, of Fred C. Lounsbury, Citizen candidate for Mayor.

This little sheet is to make its appearance in a few days and will be distributed about the city broadcast. As the Citizens' movement has no organ, the leaders have agreed on this method of making an appeal to the people of Plainfield. Exactly who is going to contribute, how many issues are to appear and what is going to be said, are matters that only the future can reveal. Its name has now been made public. It's to be called "The Plainfield Citizen."

The Men to Vote For.

One week from tomorrow Plainfield will hold its city election and decide who are the men that are to govern the city for the next few years. Today we print the two tickets that will be presented to the Plainfield voters on election day. There they are, side by side, and you can take your choice. They are all good men and worthy citizens. One represents the Republican party that has ruled Plainfield in the past. The other stands for the opposition. It is not going to be a question of politics this year. Politics drop out in municipal affairs and local issues will decide the election. Think carefully before you vote. Hear what each has to say. It is a time when it is the duty of every citizen of Plainfield to go to the polls and cast an intelligent vote. Think it over well and then you won't be sorry for it afterward.

Winter Has Begun.

The winter of 1898-99 promises to be a memorable one if the great snow storm that swept over this section Saturday and Sunday is any forecast of what it is to be. From every side comes reports of how the storm has held up railroad trains, trolley and cable cars indiscriminately. Traffic was at a standstill for twenty-four hours. Not since the memorable blizzard of 1888 has New Jersey been visited by a storm of such severity. It will probably be a week or more before the State has fully recovered from its effects.

Chief Doane makes a wise suggestion that householders would do well to remove the snow about the fire hydrants in front of their homes. They might be needed.

Our weather prognosticator says that there is another storm at hand which will probably be snow. We are getting our share of it this year.

Get out your sleighs. The sleighing is good this afternoon and there is no telling how much longer it will last.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

The Republicans of Plainfield have shown rare good taste in nominating for mayor, George W. Rockfellow, a native of Bound Brook who has many friends here.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

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The municipal fight in Plainfield this year is between a straight Republican ticket and one known as the Citizens'. The Democrats have not made any nominations, and some of the veterans declare that their party has been used for the benefit of certain citizens who have submitted everything else to their yearning to serve the public.—New York Tribune.

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"Bound Brook" may not seem a high-sounding title, but the name, like the place itself, is certainly above the common run and has no counterpart. The Plainfield Press states that the postmaster of Plainfield, Mass., writes that about 1,000 letters a year come to his office that he believes are intended for Plainfield, N.J.

No such mistakes happen here. To be sure, a correspondent sometimes directs a letter to "Bon (good) Brook," but even then there is no mistake and the letter gets here just the same. There are 17 Plainfields in the Union but Bound Brook is unique—stands with its sister towns of South and New Bound Brook right here in the centre of New Jersey, where all may see and know the glory thereof.

It's a wonder that the Plainfield people who so readily changed their own beautiful and appropriately named "Peace street" whereon stands the quaint old Quaker meetinghouse into the high-sounding "Watchung avenue" don't conjure up some plan to change the name of the whole city. But they can't call it Bound Brook. We've got that name fast and good and are proud of it.—Bound Brook State Centre.

PRESIDENTS AS TRAVELERS.

Extended Tours of Chief Magistrates of the Nation are Not Uncommon.

President McKinley's action in taking a trip of some extent about the country during his term of office is directly in line with an example set by Washington and followed by several of the Presidents. In March, 1791, the "Father of his Country" made a journey from the national capital at Philadelphia to what was then the extreme South, Georgia. The route was through Fredericksburg and Richmond, Va., to Wilmington, N. C., and Charleston to Savannah, thence to Augusta, Columbia and the interior towns of North Carolina and western Virginia, about 1,800 miles.

Instead of a train of palace cars, spacious and sumptuous, and provided with everything to minister to the wants of a traveller, the first President and his little party set off on their journey with one set of horses, and making occasional stops. Bad roads and a jolting carriage made it impossible to cover many miles a day, and Washington and his companions were greatly fatigued and the horses much reduced in flesh when, on July 6, after an absence of ninety days, the party returned to Philadelphia. But he brought himself before the people, and was cheered by the demonstration of a nation's respect.

Another journey that became historic was the protracted tour of President Monroe through a large part of the Northern and Middle States, inspecting various public works and gaining much information as to the state of those parts of the country. He was received with every demonstration of respect and cordiality by the people, and two years later made another tour through the Southern States.

President Andrew Johnson's speech-making tour in 1866 from Washington to Chicago, which, because of one of his own expressions, became known as "swinging round the circle," is also a matter of history. It was the fortune of President Grant to make several journeys among the people, the most extended being a trip, in the fall of 1875, to Salt Lake City by way of St. Louis and Omaha, on his return passing through Chicago. The people everywhere turned out in large numbers to welcome him, and on several occasions the vociferous greetings and immense crowds caused the reserved and taciturn warrior to make short speeches. At a Grand Army reunion at Des Moines, Ia., on Oct. 11, 1875, President Grant uttered these words:

"Let us labor for the security of free thought, free speech, free press, pure morals, unfettered religious convictions, and equal rights and privileges of all men, irrespective of nationality, color or religion."

President Cleveland made an extended Western trip in his first term. President Benjamin Harrison started on his journey to the Pacific coast in 1891. He travelled 10,000 miles and delivered 140 impromptu addresses.

HONORED HIS MEMORY.

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reaved ones.

Mr. Herring took as his text these words, "He is not dead, but sleeping," and spoke in substance as follows: "I never knew our dead brother as so many of you here knew him, as a lawyer, but I knew him as he was on the street, in the home, and in the church. I knew him as a man of push. He was determined to make a way for himself in this world and did it, and made of himself an honored judge of this city.

"George W. Childs, Spencer, John Wanamaker and thousands of others were poor in this world's goods when they were young, but they were determined to make a way in the world and did it, and I rejoice to say that this young friend was doing the same thing. He had a winning way with him, and we recognized that here and asked him to become an usher in the church.

"He was devoted to his home, and we love to think of this spirit. He did not separate himself from the home life. We would all like to see him in his old place, but that cannot be. Let us then accept God's will, knowing that whatever the burden He will share it with us."

After Rev. Mr. Herring had concluded his remarks Past Councillor Bodine, of Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., conducted the funeral service of the order. The ritual was impressive and seemed in touch with the solemnity of the occasion.

Interment was to have been made yesterday afternoon in Hillside cemetery, but the roads being impassable the remains were taken to the parlor of A. M. Runyon & Son until it is possible to remove them to their final resting place.

During the service Charles A. Lewis, the baritone of the Cresent Avenue church choir, rendered two selections, the last one, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," being particularly impressive.

THEATRICAL.

Current Dramatic Attractions That Plainfielders Can Witness.

Because of the failure of "The Nancy Hanks" Company to furnish the proper printing for billing and posting purposes, there will be no performance at Music Hall tomorrow night.

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Marie Wainwright will appear at Music Hall Friday night in a new English play, "Shall We Forgive Her." The engagement of this well known and exceedingly able actress gives to this production an importance it would not otherwise possess perhaps. Miss Wainright has long been a favorite star in legitimate roles and had Manager Litt scoured the country he could not have secured a more accomplished woman to play his leading role. "Shall We Forgive Her" is a clean-cut story, interesting throughout, and spiced with enough good comedy work to relieve the melancholy tone given by the theme upon which the author has based his play. It is by no means melodramatic, although the scenes and plot are familiar ones for melodramatic material. The play is full of opportunities for good acting which are taken full advantage of by the competent company supporting Miss Wainwright.

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Washburn's Minstrels, numbering over sixty people, will be at Music Hall next week.

—One week from tonight the City Council will meet and consider important business

—A flower fair will be held in All Souls church Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 8th and 9th.

—The contractor, who has charge of placing conduits for the electric light wires underground, succeeded in finishing the two blocks on Park avenue last Saturday night.

—A social tea will be given in the guild room of Grace P. E. church Thursday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock, under the auspices of the Plainfield Exchange for Woman's Work.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, November 28.—Mrs. Gaston has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. I. Martine.

Captain William H. Thompson, who has been confined to his home for some time with illness, seems to be making no improvement, and his friends are apprehensive for his recovery.

The directors of the Building and Loan Association held a regular meeting Saturday evening at which routine business was transacted.

Miss Mathena Bodine, who spent the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bodine, has returned to Trenton.

Miss Sadie Wilson, who has been visiting the Misses Jamison, has returned to her home in Newark.

John E. Henry has rented Mrs. Mary E. Coriell's house on North avenue, and will soon move there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hawley and family, of New York, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bogardus.

Tonight a delegation from Court Columbus, of Elizabeth, will visit Court Dunellen, I. O. F.

John McCall returned yesterday from Providence, R. I., where he has spent a few days.

Arthur S. Giles has been confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa R. Merrill have returned from a visit to New Brunswick.

Miss Edna Smock, of Jamesburg, has been a guest of Miss Mary Martine.

John Eder, of Chicago, has been visiting friends in the borough.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 28—James H. Walker moved his family from Scotch Plains Friday to Plainfield, having lost his position of twenty-four years through sickness. He was much respected in the community and will be much missed. His many friends hope he will succeed in getting a good position on leaving the hospital as he expects to be out in about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Acheson, who have been visiting Mrs. Acheson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clark, have returned to their home in Hazlet.

The recent entertainment given by the Baptist Sunday-school, for the benefit of the Christmas tree fund, realized over $20.

The Town Committee met in the town rooms Saturday evening, and routine business only was transacted.

Richard Robison has accepted a position with the American Bank Note Company, of New York.

No preaching service was held in the Baptist church yesterday on account of the storm.

George Pullman, of Brooklyn, spent Saturday and Sunday with his friend, George Allen.

George L. Dunn is quite ill at his home on Mountain avenue.

Mrs. A. L. Frentz spent Saturday with relatives in Plainfield.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Westfield, November 28—Rev. Jas. R. Danforth, D D, of Cincinnati, has accepted the call of the board of trustees of the Congregational church of this town, and will occupy the pulpit for the first time the first Sunday in December.

The ladies of the Westfield Club will meet in the club room next Thursday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Ladies' Whist Club.

OAK TREE.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Oak Tree, November 28—Herbert W. Harrison, the eighteen-year old son of George B. Harrison, died yesterday. The funeral services will be held from the New Dover M. E. church Wednesday, at 2 o'clock.

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The Finest Cleaner

MADE. IT WILL NOT SCRATCH OR WEAR ANY SURFACE, YET IT CLEANS THE DIRTIEST PERFECTLY.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—A very important meeting of the Borough Council will be held Friday evening.

—There will be a regular meeting of Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., this evening.

—Christmas afternoon the usual celebration will be held at Muhlenberg Hospital.

—Plainfield Council, Royal Arcanum, will hold its regular meeting this evening.

—It is expected that Grace M. E. church parsonage will be completed by January 1st.

—L. A. Hummer, the Park avenue butcher, sold 240 turkeys for Thanksgiving dinners.

—The Hand building on Watchung avenue is almost completed, and will soon be ready for occupancy.

—Friday evening, Dec. 9th, the City Council will meet for the purpose of giving a hearing in the trolley matter.

—This is the weather we have been looking for to make the oysters go, and in going get the best at Rogers'.

—Tomorrow evening the Sons of Veterans will meet to arrange for their fair to be held December 5th to 10th.

—Thursday evening an entertainment will be given in Grace M. E. church. It will be a repetition of the one given last week.

—A sacret concert will be given in the First Baptist church December 12th by the church choir for the benefit of the Sunday-school.

—All bills against the city must be in the hands of the City Clerk by Wednesday night to ensure payment by the Council at its next meeting.

—The Laire Hardware Company have a great five cent sale this week. Read their new adv. in today's Press. They have many bargains you want.

—Tonight at 8 o'clock the Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church will hold their monthly consecration service. Visitors are always welcome.

—Liefke, the Front street baker, has a scheme of giving handsome clocks away. Information about the scheme can be learned at his place of business.

—The members of the Thursday Night Euchre Club, of which the late City Judge DeMeza was a member, have decided not to meet again in three weeks.

—A spider in the cylinder of engine No. 365, drawing a heavy coal train, broke down near the Grant Avenue station Friday, and the engine was obliged to leave the train and proceed to Jersey City for repairs.

—A pleasant afternoon is anticipated by the members of the Young Women's Mission Band of Trinity Reformed church next Friday afternoon at their regular monthly meeting. A special Thanksgiving programme is being prepared for the occasion.

—The new parsonage of Grace Methodist Episcopal church, in process of erection on the lot adjoining the church, Park place near Somerset street, begins to assume its distinctive character under the hands of carpenters and builders and will be a neat and pretty residence.

—Edward Vroom, a former resident of the borough, but now living at Roselle, has been appointed foreman of the new truck of that place. Mr. Vroom was formerly foreman of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company of this city, and foreman of the West End Hose Company, of North Plainfield.

—H. S. Morrison, the boy traveler and writer, who speaks at the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening, is spoken of by Chauncey M. Depew as a bright, enterprising, interesting and attractive boy. The admission is twenty five cents, but members of the association will be admitted for fifteen cents by showing their membership ticket.

—Edward White has purchased from one of the leading manufacturers his entire stock of ladies' jackets and skirts and will place them on sale tomorrow. This is one of the greatest opportunities of the season, coming just when they are needed most, they are all tailor made and are marked at prices that are sure to attract attention.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Miss Moynihan, of Bound Brook, has been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Edward Thorn, of East Second street, is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Anna Runyon, of East Sixth street, is confined to the house by illness.

George Graves, of Liberty street, is on the sick list. His illness is not serious.

John Smith, of Elmwood place, has returned from a visit with Orange relatives.

George A. Horne, of Willow avenue, has returned to his studies at Lehigh University.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson, of Grove street, is very much improved from her severe illness.

Lawyer Swackhamer was called to Whitehouse yesterday by the illness of his sister.

Mrs. Charles J. Taggart, of New York, spent Thursday with friends in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grannatt, Jr., of Trenton, have been visiting Plainfield relatives.

Mrs. Horsely Barker, of Grove street, has returned from a visit with New York friends.

James M. Middledith, of Mercer avenue, has returned to his studies at Lehigh University.

Rev. Father Miller, of Jackson avenue, is reported as being improved from his severe illness.

Miss Madeline Day, of Orange, has been spending a few days with relatives on Mercer avenue.

William R. Cock and Miss Elizabeth Cock, of East Fifth street, are visiting Chicago friends.

Miss LaForge, of New Brunswick, has been visiting Miss VanFleet, her cousin, of East Third street.

Miss Porter, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her friend, Miss Helen Bushnell, of Central avenue.

Miss Anna Shengle, of Newark, has been spending several days with Miss Nellie Schutt, of Duer street.

Mrs. R. Frazee, of West Sixth street, has gone on a week or a ten days' visit to her former home in Elizabeth.

An improvement is noticed in the condition of Miss Mary Pearson, of Vine street, who is ill with typhoid fever.

Allan Hartley, of New York, has been spending a few days at the home of George P. Mellick, of LaGrande avenue.

Miss Mary Whiton, of Central avenue, who has been attending college in Boston, spent her Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walz, of LaGrande avenue, and A. S. Patterson, of East Ninth street, are registered at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Miss Amy Gertrude Burt, of West Seventh street, returned to Hackettstown today to resume her studies at the Centinary Institute there.

J. Vincent Rittenhouse, of Lehigh University, who has been spending his Thanksgiving at his home on East Sixth street and in Brooklyn, has returned to college.

Miss Grace Emmons, of Jackson avenue, is anticipating a very pleasant time Christmas week, when she expects to visit her friend, Miss Susie Laing, at Washington, D. C.

Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is now pronounced by the physician in charge as being out of danger and on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Samuel R. Hopson and daughters, the Misses Daisy and Etta, of Paterson, who spent Thanksgiving with friends and relatives on West Second street, returned home Saturday.

Charlie Emmons, son of Mr. Emmons, of Somerset street, is ill at Muhlenberg Hospital, the result of an operation performed Friday afternoon by Dr. Carman. The young fellow is doing very well and his recovery is almost assured.

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9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS
(FRONT POST OFFICE)
10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

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Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:36 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

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Arrive—8:40 and 11:36 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m
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Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:30 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

E. H. BIRD, P. M.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Davis of Orange, has returned after a visit with her cousin, Miss Lucie Palmer Davis, of East Fifth street.

Miss Ryan, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Griswold, of Madison avenue, returned home yesterday.

The Misses Lulu Bryan and May Bryan, of Orange, have been spending a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Hallock, of West Fifth street.

A TRAMP AND A HOBO NOT THE SAME.

Hoboes Merely Men Out of Work and Capable of Being Made Useful.

A tramp, says E. Lamar Bailey in The Forum, is not a hobo; a hobo is not a tramp; a vagrant is neither; a criminal is none of these. * * * A tramp is a man of such mental make-up that he has no higher aim than to exist and have "a little fun" occasionally; avoiding responsibility and restraint and all manner of mental concentration. He will walk only when he cannot ride, and will work himself tired going from house to house, rather than accept a job on the promise of a meal.

The term "hobo" was not originally of evil significance. It originated in the West, when the great tide of humanity swept in that direction; and it was applied to the many who, failing of their first hopes, were forced to the necessity of tramping from community to community in quest of employment. A hobo is a better sort of man than a tramp, has more self respect, is usually strong, and may, I believe, be called a tramp in the first stage. Many hoboes are merely men out of work who were forced to the road by circumstances which they could not control.

A vagrant loafs around a town as long as he can. He does not jump trains—he lacks the spirit to do that—but he may sneak into a box car. He is often a "grafter," that is, he blisters his arm, pretends to be paralyzed, sells pencils, tells pitiful tales of former brilliant prospects, or what not; and very likely has the whiskey or opium habit. Hoboes are never "grafters," though they may have the habits just mentioned. Very few genuine tramps resort to the grafting scheme.

Hoboes are products of industrial conditions and of the attitude of society toward unfortunate able-bodied men. It would be interesting to inquire how many hoboes have drifted into our regular army and made good soldiers, and how many responded to the President's call for volunteers. Tramps are tramps by natural bent, seconded by early training. You seldom find an old hobo; there are many old tramps. A hobo will not become a tramp if he can help it * * * You can hardly save the tramp; he is too far gone. Let him alone and save the hoboes, and the tramp problem will be, to a large extent, solved. Most of the 100,000 men on the road to-day are hoboes. They can be saved.

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DIED.

RANDOLPH—Suddenly, in this city, Saturday, Nov. 26, 1898, Robert F. Randolph, aged 64 years, 9 months, 24 days.
Funeral services at his late residence 119 Elmwood place, Tuesday, Nov 29th, at 2 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish Intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 9 23 tf

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and type writer. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 23 12

$1,500 Wanted on first mortgage, on East Fifth St property, worth $3,000. Address Mortgage, care Press. 11 23 6

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

TO LET—One elegant apartment in the Lincoln Building, W. 4th St 11 26 2

EXPERIENCED dressmaker desires work by the day; terms $1 50. Address Miss Simons, 304 W. 2nd St 11 26 3

BOARDERS WANTED—A delightful home for a family or few adults; excellent table, parlor, library, billiard and smoking room. Mrs Winter, 831 Madison Ave. 11 25 3

WANTED—Horse to board for the winter; good care guaranteed Inquire of Smalley Bros. or Geo. Conner. 11 25 6

HALL TO LET—Over Manning's Marble Works. 11 25 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney cor. Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

WANTED—Situation as coachman or butler by young colored man. Call or address 3 Sycamore St. 11 28 2

WANTED—A white girl as chambermaid and waitress at 324 Franklin place.

WANTED—Board for young babe. Address 544 W. Front St. 11 29 tf

FOR SALE—Cutter, price $15. Apply stable of B. O. Bowers, Franklin place.

LOST—Pug pup. Return to 68 Servelt avenue.

GOOD girl wants position as waitress or helper. 642 West Third street. 11 28 2

WANTED—A fresh cow. Apply to Geo. J. Barry, 30 Rockview avenue, at stable. 11-25 tf

LOST—On Watchung avenue or at station, a chatelaine bag, containing money and trip ticket, with name of owner. If found please return to 112 Crescent avenue. Suitable rewaid.

ROOMS with board. 219 East Fifth street. 11 15 12

FOR SALE to close an estate,
HOUSE AND LOT
221 Plainfield Ave., Tuesday, Nov. 29, 1898, at 2:30 p. m., on the premises. Dwelling house, barn and building suitable for store or shop on the premises. Terms cash, but probably an arrangement can be made for half the purchase money to remain on mortgage if desired.
26 2 Nelson Runyon, Executor, 221 Park Ave.

Advertised Letters.

Plainfield, N. J., Nov. 28, 1898.

Bamges Mr P	Marcius Mons 2
Brooks Miss N A	Mill- Mr Wm
Clark Miss L G	Moncton Mr G A
Conway Miss M	Palmer Miss S
Coles Miss L 2	Pickel Mrs C
Coster W G B 2	Phodenback Mr A
Canlon Mr J	Runyon Mrs S M
Dayton Sarah	Schnetz Emma A
Footitt Joseph	Smith Mrs C A
Hamilton Mrs M	Sideur Miss J
Hiseman Mr E	Tarpenny Mr C
Johnson Mrs C	Turner Miss M C
Kelly Mrs S D	Vail M F
Lapheny Mr L	White Mrs L
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Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined $4.98	Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout $8.75
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades .. $3.98	Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $2.40 pair	11-4 all-wool Blankets ..... $3.98 pair
10-4 " California Blanket ..... $3.75 pair	11-4 " California Blankets ..... $4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants ..... 19c. each	Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests .. 39c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and ..... 15c. each	Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and ..... 25c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants ..... 50c. each	Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for ..... 79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask ..... 50c. yard	70-inch Bleached Damask ..... 50c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard	72-inch " " ..... 75c. yard
72-inch " " ..... 89c. yard	72-inch " " ..... 98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

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Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers ..... 33c.	Men's Nightshirts, full size ..... 39c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers ..... 49c.	All our 25c. Suspenders ..... 13c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural, ... 17c. pair	Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 13c. each

A FEW good things taken at random throughout the Store only to show you how low our prices are, no flashing phrases or ornamental eloquence of any sort connected with them, no fifty cents worth a dollar but intense, downright, straight to the point earnestness forms the chief characteristic of our advertisements—read on:—

Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black ..... 69c. pair	Boys' Wool Undershirts ..... 19c. each
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers 79c	Boys' laundried Percale Shirts ..... 49c.
Apron Ginghams ..... 3½c. yard	Boys' Bicycle Hose ..... 10c. pair
Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard	Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front ..... 25c.
S. C. Corsets ..... 59c. pair	Boys' Heavy Knee Pants ..... 29c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets ..... 59c. pair	Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings ..... 49c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band ..... 10c. pair	Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests ..... 19c. each
Dark Outing Flannels ..... 5c. yard	Turkish Wash Clothes ..... 2c. each
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black .. 10c. pair	Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes ..... 17c. box
Fine Torchon Laces ..... 7c. yard	French Plate, Hand Mirrors ..... 15c. each
Ladies' Fleeced Hose ..... 19c. pair	Grey and White-Cotton Blankets ..... 39c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality ..... 13c. yard	54 in. Dress Goods; fancy ..... 29c yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades ..... 25c. yard	
Men's Fine Kid Gloves ..... 59c. pair	

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Eggs per dozen	19c
Creamery Butter per lb	23c
Sweet Potatoes per basket	20c
4 cans Baked Beans	25c
Hams per lb	10c

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SAVING THE PENNIES.

HOW SCHOOL CHILDREN ARE ABLE TO HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT.

The System Has Been in Operation for Eight Years in a Small Town in the Western Part of New York State and Constantly Shows a Gradual Growth.

The system of school savings banks as operated in the Olean, N. Y., public schools is a subject that cannot but be of intense interest to almost every class of readers. It touches closely so many homes, so many families and so many individuals that the brief outline here given of what is being done along this line will be read with interest by all.

The school savings bank was introduced in the Olean public schools eight years ago, and to-day the depositors of the school bank number about one thousand, or nearly one-half of the total number of pupils registered in the six city schools.

The school bank is under the general supervision of the Superintendent. No extra efforts whatever are made to force the deposits, and what growth is shown from year to year is natural and substantial. The deposits are received from the children in their respective rooms, and are turned over to the office. Wednesday of each week is the day for depositing, and the amount placed in the bank each week by the individual pupil may range from one cent up to $10. Not over $10 will be received from any one pupil each week, and no one is allowed to have a bank account exceeding $100. This is the limit of individual deposits, and the fact that several have reached that limit speaks well for the system. The average deposit from the six schools from week to week is between $60 and $70, and the average from each pupil runs between sixteen and twenty cents per week. The rate of interest paid is 4 per cent. per annum, the interest payments being made quarterly. The requisite for drawing interest is that the deposit must be at least $5 and must remain in the bank three months.

The so called hard times seemed to have no effect upon the school bank, and though no special effort has been made to increase the deposits during the past six years, their growth has been encouraging. The time at which the heaviest draft is made is during the bicycling season, when checks of from $60 to $80 become frequent.

There are many instances on record where the money thus placed on deposit has been of practical value to the boys and girls, and letters are constantly received from parents telling of the purchase of clothing, shoes and other necessaries, made possible by the existence of this fund. It has also been noticed that many well to do families have their children practice the economy taught by the bank, and at the same time obtain a practical insight into the methods of banking and the care of a bank account.

The method of checking out the money is very simple. Each pupil has a pass book and is provided with an order blank which must be filled out with the amount for which the check is to be drawn. This order is signed by the pupil and must be approved and signed by parent or guardian. Upon presentation of this order at the Superintendent's office, he draws a check for the required amount on the First National bank of Olean, where the school savings bank funds are kept. This check is of course endorsed and cashed in the usual way.

The checks are not payable on the day drawn, but on the next banking day following. There is a provision, however, that in urgent cases they may be paid on sight on presentation to the Superintendent. The pass books are presented to the teacher every time money is deposited or withdrawn, and at the end of every quarter they are left with the superintendent for examination and crediting interest. The regulations pertaining to the bank are subject to change by the board of education.

The school bank's certificate of deposit with the First National bank to-day shows $5,325 on deposit and drawing interest. Besides this there are sums under $5 simply on deposit that amount to considerable in the aggregate. The amount on deposit last year at this time was $4,835, showing a gain of $490 over the total of a year ago of interest drawing deposits. The total three years ago, in 1895, was $4,500, which shows a gradual advance of almost $1,000 in that length of time. —Olean, N. Y., Herald.

Remarkable Cure of a Cataract.

A remarkable accidental cure of a cataract comes from Baden, Mo. Mrs. Carl Hoeffler had suffered for four years from a cataract and oculists had tried in vain to remove it. The other day, while she was in the kitchen, working around the stove, some hot grease popped up into her face, one drop striking her in the eye.

The eye was badly burned, and the woman at once bound it up and kept applying tea leaves. When she removed the bandage she found that she could see as well as ever, the burning grease having removed the cataract. —New York Journal.

They tell of a judge in Bennington, Vermont, who, having spoken of buying a safe, was interviewed by two rival agents, each of whom had so much to say in favor of his own particular safe that the judge was quite at a loss which to buy. In a happy moment he thought of a burglar whom he had himself sentenced, and going to the jail he obtained this expert safebreaker's opinion, and then gave his order.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Oldenburg.

Delmenhorst. Die bei dem Mühlenpächter Runge bedienstete Anna Meyer aus Moorhausen bei Varel wollte kurz nach Mittag in der Nähe der Damenbadeanstalt in der Delme ein Scheuertuch spülen und ist bei dieser Arbeit kopfüber in's Wasser gestürzt und ertrunken.

Mecklenburg.

Schwerin. Es wird projektirt, hier eine elektrische Straßenbahn anzulegen. Der Herzog-Regent Johann Albrecht und das großherzogliche Hofmarschallamt stehen dem Unternehmen sehr wohlwollend gegenüber. — In Scharbow hat der Rittergutsbesitzer von Luebbe Selbstmord begangen.

Braunschweig.

Frellstedt. In Folge einer Explosion brannte die hiesige Zuckerraffinerie nieder; 20 Personen wurden durch die Explosion verletzt.

Großherzogthum Hessen.

Darmstadt. Eine außerordentliche Generalversammlung der Darmstädter Volksbank beschloß die Umwandlung in eine Genossenschaft mit beschränkter Haftpflicht mit Wirkung ab 1. Januar 1900.—Wegen fortgesetzter Weinverfälschung wurde von der hiesigen Strafkammer der Weinhändler Valentin Bisch aus Offenbach zu fünf Monaten Gefängniß und 1200 Mark Geldstrafe verurtheilt.

Gerau. Eine Feuersbrunst äscherte die Maschinenfabrik von Lämmermann vollständig ein. Der Schaden ist bedeutend.

Gießen. Die Stadtverordneten beschlossen, der Kölner Elektrizitäts-Aktien-Gesellschaft die Einführung des Automobil-Droschken-Verkehrs in hiesiger Stadt, jedoch ohne Gewähr eines Servituts, zu gestatten.

Mainz. Die Stadtverordneten bewilligten für die Erbauung eines neuen Gaswerkes einen Kredit von 2,350,000 Mark.

Niederwöllstadt. Neulich Abends wurde der hier stationirte Stationsassistent Bussin, als er von seinem Urlaub zurückkehrte, auf Station Friedberg verhaftet. Er soll bei dem Fahrkartenverkauf etwa 800 Mark unterschlagen und die Bücher gefälscht haben.

Worms. Das Ministerium hat die Erlaubniß ertheilt, daß der Verkauf von Zeitungen und Druckschriften auf dem hiesigen Bahnhof an Sonn- und Feiertagen ohne Zeitbeschränkung zuzulassen ist.

Bayern.

München. Der Centralausschluß des Musikfestes beschloß die Abhaltung des Festes dahier Ende Mai oder in der ersten Hälfte des Juni kommenden Jahres.—Das Defizit der hier stattgehabten Maschinenausstellung soll etwas über 100,000 Mark betragen.—Der Verleger der satyrischen Wochenschrift „Simplicissimus," Langen, hat einer Vorladung der Staatsanwaltschaft Leipzig in einem Verfahren wegen Majestätsbeleidigung keine Folge geleistet, sondern sich von München entfernt und in die Schweiz begeben. Es handelt sich um ein Gedicht und ein Bild, die sich mit der Palästinafahrt des Kaisers beschäftigten. Auf gerichtliche Anordnung hat das hiesige Postamt vier Briefe, welche Frau Langen an ihren Mann richtete, mit Beschlag belegt.

Aschaffenburg. Die feierliche Eröffnung der Kahlthalbahn ging dieser Tage vor sich. Die Bahn erschließt einen an landschaftlichen Schönheiten reichen, landwirthschaftlich sehr ergiebigen und industriell noch sehr entwickelungsfähigen Theil Unterfrankens dem größeren Verkehr.

Bogen. In der Vaitl'schen Brauerei hier stürzte unter heftigem Getöse und Krachen der Theil der Brauerei in sich zusammen, in dem sich das Kühlschiff befindet. Zum Glück war in dem kritischen Moment Niemand dort beschäftigt.

Freising. Ueberfahren und getödtet wurden 20 Stück Schafe von dem Münchener Schnellzug bei der Bahnüberfahrt unterhalb der Haltestelle Pulling. Die Schafheerde befand sich im kritischen Moment auf dem Bahndamme.

Landshut. Bei einer Treibjagd in der Nähe von Seiboldsdorf wurde der herrschaftliche Förster Wackerbauer von Seiboldsdorf erschossen. Wahrscheinlich liegt ein Unglücksfall vor.

Moosburg. Für die projektirte Hollertauer Eisenbahn hat der hiesige Distriktsrath beschlossen, 10,000 Mark zu den Grunderwerbungskosten zu genehmigen.

Nürnberg. Das Gutachten, das der von der Stadtgemeinde hierzu berufene Sachverständige Civilingenieur Schiemann aus Dresden über die hiesige elektrische Straßenbahnanlage gefällt hat, lautet geradezu vernichtend. Die Bahn ist von der Allgemeinen Elektrizitäts-Gesellschaft in Berlin gebaut.

Passau. Der Postexpeditor Lautenschlager, der in Simbach bedeutende Unterschlagungen verübt und sich geflüchtet hatte, ist hier verhaftet worden.

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Proceedings of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

[OFFICIAL.]

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, N. J., held on Thursday, Nov. 3, 1898, at 2:30 p m.

Roll call showed all members present excepting Freeholders Higgins and Scudder—2.

The minutes of the previous meeting (reading of bills omitted), were on motion, approved as read.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Union County Court of Oyer and Terminer, October term, 1898:

Resolved, That the Grand Jury of the present term of this Court after having investigated the very large number of cases brought to their attention, are unanimously of the opinion that hereafter a stenographer should be in attendance to take the testimony of the witnesses examined by the Grand Juries, and

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be, by the Clerk, presented to the Board of Freeholders.

(Signed)
John K. English,
Clerk.

Received and placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS.

Freeholder Wahl moved that the resolution laid over at last meeting, relative to macadamizing South Street in New Providence be taken up, which was so ordered.

The said resolution was read by the Clerk, and Freeholder Miller moved its adoption.

Some discussion followed, during which Freeholders Swain and Brucklacher suggested that it would be advisable for the Board as a whole to examine and go over said road before voting on the said resolution.

Freeholder Roll moved that the resolution be laid on the table, which was so ordered.

By Freeholder Swain:

"Resolved, That this Board as Committee of the Whole, visit the locality recommended by Freeholder Wahl on Thursday, Nov. 10, and report to this Board as to the advisability of constructing a macadamized road in accordance with his resolution now before this Board."

On motion of Freeholder Miller, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Wahl:

"Resolved, That the bill of George Wahl, amount $399, contract price of brick arch bridge in New Providence, be paid when approved by the committee having the work in charge."

Freeholder King moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder King:

"Resolved, That the moneys appropriated for hospitals be divided as follows:

Elizabeth General Hospital	$2 500
Muhlenberg Hospital	1 500
Alexian Brothers Hospital	1,000

Freeholder Brucklacher moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll-call it was adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Roll:

"Resolved, That the bill of W. T. Kirk for $399, for iron work, etc., for bridge in Springfield Township be paid when properly signed by committee."

Freeholder Robison moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll-call it was adopted unanimously.

By Freeholder Roll:

"Resolved, That the bill of James G. Moore for $380, for work on new bridge, Locust Street, Roselle, be paid when approved by the committee."

Freeholder Swain moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll-call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Farrell:

Resolved That when this Board adjourns, it adjourns to meet again on Thursday, November 17, at 2:30 p m"

On motion of Freeholder Robison, the resolution was adopted without dissent.

Freeholder Wahl moved that the members of the Board, as a Committee of the Whole to examine, etc., South Street in New Providence, meet at Keron's stables, Morris Avenue, in Elizabeth, at 10 a. m., on Thursday, November 10, 1898. It was so ordered.

The following bills audited and approved were read and on roll call unanimously ordered:

Salaries Account—E. M. Wood $125, S Rusling Ryno $25

Committee Expense Account—John F. Wahl $7.25, J. F Hubbard $16 95 James A. Burnett $7 75, W. H. Swain $8.30, W. H. Hulskamper $7 70

Members Pay Account—John Farrell $80 70, J. F. Hubbard $80.25, J. F. Wahl $30, Frederick Miller $14, Chris Ehrlich $34 James A Burnett $36 25 Jacob Brucklacher $42, W. H. Swain $40, W. H. Hulskamper $48

Publication Account—Union Democrat $25 Standard Publishing Concern $25, J. A. Potter $50, Westfield Leader $25, New Jersey Advocate $25, Summit Herald $25

Public Buildings Account—N Y. & N. J. Telephone Company $3, $29 55 $68.05, $28 85, Western Union Telegraph Company $2 50, Curtis M Thorpe $31.80, Laggren & Ball $20 Elizabeth Hardware Company $1 35, Hansen & Heald $17 36, Hall & Carlton $1,236, Thomas H Budd $22 24 Williams & Bassett $3, Barcrave & Miller $105.50, Wm Meyer $31 80 J. P. Brophy $30, Elizabethtown Gaslight Company $36 15

Stationery Account—John C. Rankin $96, Advocate Publishing Company $17.40

Election Account—Freie Press Printing Association $3, $10.80, $24 G. Dudley Kyte $1 12, Standard Pub Concern $18.50. F. W Runyon $25, Union Democract $24, Summit Record $17, S Rusling Ryno $35, Advocate Publishing Company $6 25, Cranford Citizen $24 90, Elizabeth Daily Journal $28 89, Summit Herald $5 50.

Jail Account—Charles W. Dodd, $487.50. Vienna Pressed Yeast Company $2 38 W. H. Neefus $ 1 64 Chas. W Dodd $3 67, Charles C Dilks $5, F R Bailey $62 50 Henry J Schmidt $6 20, James O. Brokaw $12 53 Henry Sauer $23 12, Fanny Dodd $75, L. F. Hersh & Bro. $52 81, J. P. Hanifin, $19 75.

Incidental Account—Nath. Leavitt $4.40 I. M. Hewitt $4 50, W. J. Whelan P. M, $23 20; Wm Howard $670 74 P Casey & Son $10, $15.

County Road Repairs Account—W. H Weldon $198.93, $2,535 75, J. W. Fink $60.

Lunacy Account—G. C Hinchman, treasurer, $9 687 18

Court Account—Freie Presse Printing Association $8.50 George R Rockafellow $1.30, Elmer D. Moffett, justice of the peace, $5 20, B. A Vail $373 33, W R Mattox $3.40, Walter C. Pierson $6 50, John K. English $25. N. C. J. English $507.82 Samuel H Gray $200. Herbert W. Knight $140 $90, George C. Tenney $6, J. Edwards Marsh $75, William H Sault $57.50, James J Carey $16, $57 50, Augustus B. Crane $69 J Caspar Kirkner $80.50, Gustave Deinlein $80 50, Vincent Daniels $57 50, $13 80, $6.80, James Crann $77. Michael W. Boyle $57 50, Wm H. Burnett $69, Amos Moffett $80.50, Elizabeth Daily Journal $14, Robert Walpole $3 96. $1.30, Stephen J. Cox, justice of the peace. $12.84, Joseph Clark $2 $1 80, William T. Kirk, sheriff, $933 48, Henry J. Schoppe $3.20, $57.50, $25.20, Wm. Howard $303 12.

Bridge Account—August Klemser $1 75, William T. Kirk $759, John E. Pender $6.75, John Conrad $5, John Dowd $8, John E. Pender $40, William R Ogden $10, Philip Feltman $51, James Hollywood $48, $49, James G. Moore $896 88, J O VanVleet $32 F. J. Hubbard $22.50, Joseph Frazer $15, F. DeCamp $8 12, Finton Hibbits $60-90, John T. Moore $18.52, William H. Weldon $98.08, George W. Heath $50, John Duffy $5.75, James Moore $22, Martin Maughn $43 20, Thomas Hall $38.94. Frank Murphy $71 27, James Moore $68 50, A J Collins $14, Tuttle Brothers $5 76, A. W. Stiles $10 50, J. S. Irving & Company $43 85, John Tolin $29, Wm J. McCloud $250.

Freeholder Farrell moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director declared the Board adjourned until Thursday, November 17th, 1898, at 2:30 p m.

S. RUSLING RYNO, Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constitutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the CITY OF PLAINFIELD, that the taxes assessed in said City for the year

Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight.

are now due and payable, and that if said taxes be not paid before the

Twentieth Day of December

next, the names of the defaulters, with their respective taxes, will be returned to the City Judge for prosecution.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

In cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, Plainfield N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

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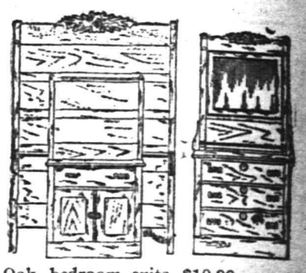

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 37, 6 29, 7 00 7 26, 7 50, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 00, 1 15, 2 12 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 24, 6 31, 6 50, 7 45, 9 7 39, 8 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sundays 2 14, 3 37, 6 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, a. m.; 12 38, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 8 13, 8 32, 9 35, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m. 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00 9 00, 9 15 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 34, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 35 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 4 35, 5 35, 6 25, 6 55, 7 44, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 35 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25, 3 55, 6 44, 7 25, 8 55, 9 35 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 01, 7 47, 8 13, 8 37, 9 03, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 12, 2 12, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 14, 11 39 p. m. Sunday 8 52, 10 08, 11 0 a. m.; 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 2 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 33, 5 45, 6 19, 7 25, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 47, 6 55, 7 35 9 25, 10 15 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 0 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 03 5 38, 5 54, 6 04, 6 09, 7 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 41, 10 26, 11 26, p. m.; 12 44 night. Sundays 5 45, 8 06 9 32, a. m.; 2 03, 3 40, 5 09, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m.; 12 50, 1 53, 2 08 2 23, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 22, 7 03, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 4 55, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 9 05 a. m.; 2 03 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m.; 12 25 4 10, 5 16, 7 17, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m 4 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m.; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

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6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester. Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

8 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3 05 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

9 05 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

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Miss Gould is an old-fashioned girl. "I do not dislike society. I am simply too busy for it," is her calm reply to all persuasions towards the gay world. And she is busy. Her creed is a busy one. "I expect to pass through this life but once; any good that I can do, let me do it now: let me not neglect it or defer it, for I shall not pass this way again." But it is not work without faith. In her the two are admirably blended. She is a sincere, earnest Christian, a communicant of the Presbyterian church, and to her this world is but the preparation for another and a better one. She is not beautiful, though her face is womanly and sweet.

As she says herself she is busy. She set for herself three tasks in life. One was to fit herself for the proper care of her fortune, another to clear her father's memory of the stain blackmailers put upon it, and the third to make a good business man of her youngest brother, Frank, who is not yet of age. No one can say that

MISS HELEN GOULD.

she has failed in any of these, while the first two are accomplished facts. Her spirit is absolutely dauntless. She is so unswerving from a purpose that her family and immediate friends have dubbed her "the woman of no compromise." When Mrs. Angell claimed in the court that she was the first and only legal wife of Jay Gould, one of the brothers in the family council suggested that the imposter be given a few thousand dollars to spare them further annoyance, but to this Helen would not listen. "Never," she said. "I will spend my life, if necessary, in clearing up this mystery and proving our family innocent." And she did. Evidence unmistakeable was secured and the imposter confessed on affidavit.

In order that she might properly grasp business details Miss Gould took a course at the New York Law University, and is a thoroughly equipped business woman and lawyer, upon whose shoulders the mantel of her father's financiering ability seems to have fallen, combined with many sweet womanly qualities. She is very liberal, and her charities are so unostentatiously managed that her right hand scarcely knows what the left hand doeth. She gave $60,000 to her law school. She completed a gospel hall at Chautauqua, N. Y. She founded a scholarship at Wellesley College and another at Mount Holyoke. Practical always, she not long ago gave $10,000 to the University of New York for its school of engineering,

MISS GOULD'S HOME AT LYNDHURST.

and in 1895 a gift of $250,000 to the same University, made on the condition that the name of the giver be kept secret, is believed to have been from her. She gave $100,000 for the relief of the sufferers in the St. Louis tornado. This is her way of doing good. When she made the magnificent gift of $100,000 to the government to help in the war with Spain it was under pledge of secrecy, and it was to her genuine surprise and regret when the matter was made public. She built a memorial church upon the site of her father's home at Roxbury, N. Y., and at Woody Crest, near her home on the Hudson, she has her pet charity, a home for poor children. Intensely fond of children, she calls this her "recreation;" she personally superintends every detail of the place, and when at Lyndhurst goes across every day to Woody Crest to personally visit her little friends, who are usually crippled, maimed or deformed. She is a strictly temperance woman, and was a great admirer of Francis Willard. She is level-headed and studious, never self-seeking and intensely patriotic. Foreign travel she does not care for, as she conceives her country to be best of all possible lands. She is neither a belle, like her sister, nor a secretly ambitious woman, like her charming sister-in-law, Mrs. George Gould. She was her father's favorite child, and is a shrewd business woman with a mind of her own. This was evinced peculiarly when she stubbornly refused to sell her elevated road stock and thus broke up the elevated roads combine. She is independent, but not dashingly so. She does not strike one as being a typical "bachelor maid."

Everyone has known that Miss Gould was a patriot from the time when she caused 50,000 copies of the national hymn, "America," to be printed and distributed among the public schools of New York, saying, "I believe everyone should know this hymn and sing it, if he knows no other. I would like the children to sing it into their souls until it becomes a part of them."

But it was when the war began with Spain that her patriotism shone forth most brightly. She responded to the call to arms by the only way in which she then thought she could be of use to her country—by a check for $100,000 to the government. Then she took an active hand in furthering the Red Cross plans and was a useful member of the Woman's War Relief Association. But in both of these societies she was rather as a rich member than a personal worker, and this did not satisfy her. When the sick and wounded soldiers were landed on Long Island, there she was in the midst of them. Then her eyes opened to see the work mapped out for her, and she did not shrink. There was no time for formality or red tape; the men needed money, care, comforts, luxuries. She started diet kitchens, hired cooks and servitors, and telegraphed Mrs. Walworth, the head of the Woman's War Relief Association, to draw upon her to the extent of $25,000 for necessaries needed at Montauk, while she herself stayed at Camp Wikoff. All at once, it seemed to her associates, the executive ability of this quiet, slim little woman had flashed out, and she was indeed her father's daughter. When the camp was to be broken up it was Miss Gould who arranged for the care of convalescents, and her home at beautiful Lyndhurst was literally strewn with sewing being made ready for needy soldiers. Instead of a home it looked like a "sweatshop," one of the visitors comically remarked, but it all showed the reality of the work and the absolute sinking of all other considerations in the one great present fact.

DELIGHTED WITH THE INFORMATION

The Experience and Chagrin of a Visitor at an Insane Asylum.

Happening to be at the seat of one of the State insane asylums, a Detroiter who likes to see and learn all he can attended one of the dances for the patients. What surprised him most was the difficulty he found in distinguishing between those who were rational and those who were not, and he was more chagrined than amused when several whom he met were evidently trying to find out just what was wrong with his mental machinery.

At length he was introduced to a woman who particularly interested him. He convinced himself at once that her eyes were supernaturally bright, and her conversation soon convinced him that she was equally bright. All this made him pity her the more, and he set about in his most diplomatic way to discover what form of mania possessed her. Subjects and persons were discussed, till he thought he had about exhausted the material, when he happened to speak in rather flattering terms of the doctor. At last he had touched the hidden spring. She beamed upon him as he sang the doctor's praises. She added approvong sentences of her own and adroitly drew out the praise which seemed so welcome to her. Her eyes grew even brighter and her tones were unmistakably those of affection.

"Doctor," said the Detroiter a little later, "I don't know whether you are aware of it or not, but that handsome patient of yours, over there in the heliotrope silk, is hopelessly in love with you. She'll be making an open declaration, trying to elope with you, or doing something else equally embarrassing. I never saw a clearer case, and I thought I'd just warn you. She's dead gone, I tell you."

"Delighted to hear it," laughed the doctor. "That's my wife."—Detroit Free Press.

Frederick the Great and America.

The superstition that Frederick the Great showed marked sympathy for America during the revolution is singularly enduring, and most school children have been taught that he sent a sword to Washington with the message: "From the oldest General in the world to the greatest." Moncure D. Conway writes to the Athenaeum to say: "There was no such sword or message." He speaks as a student of Washington's life, and he was told by Carlyle, the greatest authority on Frederick, that there was absolutely no foundation for the legend. He also contradicts the singular assertion which Bismarck is said to have made, that Frederick was the first sovereign to recognize the independence of the United States. Louis XVI. recognized our independence, but Frederick never did, and never expressed a word of sympathy with our cause, while he allowed Hessians to be sent to crush the rebellion of the colonists.

"What's that button you're wearing?" asked the Young Thing; "not Sons of the American Revolution?"

"No," said the major. "I should think not. I'm proud of that button. It is the insignia, the outward and visible sign of the largest military society in the United States."

"What's its name?"

"Society of the First Man up San Juan Hill"—Philadelphia Press.

MADAME JAMBE.

You smile at her name, finding it absurd, perhaps? Do not, however, be in too great a hurry to turn it into ridicule, for she who bore it was a brave woman, and worthy of all respect.

She married, when about thirty years of age, the quartermaster-general of the regiment.

After a year of married life a son was born, and Mme. Jambe and her husband agreed that as soon as he should attain the proper age, he too, should be a soldier. At the age of sixteen he passed into the ranks, and being smart and intelligent, he seemed to have a bright future before him.

But the husband and father died suddenly in 1869. Sorrow aged her fast and she left the service and settled in a little cottage left her by her parents in the village of Clusy, near Pontarliers.

A year later war broke out, and this was another sorrow for her to bear. She was a patriot, was Mme. Jambe, but she was a mother also.

And now I will let Mme. Jambe take up the story, for what follows I had from her own lips.

"One morning at dawn I heard a noise at the door of the cottage, and then the sound of breaking glass. I rose hastily and ran down to the entrance. I gave a cry, my boy was there, and behind him stood three of his comrades, but in what a state! Haggard, hollow-cheeked, their uniforms in rags, their boots almost in pieces, blue and shivering with the cold!

"'Mother, you must hide us,' he said. 'The general has entrusted me with a message to the commandant of the fort, but the Prussians have seen us and are in pursuit. They must not find us.'

"'Give me your order,' I cried, 'I will take it while you hide here; no one will suspect a woman—'

"I had no time to finish, we heard a discharge of musketry, and a neighbor rushed in, crying,—

"'The Prussians! The Prussians are here!'

"I pushed my son and his friends into a store room, at the farther end of which, under some hay, was the door leading into the cellar where I kept my little stock of wine and cider.

"The Prussians entered in through the open door; I saw others in the road. There must have been about one hundred of them altogether. A young officer was in command.

"He came to me and said, brutally,—

"'Is it you who are Mme Jambe?'

"'Yes, I am she,' I answered him.

"'Your son has just entered this house.'

"'My son! He is far away from here, always supposing that he is still alive.'

"'He is here; I am sure of it. Come, now, where is he?'

"'You must seek him, then.'

"He made a sign, and the soldiers ransacked the house.

"At last the brutes found him—him and his friends, and I saw them dragged out covered with the hay in which they had attempted to conceal themselves. And my son! How brave and handsome he looked with his flashing eyes. Yes! He was my own flesh and blood, and I felt proud of him. They were rigorously searched for the message they were supposed to bear, but as it was a verbal one they could find nothing.

"The officer stamped about the little room, mad with rage. Glancing at the prisoners, he cried,—

"'Is your son amongst them?'

"'He is not; and if he were I would not confess it.'

"He drew his sword on me, and then we were all dragged out into the road way, the officer shouting,—

"'Where is the man who gave us the information?'

"'One of his companions has just killed him,' a Prussian sergeant replied, pointing to a corpse which I had not seen, hidden as it was behind a bush.

"The traitor was a franc-tireur, who, to save his own life, had given up my son to the enemy. His punishment had not been long delayed.

"'The murderer will be shot!' cried the officer; then, looking fiercely at a group of villagers who were cowering under his men's bayonets, he continued,—

"'Some one among you knows the man Jambe; point him out to me, or I will order my men to fire on you.'

"Ah! they were brave, my neighbors, they made no reply.

"'Then we will soon find out.' He gave an order in a low voice. His men pinned me with my back against a wall, and placed rifles in the hands of my son and his comrades.

"And the officer said,—

"'On the word of command you will fire and kill that woman. If you disobey it will be your turn next.'

"A cry of horror ran through the crowd, followed by a dead silence. I waited, watching my son.

"But he did not seem to see me. His eyes were turned to his comrades. They seemed to be making signs to one another.

"'Ready!' the word of command thundered.

"'Present!' and they obeyed, covering me with their rifles.

"'Fire!' They turned suddenly to the right about. An explosion followed and four Prussians, the officer among the number, fell. And above the roar of the discharge I heard my boy's voice clearly.—

"'Fire! Yes, but on you, you coward!'

"A general volley on the part of the Prussians followed, and I fell with a bullet in my shoulder. Before I lost consciousness, however, I saw that my son was still unhurt.

I learned afterward that, just at this moment, the cannon of the Fort de Joux began to play. The commandant had caught the reflection of the sunlight from the Prussian's helmets, and, concluding—none too soon—that something untoward was taking place, had sent a few shells into the crowd and rapidly dispensed the enemy."

Mme. Jambe died a few years after the events, which I have related as nearly as I can in her own words, took place. Her story was recalled to my mind the other day on hearing that the son of this brave woman had just been promoted to the command of his regiment.—Pearson's Weekly.

A PASSAGE AT ARMS.

They were talking it over afterwards.

"I hope you aren't inclined to be jealous," she said, glancing up shyly.

"Jealous?" He laughed, as he gave the white hand that he held a reassuring pressure. "Not a bit. You needn't trouble your pretty head about that."

"I am so glad," with a sigh of relief, while the color deepened in her face. "If you should, it would be very uncomfortable because——"

"Because other men are inclined to admire you, too," he finished. "Of course they do!" heartily. "How can they help it? Aren't you the——"

Her rosy palm shut off further words. He kissed it, of course. There was silence for a moment as she drew back flushed.

"You might, you know," she insisted.

"Oh, no," confidently.

"Not even if some one should like me very much," anxiously, "and—and I should be very nice to him?"

Her eyes were turned away. There was a flash in his own as they rested on the fair figure with its golden head gleaming brightly against a background of deep red draperies. His lips twitched for a second.

"Not even then," he declared with a short laugh.

It grated a trifle. She looked up hastily.

"That isn't nice of you a bit," she pouted.

"What?" concernedly.

"Why to laugh at me like that. And—and I should think you'd be jealous of me sometimes," emphasis on the sometimes, and a deeper pout.

"It's like this, you see," he smiled, drawing his chair closer and taking again the hand that had been withdrawn. "I might feel inclined to be jealous, only I wouldn't let myself, because it wouldn't be fair."

"Why not?" startled.

"Well—because you see, I shall want to be nice to the other girls."

A tiny cloud settled on her face.

"Not that I should pay any attention of which you could possibly be jealous," he assured her. "But, like you, I feel that just because we're engaged, there is no reason why we should keep ourselves apart, and not take an interest in other people. Don't you think so?"

"Yes," reluctantly, a look of wonder in her eyes.

"Of course other men will pay you attentions and very likely fall in love with you," he continued, cheerfully "but I shall not be vexed a bit, for it is what I shall expect. And I, in turn can continue my little attentions to the other girls, and nice, pretty ones if I wish, and you'll understand perfectly. And when you're surrounded by your admirers, instead of standing by and being bored to death, or wishing them all in Hades—beg pardon—I shall have something to make the time pass pleasantly. It will be even so nice and comfortable, now that we understand each other."

"Yes," she assented, her eyes on the passers outside. "It is nice to understand each other."

"She is very much like other women," he mused, as he stopped at the florist's. "I thought I had learned a thing or two from my former experiences."

"Yes, deliver them at once," he said to the florist, and he smiled complacently, as he walked away.

There was a troubled expression in her eyes as she stood gazing down at the confusion of flowers before her.

"It was perfectly horrid of him," she cried. "And I hoped he would be jealous," softly. Then, burying her flushed face in the soothing coolness of the petals, "I guess I won't try it," she said.

How High is Your Chair?

Some curious experiments have been made by a Harvard professor to prove what is really the best height for the chair you sit on and the desk you write at. Every person, it appears ought to have a chair specially made to suit his or her height, and the seat of the chair should be exactly one quarter of your height from the floor. Thus, if you are six feet high the chair seat should be eighteen inches. The width of the seat should exactly equal its height, and it should slope backward three-quarters of an inch to the foot. The back should be a trifle higher than the seat, and sloped slightly, not too much.

Finally, your desk should be two thirds as high again as the seat of your chair. Thus, if your chair seat is twenty-four inches, the desk should be forty inches in height. When you have attended to all these little details you can sit and write all day without feeling that backache that comes from chairs and desks that don't fit you.—Boston Traveler.

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the cars.

The South River branch was cleared so that the cars were running irregularly by nightfall, but the Metuchen and BoundBrook branches will not be opened until some time today.

The line between Bound Brook and Somerville gave up Saturday night and is still blockaded.

The last car between Bound Brook and Dunellen Saturday afternoon took four hours to make the trip. It was necessary to sweep off the tracks in front of the car. Then the line was abandoned and traffic has not yet been resumed.

TEN INCHES OF SNOW.

Weather Observer Neagle Says There is Another Storm Coming Tomorrow.

Weather Observer John Neagle had his hands full looking after the big storm. Ten inches of snow fell, he says, on the level. The wind at times reached a velocity of sixty miles an hour. The thermometer registered 19° Saturday afternoon and 23° yesterday afternoon.

Another storm is in sight, he says, and will reach here tomorrow. It may be either rain or snow.

BLIZZARD AT THE 'PLAINS.

Town Committee Tried Unsuccessfully to Open Up Sidewalks With Snow Plow.

The blizzard of Saturday and Sunday gave Scotch Plains a deserted look. No one ventured out unless compelled to. The snow plow, under direction of the Town Committee, opened up the sidewalks Sunday morning, but on some of the streets the snow drifted and soon made them impassable again. A few venturesome ones turned out with their sleighs in the afternoon, but were soon glad to return and seek the fireside again.

FOOLISH MAN.

Mistook a Snowbank for His Bed and Nearly Froze.

Harry Fosberry chose a cold bed to spend Saturday night in, and if it hadn't been for a kind hearted passerby, who picked him up from a snow bank on Park avenue, where he lay drunk, and turned him over to the police, Harry would have frozen to death before morning. This morning Mayor Fisk suspended sentence in his case.

If Your Eyes Trouble You

in any way, is it not policy for you to ascertain the cause? Don't "think it is your nerves" simply because "you are nervous," or because some irresponsible traveling quack has told you this and that—these birds of prey will flop their glib tongues in a strenuous endeavor to make you believe yourself a victim to all the ills to which mortal flesh is heir. Given half a chance they will dope you with medicine week after week when all in the world you need is the right glass. This we can give, and save you much worry and money. Examination free. Collier, 103 Park avenue.

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Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

—Gavett has a fine line of holiday china, glass, lamps, cut glass, etc., in now, and invites inspection.

—Frank Mobus lost his valuable work horse "Charley" yesterday caused by the animal breaking its leg.

—Next Thursday evening at the meeting of the Reform Club there will be election of officers. A full attendance is requested.

—This evening at the home of J. P. Higgins, on Lafayette place, a dime social will be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Reform Hall.

—Rogers, the sea-food dealer, sold 8,975 half-shell oysters for Thanksgiving Day. This is the largest number ever furnished by this house in one day.

—A musicale and bazaar will be held in Grace M. E. church under the auspices of the Queen Esther Band on Thursday and Friday evenings, December 15th and 16th.

—Tomorrow evening in K. of P. Hall a "Bloomer Social" will be held under the auspices of Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters. There will be instrumental and vocal music, and a comical farce entitled "No Cure No Pay."

—Owing to the weather there was no service at the First Baptist church last evening. The service was to have been held under the direction of the Temple Builders of the church, but the members decided to postpone the meeting to a future date.

—When necessary the bedding factory and store on Somerset street make cover mattresses and renovates feathers and return the same day. This does not mean that the work is slighted, but that we have the proper facilities for doing the work.

GERMANY PROTESTS.

Says the Sulu Islands Should go to Her Not American According to Spain's Promise.

(From Union Associated Press.)

Washington, Nov. 28—The German Ambassador called on Secretary Hay this morning and is understood to have protested against the American acquisition of the Sulu Islands, to which, it is claimed, Spain is under obligations to dispose of to Germany.

TWO INSANE CHARACTERS.

Taken to the Morris Plains Asylum This Morning by Sergeant Kiely.

Katie Morris, colored, an inmate of the workhouse, and Jacob Ritter, a Hollander, who lived with his brother at 1002 Morris avenue, were taken to Morris Plains Asylum this morning by Sergeant Kiely. Both are insane, Katie is not dangerously so, but Ritter has given his brother and the police quite a little trouble during the past year.

Katie Morris is a well-known character around the streets. She is short and stout, with great eyes that look everyone she passes straight in the face. She used to go out washing for a living, but recently she was taken to the workhouse, where she spent her time singing and talking all night long, becoming such a nuisance that it was decided to send her away.

Jake gets fits of insanity periodically. During one spell he threw a brick through a neighbor's window, narrowly missing him; and another time chased his brother around the house with a carving knife. The police were called in at the time, but when they arrived Jake was as quiet as could be.

HEIFER TOOK A TRIP.

Now Justice Mosher Will Have to Unravel the Trouble That Followed.

This afternoon Justice Mosher will sit to hear the trial of the case of Mary Coughan against James McCarthy for assault and battery. The trouble between these two arose last week, it will be remembered by Press readers, over the excursions of a heifer into the neighbor's gardens. That case is to be tried at 4 o'clock, but in the meantime McCarthy has brought suit against the woman in tort, alleging that she retains possession of the cow illegally. This new case will be tried December 5th.

Talk to Endeavor Workers.

Rev. J. W. Richardson, of this city, third vice-president of the New Jersey State Christian Endeavor Union, will give an informal talk to the presidents, vice-presidents and junior superintendents of the Christian Endeavor societies of Plainfield and vicinity, at the regular monthly executive meeting of the local union, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. building. It is earnestly hoped that every society in the union may be represented on this occasion.

Miss Foster, of New York is visiting at the home of her uncle, D. N. Groendyke, of Mercer avenue.

AN EX-SLAVE'S WORK.

The Intellectuality of Booker T. Washington May Well Be Envied By Whites.

Booker T. Washington is the first colored man who ever caused a Southern audience, scarcely a northern man in the 15,000 before him, to go mad with enthusiasm when he pictured the fine moral, mental and industrial emancipation of his own people in that day when white shall truly say to black, "Our purposes are one."

A correspondent writes: I heard him that day in Atlanta two years ago. He was within a rifle's shot of where General McPherson fell, where Gresham dropped wounded, where Logan retrieved misfortune. He was at the footstool of the Piedmont hills, where thirty years previous thousands had died for and against his cause.

He looked from his eminence down upon the faces of the cream of "Georgian chivalry." He spoke to men who had owned slaves by the hundreds, to women who had used the negro for an ottoman, to children bred to think the rifle better than the schoolbook for the denizens of "Cotton Row." He dared to tell these people with a mastery of English that was magnificent what his race was striving for, what it deserved, and what it had not received. He rose in doing this so far above the ordinary mentality of the average exposition orator that he swept away the prejudices of centuries, overcame the aversion of blood and made his hearers one with him for the hour at least.

The effort and its success was all the more remarkable because he was not talking to the abolitionist, but to the descendants of a slave-owning people.

So forward leaps the human race in humanity as the centuries pass, for slavery and negro subjugation were once condoned by Christian New England. Booker T. Washington's mother was a slave, and his father a white

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.

man. And no colored man was ever so honored by a New England university as Harvard honored him, a literal product of old conditions.

He it was who gave to Harvard that sentence:

"I thank God that I have grown to that point where I can sympathize with a white man as much as I can with a black. To me a man is but 'a man for a' that.'"

When appearing before the directors of Harvard to qualify for the degree to be conferred upon him he said to them:

"Gentlemen, there is no escape. Man drags man down, or man lifts man up."

On the same occasion he made this statement of his race:

"We are crawling up, walking up—yea, bursting up."

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Gallium, a Metal 162 Times More Costly Than Gold.

"The majority of people when asked to name the most precious metals usually mention gold as first, platinum as second and silver as third," said the proprietor of a large assay and refining establishment in New York to the writer recently. "If asked to name others some might add nickel and a few aluminum to the list. Now, let us see how near the truth they would be. Gold is worth about $250 per pound troy, platinum $130 and silver about $12. Nickel is worth about 60 cents and pure aluminum from 50 cents to $2 to the troy pound.

"We will now compare these prices with those of the rarer and less well-known metals. To take them in alphabetical order, barium, the metal which Davy isolated from its ore, baryte, in 1808, sells for $950 a pound, when it is sold at all, and calcium is worth $1,800 a pound. Cirium is a shade higher; its cost is $160 an ounce, or $1,920 per pound. These begin to look like fabulous prices, but they do not reach the highest point, chromium being worth $200. Cobalt falls to about half the price of silver, while didymium, the metal isolated by Masander, is the same price as calcium. Then comes gallium, which is worth $3,250 an ounce. With this metal the highest price is reached, and it may well be called the rarest and most precious of metals.

"Thus we see that the commonly received opinion as to what the most precious metals is quite erroneous. Aluminum, which cost $8 and $9 a pound in 1890, is now produced as cheaply as are iron, zinc, lead and copper."—Washington Star.

"It is estimated," said the statistical boarder, "that seven million packs of playing cards are made every year."

"That," said the Cheerful Idiot, "is a great deal."—Indianapolis Journal.

Susie—Papa, what makes a man always give a woman a diamond engagement ring?

Her Father—The woman.—The Jewelers' Weekly.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Former Councilman T. J. Carey is detained at home by a slight illness.

Uncle Dan Roberts, of North avenue, is somewhat improved in health. He has been quite ill for several days and was threatened with pneumonia.

Spilled From Her Sleigh.

Miss Bloom, of Washingtonville, came to town this afternoon in a cutter. A trolley car frightened her horse on Somerset street, and she was spilled out into the snow. It took her only a few minutes to get back into the sleigh and drive off, none the worse for her little accident.

A Monster Press.

Last week Garret A. Hobart was driven from Plainfield to Paterson by William Hand & Son This does not refer to the Vice-president but to a $30,000 printing machine made by Walter Scott & Co. for the Paterson Press and named after him by permission.

Stalled in a Snowdrift.

Thos. Callahan's grocery wagon was stalled in a snowdrift on North avenue, near Berckman street, this morning and had to be dug out.

AN EXPENSIVE BONNET.

Exquisitely Carved Out of Tortoise Shell for Queen Victoria.

Her majesty, Queen Victoria, who is the dowdiest royal personage in Europe, has in her possession the most expensive bonnet in the world. It is not a triumph of the milliner's art, and it is not likely to be the mode. In fact, the Queen has never worn it.

The natives of the Navigator Islands were most anxious to make the Queen a present. There was formed a committe, which debated long and patiently what would be most appropriate. Jewels were out of the question. It would cost a fortune to give to one of the richest sovereigns in the world a jewel that she would appreciate. Even the most gorgeous cloths were not advisable. India had excelled them in weaving.

The gift should be suggestive of their part of the world and made by their people. But what?—that was the question.

The committee disagreed. One gentleman resigned in despair. The new member injected some ginger into the crowd and revived their lagging spirits. The new member said emphatically that even a Queen had vanity enough to want to possess the most expensive bonnet in the world. One of their own tortoise shells should be made into a bonnet. It should be carved by their own people, and while it would not cost them very dearly, Victoria would find it quite expensive if she went shopping for it in Bond street.

An elaborate bonnet was made of a whole shell. The workmanship was exquisite. Never was a tortoise shell wore artistically carved. The shape is like that of the Salvation Army lassies'. In due time the Queen received the gift, and wrote the committee a note of thanks. The Queen found the material as well as the shape, a little impracticable as far as every-day wear goes, so she sent it to the British Museum. But the committee, which feels that a load is off its mind, draws mental pictures of Queen Victoria driving down the "Ladies' Mile," and nodding to her faithful subjects and wearing the gift that caused so many wrinkles in the gray matter of its brain.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

ALL-CONQUERING GOLF CRAZE.

Effects of the Game on Girls Who Do Not Play.

"Look at this piazza," said a girl last summer, who didn't play golf. "Isn't it a pathetic sight? Only you and I and a row of rocking chairs. Yet I can remember when it was crowded always at this time and every one of those tennis courts were occupied. Then we all played tennis, or sat here waiting to play and talking until we had a chance at a court or until it was time to go to the beach. Then we all went down there in a body. In the afternoon there was more tennis. In those days we were always together, and whatever fun there was with one another.

"But that was before golf came. Look at this place now—deserted. Look at the tennis courts now—three children throwing the balls about. Where is everybody? Why, wandering by themselves over those fields, not paying the slightest attention to one another when they meet, and simply absorbed in their game. That is another result of golf. The game has done that. So far as these piazzas are concerned, the clubhouse might as well be pulled down. And the worst part about it is that nobody would care if it were pulled down, so long as the golf course was not damaged. It is only that that they take any interest in now, and if the present is any indication of what the future is to be, they are not likely to care about anything else for some time to come."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

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Clothing manufactures are compelled to confess from the weather standpoint that October and a part of November has been a serious disappointment to them. They counted on cold weather to create a demand for the surplus stock they had made up. From two manufacturers we were able to buy a large stock of winter suits, overcoats and trousers at about 40c. on the dollar for what they could ordinarily make the goods for. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. The present cold weather brings you now at the proper time for your winter clothing at cut prices that you could otherwise not secure and for the values read them careful they are worthy of anyone's attention for we can say without contradiction, that strictly high-class, well-made and absolutely first-class suits, overcoats, ulsters and reefers for men and boys', were never sold at such prices at any other store in all the land. Men's fine brown cheviot suits at $3.50 worth $10. Men's fine business suits in blue and brown serge cheviots at $4.50 worth $12.

Men's splendid business suits made of strictly all-wool material worth $7.50 at $2.50. Men's black and blue smooth thibet cloth suits, or the rough surface serge effects, made in the popular double breasted styles with silk faced lapels worth $15.00 at $6 90 Men's black clay diagonal coats and vests made of eighteen ounce winter weight Washington Mills clay diagonal worsted, the kind that will not fade or wear shiney at $4.90 worth $12.00. Men's suits in fine all-wool tweeds, cheviots and also homespuns, absolutely fast color and all wool worth $14 00 at $6 50. Men's fine winter overcoats made of fine gloss surface, English Kersey cloth; these coats are lined with the highest grade plaid worsteds or with silk or satin, the tailor would charge you $25.00 for such a coat, our price is $8 90. Men's extra fine Castor beaver and frieze overcoats made with raw edges and lap seams, a bargain at $15.00 now at $6.90. Men's fine all-wool overcoats made of Wanskucks Mills kersey, the smooth closely shaven kind that will stand lots of wear, worth easily $12.50, now at $5 90. Men's overcoats made in foreign and domestic coverts at $4.50 worth $10.

Men's driving ulsters, black or brown, at $2 75, worth $7. Men's genuine chinchila, strictly all wool, heavy weight, worsted lined ulsters, a "beaut," black or blue, worth $18, at $7.50. A genuine Montagnac, extra heavy, as fine as split silk, ulster good for Sunday wear, worth $25 at $9.90. Boys' ulsters at $2.50 worth double Children's ulsters from $1.50 up. Children's reefers from 75c. up Boys' 3 piece suits in black or blue at $2.75, ages from 11 to 16 years, worth $6.50.

Boy's vested suits, navy blue and fancy cheviots, ages from 3 to 8 years, worth $2.75, at $1; a wonderful bargain. Boy's double breasted suits, good quality, pure wool, tweeds, cheviots and homespuns. The pants have double seat and knees, $1.50, $1.90 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $6.

Men's working trousers, well made, heavy weight, at 85c, worth $1.50. One thousand pairs of fine dress trousers, neat stripes and checks, French waistband, at $1 25, $1.50, $2 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $7.

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PLAINFIELD BRIDE WAS QUIETLY WEDDED.

Miss Mabel Coard Married at Her Home Last Night.

VERY PRETTY CEREMONY.

ERNEST FREDERIC GUSTAVE FRANKE, BRESLAU, GERMANY, THE GROOM.

Ceremony Performed by Rev. Charles Dodd, of Newark—House was Handsomely Decorated for the Occasion—Ceremony Took Place in Front of Floral Bower—Couple Sailed for Europe.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Coard, of East Ninth street, was the scene last evening of a pretty but quiet wedding, when their daughter, Miss Mabel M. Coard, was united in marriage to Ernest Frederic Gustave Franke, of Breslau, Germany. The home was filled with relatives and friends in honor of the occasion.

The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. Charles Dodd, pastor of the Peddie Memorial Baptist church, Newark, who is a great friend of the family. The Episcopal service was used throughout.

The wedding took place in the parlor where the floral decorations were exceedingly pretty and unique. On one side of the room opposite the hall door there was a large bank of white chrysanthemums, palms and greens, while there was a pleasing arrangement of white satin ribbon intertwining the flowers. It was in front of this floral display that the happy couple were united in marriage. They entered the room while the wedding march was executed by Miss Jessie Utter, pianist, and P. Ludwig Conde, violinist.

The bride was given away in marriage by her father. She was attended by Miss Laura Kelton, of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Franke was attended by George Coard, brother of the bride. The bride was richly gowned in satin of a cream color, with trimmings of lace and silk. The bridemaid wore a gown of white organdie trimmed with Valenciennes lace. The bridal party formed a semi-circle and while the ceremony was being performed sweet strains of music were softly rendered. After the couple were united they were the recipients of congratulations from all present. Following the congratulations a wedding supper was served.

The decorations in the other rooms were equally as pretty as those in the parlor. In the front room opposite the parlor the prevailing colors were yellow and green, while in the dining room, in addition to the decorations of flowers, there was a pretty display of the colors of Germany in ribbons, which were arranged about the bow-window. In the background the American colors were displayed. The decorations on the table were very attractive.

During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Franke left their relatives and friends for New York, and this morning they sailed on the Kaiser Friedrich of the North German Lloyd Steamship Line. They will be absent until January and while abroad will be received by many distinguished people in European cities. They will on their return take up their residence in New York city, where Mr. Franke has engaged in business as a contractor for fire proof flooring. While abroad they will visit Mr. Franke's mother in Breslau.

Mr. and Mrs. Franke have received gifts of great cost, usefulness and beauty, from all parts of the world, and displayed in the room with the presents were a number of letters from distinguished people residing in foreign countries and offering their congratulations.

A WRECK PREVENTED.

Why Polk Miller Didn't Entertain Here Thanksgiving Day.

In a letter received from Polk Miller, of Richmond, Va., who was to entertain with a description of the old Virginia plantation negro, at the Y. M. C. A., Thanksgiving night, he states that a wreck prevented him from reaching Washington in time to connect with a Royal Blue Line train stopping at Plainfield Thursday afternoon. He could have reached Plainfield, notwithstanding, if the railroad people would have stopped the new flyer here, but they would not consent. This was only the third time that he had ever disappointed an audience in 600 engagements. The association hopes to bring him to Plainfield on a later date.

Slipped on the Ice.

Alex. Filmore, of North avenue, slipped on the ice in front of French's mill Sunday afternoon, as he was going across the street, and fell, spraining his knee. Today Fillmore is walking around with the aid of a cane.

A YOUTHFUL TRAVELER.

TOLD STORY OF HIS EXPERIENCES TO PLAINFIELD AUDIENCE.

He Worked His Away Abroad and Saw the Diamond Jubilee—Interviewed All the Leading Men of Europe—Large Crowd.

An audience of good size and thoroughly appreciative assembled at the Y. M. C. A. last evening and for over an hour listened to the story of Harry Steele Morrison, "The Renowned Boy Traveler," of Illinois, who has traveled from his home to London and several foreign countries with a very small amount of money. The young man is 16 years old and is a very entertaining talker. He has not entirely overcome his boyish manner, but his large experience has given him much to talk about.

He told how he started from his small country home and worked in an office in Chicago as an office boy. From there he secured a pass on the B. & O. Railroad to Philadelphia, and with his small earnings was able to buy a ticket from there to New York.

When he arrived in New York he visited the newspaper offices and told them that he was going to London to attend the Queen's Jubilee and to secure an interview with the Queen, also Mr. Gladstone. He was laughed at, and while he received slight encouragement, in the main his ideas were thought to be impracticable.

He finally secured passage on a cattle steamer to London and worked his way over by washing dishes in the pantry. In London he worked for his room and board, saw the Diamond Jubilee and the Queen. He interviewed Mr. Gladstone and the prominent men in politics and the world of art and letters.

When he left London for Belgium he had $15 and with that amount he spent five months in Belgium, Germany, Austria, Switzerland and France, and interviewed heads of the Government.

While abroad he contributed to several leading papers, telling his experiences, and in some cases where he was asked for his opinions of English institutions he did not gain favor altogether. He also sent articles to New York papers, for which he received a handsome sum on his return to this country. This trip took place last year and he returned home in time to spend Christmas. Mr. Morrison is now doing journalistic work.

As an additional feature of the evening's entertainment Mr. Evans gave two whistling solos, accompanied by Mr. Harold on the piano. After the entertainment many remained to meet Mr. Morrison.

DANCED AT CASINO.

Charming Social Affair in Honor of Miss Helen Frances Bushnell.

Mrs. William E. Lowe, of Park avenue, gave a party in the Casino Saturday night to the debutante, Miss Helen Frances Bushnell, of Central avenue. Miss Bushnell assisted Mrs. Lowe in receiving, and the other ladies assisting were Mrs. John Bushnell and Miss Lotta Lowe.

The Casino was prettily decorated and trimmed with palms and potted plants, patriotic colors, and red and green. Fancy sofa pillows were strewn here and there carelessly, and this made the scene a comfortable one. Dancing was kept up until midnight, music for which was furnished by Rogers.

Class in Millinery to be Resumed.

This evening the class in millinery at the Young Women's Club will be resumed under the direction of Miss Carrie Kuhen, who is connected with the millinery department in Boehm's dry goods store. Miss Kuhen is known throughout the city for her ability, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity to learn this trade either for business purposes or for their own use. This class will meet every Tuesday evening from 8:30 until 10 o'clock, and the fee will be five cents a lesson to club members. The membership of the club is $1 a year.

Honored the Departed Judge.

Justice Mosher has placed upon the minutes of his court a set of resolutions bearing the evidence of the high regard in which Judge DeMeza was held. Justice Mosher's court was one of the first that Judge DeMeza practiced in, and Judge DeMeza argued the first case in Justice Mosher's court, after the latter had become a justice.

Taken His Late Brother's Business.

Attorney William G. DeMeza opened up the law offices of the late Judge yesterday morning and will continue the business. Mr. DeMeza will endeavor to take up the legal matters where the Judge laid them down, and hopes to have the same attention shown him as was shown his brother.

—Plainfield Lodge, I. O. O. F., held its regular meeting last evening.

CITY ADMINISTRATION STRONGLY CONDEMNED

Scathing Criticisms at Citizens' Mass Meeting.

THE CANDIDATES PRESENT.

VOTERS WERE TOLD WHY THEY SHOULD SUPPORT TICKET.

Many of the Speakers Talked Against "Club Car" Rule and Said Time Had Come to Abolish It—Unfair Taxation Claimed—Cadwallader Jones Said He Is Looking Forward to Next Tuesday.

The Citizens' held a mass meeting last night in a vacant house situated at 1143 West Second street, in the Fourth ward. There were about thirty present, including the candidates for office, most of whom were there and spoke, but what the meeting lacked in numbers it made up in interest.

Jacob Kriney was made chairman of the meeting, which came to order soon after 8:30 o'clock. There were present Fred C. Lounsbury, nominee for Mayor; Winfield S Angleman, for City Judge; Arthur T. Gallup, for Collector; Charles Burnet, for School Trustee; and J. C. Blimm, G. W. V. Moy and J. W. Davis, nominees for the Council in the First, Third and Fourth wards. Each one of the candidates had a few remarks to make, and some of them scored the Republican administration soundly.

Mr. Davis was the first speaker and merely announced his intention of doing the square thing if he was elected. He said he was pledged to no one, and wanted the voters always to feel that he was working for their interests.

Mr. Angleman spoke somewhat at length and hit the "club car" politicians. A synopsis of his remarks are as follows: "Plainfield's business should be transacted here in the Council Chambers, where all can have a voice in it. It is wrong for a set of club men to cut and dry everything and railroad it through. Each member should be fully informed of what is going on, and then each officeholder should feel at liberty to talk with anyone and thus give them a voice in the city's government. The Republicans say they have given the Citizens everything they ask for and this shows that they know we are right. This is a spontaneous movement of the whole city."

Mr. Burnet said that he had always been Democratic in his ideas as to schools. "They are for the masses," he said, "and we must educate our children. We need schools where everyone stands on a level. If I am elected you can all feel sure that you've got a worker there."

Mike Higgins objected to "club car" men. He said Mayor Fisk was a personal friend of his, and he had nothing against him.

"The men who bled Mayor Fisk for his money were the people who killed him, not I," said Mike. "A portion of his bread comes from the club car men," continued Mike. He also thought a higher license should be paid by out-of-town peddlers, who come to town with truck to sell and then carry the money away with them, than the home merchants ought to pay.

Mr. Moy had a grudge against the New Yorkers because instead of patronizing home merchants, he said, they go to New York and let the Plainfield merchant rest.

"It is the fault of the voters," said Mr. Moy, "that the New York men are in power. If you don't want them, don't elect them. If you want to keep them out, put Plainfield men in."

Mr. Blimm prophesied that the Citizens' ticket would go through, and Mr. Gallup agreed that if he got elected he would send them all a tax bill.

Cadwallader Jones rose in response to a call for a speech, and said that all are waiting for "evacuation day next Tuesday." He continued, "There's been too much 'club car' rule in this city. If we don't pay to have our streets in the Fourth ward macadamized we must walk in the mud. Taxes, too, are too high. There is a little house near here whose owner gets $7 a month rent, and pays $30 a year taxes. There is the Babcock building worth $250,000, and taxed for $50,000. Is this right? Ought the poor man to pay the whole tax?"

Mr. Lounsbury made the last speech, and proved himself to be an interesting talker. He said that the mere fact that a man is independent in politics in Plainfield is enough to condemn him in the eyes of the present administration. Mr. Lounsbury said he didn't want the nomination, but now that it had been offered to him he was going to try his best to get elected.

"The ring in this town," he said, "has been putting men in office who are underneath their thumbs. It has been said to me that the Third ward had the brains, but the Fourth ward had the votes. The School Board has been in favor of extending our school facilities. It is not the poor man who has opposed it, but such rich men as Alexander Gilbert, John M. Whiton, E. B. Clark and others, who went to Trenton and secured the passage of that bill through the Legislature that prevented Plainfield from building a new school."

Mr. Lounsbury here took each one of the nominees in turn and explained why they should be voted for.

"We want a matured man for City Judge," he said. "Young men begin by being lawyers then rise to the dignity of a judge afterwards. The Republicans expect their candidate to begin at the top and work down. If Nelson Runyon had been the Republican's choice, I would not have said a word.

"And our Tax Collector should know how to keep books. Mr. Gallup is a thorough bookkeeper. They had one man in the office once who didn't know how, and as a consequence they wanted to salt me for $400 back taxes.

"There has long been an unhealthy sentiment towards putting ministers on the school boards. Nine out of ten ministers are poor business men, and we want a business man, and a man from the people, one more on our level to serve in that capacity."

Mr. Lounsbury said he knew nothing about the sewer system, and had never committed himself one way or the other on the question whether he approved running it to tide water or not. He also rehearsed some of the troubles he experienced in getting enough of the citizens interested to fight the Martin Act, and thus saved $20 000 to the taxpayers, Mr. Angleman also explained this good work of Mr. Lounsbury's more at length.

The meeting broke up at a late hour and another one will be held tomorrow night.

UPSET IN SNOW DRIFT.

DR. T. S. DAVIS AND DAUGHTER HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

The Sleigh Upset, They Were Thrown Out While the Horse Ran Away—Horse Entangled Himself in Harness and Sleigh

A narrow escape from serious injury was experienced by Dr. T. S. Davis and his daughter, of Park avenue, yesterday afternoon. The doctor had a call to Mt. Pleasant and he and his daughter made the trip in the sleigh. After they had left the main road and were nearing their destination large drifts of snow were encountered, and it was while attempting to get through one of the drifts that the sleigh upset and the occupants were thrown out into the big drift.

The horse became frightened and ran away with the sleigh. After a run of about a quarter of a mile, the horse became so entangled in the sleigh that he was brought to a standstill. In the meantime the doctor and his daughter had recovered and they started after the rig. They found the horse and sleigh and after a little trouble succeeded in getting things straightened out so that they could return home. Neither the doctor or Miss Davis suffered from their experience.

TOOK AMMONIA BY MISTAKE.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell Had a Narrow Escape From Death.

Mrs. Campbell, wife of Marshal William Campbell, of the borough, very narrowly escaped death last evening about 6 o'clock. Recently she has not been well and she had been taking medicine. When the time came to take the medicine last evening she picked up the wrong bottle, which happened to be spirits of ammonia. She took a fair-sized dose befor she realized what she had done, and it almost strangled her. Her husband was at home and he hastened to where she was to learn the cause of her trouble. He soon found out what she had done and he at once sent for Dr. Davis, the family physician. When the doctor arrived he gave the proper treatment, and in a short time she partially recovered from the effects of the drug. During last night Mrs. Campbell suffered more or less, but this morning she is doing well and her recovery is assured.

Gone to Join His Regiment.

Frank Vosseller, of this city, left Plainfield this afternoon to join his regiment, the Twelfth New York Volunteers, which is stationed at Athens, Ga. Frank has had an unusually long furlough, 110 days, but this was due to illness, from which he has now entirely recovered. The Twelfth Regiment will in all probability go to Cuba at an early day to do garrison duty.

JERSEY RECOVERING FROM THE BLIZZARD

Trolley and Steam Cars Are Running Again.

EXCELLENT SLEIGHING NOW

THE COUNTY ROADS ARE BADLY DRIFTED, HOWEVER.

In Some Places the Farmers Had to Break the Roads—Plainfield Trolley Line Running Over all its Line—Big Drifts in Washington Valley—Trouble in Jersey Central Yard at Jersey City.

Jersey is fast recovering from the blizzard that swept the State Saturday and Sunday. The railroads have about recovered their equanimity and trains are running again on schedule time. The trolley roads are gradually pushing their way through the snow bound sections of their lines and the usual order of things is fast returning.

While there is plenty of snow in Plainfield yet, the city is fast returning to the ordinary course of events. The gale from the northwest decreased in violence yesterday so that the officials of the street railway were able to remove the snow from the extremities of the line with some degree of success. As long as the wind blew, the snow was drifted over the tracks as fast as it was cleared away. Now, however, the local line has been opened up to Netherwood and Dunellen.

The Brunswick Traction Company is putting forth great efforts to recover from the paralysis that was caused by the storm. The Metuchen and Bround Brook lines will be running today, although the cars will not go on schedule time. The line from Somerville to Bound Brook and Bound Brook to Dunellen are still blocked, but the officials of that company hope to have them open tonight or tomorrow.

The chief trouble with the Jersey Central Railroad has been at the Jersey City yards where the snow blocked the switches and made it necessary to manipulate them by hand. This delayed trains considerably yesterday. Today, however, the passenger service is running regularly and with but very little delay. The milk trains have been delayed by the storm, but are now doing better. The Flemington division was blocked yesterday, but trains are running there today. The Bound Brook route of the P. and R. was greatly delayed by the drifts, but the plows have overcome them.

While the snow was rather too unevenly distributed for sleighing, there were many out last night. Where the snow was level the sleighing was delightful and all enjoyed it. In the city the streets were soon packed and every sleigh was out. The streets were in fine condition except in the business section. The car tracks played havoc among the sleighs. There were a number of upsets as a result of a little carelessness, and several sleigh runners were snapped in the tracks. Careful drivers shunned the car tracks.

Out in the country, the roads were drifted badly. In some places, the farmers had to combine to break through the drifts which often overtopped the fences and made the roads impassable. The county roads to Westfield and Metuchen were the best for sleighing last night, but both were bare in spots and drifted in others. Just outside of Metuchen, there was a great drift that blocked the entire road and forced the sleighs out into the gutter. The road from Metuchen to New Brunswick was in poor shape, in some places the sleighs being forced to take to the fields.

The Stelton road was badly drifted or else bare but a number ventured through there. The roads to Bound Brook were nearly impassable. In Washington Valley huge drifts were reported. The road to Scotch Plains was fair and the Springfield road had many drifts.

The best sleighing was right in the city as the drifts and bare spots were unpleasant obstacles everywhere else. There were a number of fast horses out on Park avenue early in the evening and some spirited dashes were the result.

Death of Miss Anna Wiley.

Miss Anna Wiley, daughter of the late Alexander Wiley, Sr., died Sunday, Nov. 20th, at the home of her nephew, Franklin Baldwin Wiley, in Waban, Mass. The older residents of Plainfield will readily recall the family as prominent in Fanwood some years ago, and later in Plainfield, where they moved. Miss Wiley was in the fifty sixth year of her age. Interment was made in Plainfield.

—Press want ads bring results.

BEQUESTS FOR CHARITY.

WILL OF MRS. B. A. HEGEMAN, SR., ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

Among the Items of the Will Were a Number in Favor of Plainfield Charities—Trinity Reformed Church Got $5,000.

The will of the late Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Sr., of Sycamore avenue, was admitted to probate in Somerville last week. Beside the bequests to her husband and near relatives, there are several important ones that show that, even at the last, Mrs. Hegeman did not forget the many good works she had aided while alive and dealt generously with Plainfield's prominent charities.

The bequests included the following: Trinity Reformed church, $5,000; Board of Foreign Missions of the Reformed Church of America, $2,500; Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed Church of America, $2,500; Muhlenberg Hospital, $1,000; Young Men's Christian Association, $1,000; Children's Home, $1 000; Plainfield Relief Association, $500; Salvation Army, of which Ballington Booth is now the manager, $1,000.

In the last item mentioned it is evident that Mrs. Hegeman intended the American Volunteers, which is now commanded by Ballington Booth. Her husband was made sole executor of her estate.

PRIZES WON AT DONKEY PARTY.

It Was One of the Features at Sociable at Home of J. B. Higgins Last Night.

An enjoyable sociable was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Higgins, of Lafayette place, last evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Reform Hall.

The time was passed in social intercourse and playing games, among which were the "New Women" and the "Donkey" game. Prizes were awarded to the successful ones in the donkey party. Mrs. J. B. Higgins won the first prize, and Mrs. W. J. Ford the second.

During the evening recitations were given by Miss Alice Scribner and Miss Passmore, after which refreshments were served by a committee composed of Miss Scribner, Miss May Thompson and Mrs. Higgins.

A GAME DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spiegel Entertained at Their Home Last Night.

Last evening at the Crescent Hotel, on Somerset street, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Spiegel entertained about fifty of their friends at a game dinner. The dinner was given to the members of the German Beneficial Society, the Independent Scheutzen Corps and a few invited guests. The menu was all to be desired and was served in up to-date style. Everyone had a good time, and after the inner man was looked after, the rest of the evening was passed in listening to good singing and excellent speeches from those present. Everyone voted the host and hostess to be the best of entertainers, and one and all thanked them heartily for their hospitality and for the good time provided.

TOLD ABOUT HIS TRIP.

Dr. Carroll Addressed North Plainfield School on Porto Rico.

The pupils of the North Plainfield Public School had the pleasure yesterday of listening to an able address by Dr. H. K. Carroll, of Westervelt avenue, who is U. S. Commissioner to Porto Rico. The doctor spoke about the manners and customs of the people of Porto Rico and told something of the schools there. He said that the scholars are very bright in appearance and filled with ambition and a desire to learn. He related incidents in connection with the evacuation ceremonies at San Juan, which he attended, and how glad everyone seemed to be that the island has been annexed to this country. The address throughout was one of great pleasure and the scholars listened attentively to it.

A Neat Sum Realized.

The fair committee of the German Reformed church met at the home of Rev. George Hauser on Duer street yesterday afternoon to ascertain the result of their recent fair, and found after all bill were paid a neat sum remained to swell the treasury. They wish to extend their thanks to all donators and others who so kindly assisted in making the fair a success.

"The Kingdom of Glory."

At the Christian church last night Elder Horton conducted a Bible study on the subject of "The Kingdom of Glory" from New Testament writings, dwelling especially on the Lord's great prophecy and the Mount of Transfiguration. Tonight the subject will be continued from the standpoint of Old Testament evidence. All are welcome.

William Kitchen, of Somerset street, visited in Newark Sunday.

CITY SAYS WALKS MUST BE CLEANED.

Police are After Those Who Didn't Do So.

MANY WERE NOT CLEANED.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S MEN WILL CLEAN THEM OFF.

The Cost of it Will be Added to the Tax Bills—Then the Property Owners are Liable to a Fine—City's Men Breaking Fourteen Foot Drift on Belleview Avenue—Walking Improving.

Today the police have begun to call on the residents of the city who have not cleaned their sidewalks off since the last snow. The police are followed up by the street commissioner's men who are in charge of C. M. Meeker. They clean away the snow and ice. In this way all the walks in the central portion of the city will be cleaned by tonight and walking will be fairly good again.

It is said that there has not been a snowstorm in some time after which the sidewalks have been left in such a bad condition as after this storm. So many walks were left with their coating of snow tramped down hard, and therefore it was something of a task to remove it. Early this morning the police began reporting to the street commissioner those sidewalks needing attention. The commissioner despatched his men to do the work and the amounts will be certified to the tax collector and added to the tax bills.

A great many people would rather have the city clean their sidewalks for them, as it is much cheaper than to hire it done themselves.

The actual time spent on the walks is all that is charged for. But there is a penalty attached, which many people, perhaps, do not think of. If Street Commissioner Gavett had gone before the City Judge and sworn out warrants for the arrest of those they might have been fined $5.

Another gang of men are breaking through Belleview avenue, which leads from Park avenue to the cemetery. The snow there had drifted to a depth of fourteen feet in places, and it was impossible to get a vehicle through.

BROKE HIS NOSE.

F. E. Marsh Met With an Accident at Perth Amboy Thank-giving Day.

Former Councilman F. E Marsh, of Madison avenue, met with a very painful accident on Thanksgiving Day which resulted in the fracture of his nose. The accident happened at Perth Amboy. Mr. Marsh was attempting to board a train to come to Plainfield. In doing so he slipped on some snow and ice and fell on his face, striking his nose. He suffered greatly with pain, and as soon as possible he sought a physician. The examination proved that the bone in the nose was broken, and proper treatment was given. Now Mr. Marsh is obliged to go about with his nose bandaged.

ENTERTAINED EUCHRE CLUB.

Members of Monday Evening Euchre Club Met at Home of Geo. A. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Chapman, of Stelle avenue, entertained the Monday Evening Euchre Club last night. The hospitality of the host and hostess was proverbial. In all there were seven tables and the playing throughout was close and exciting, with the result that Mrs. I. Edgar Corlies and Mrs. Charles Abbott were the winners of the first and second prizes for the ladies, while Charles Case and H. M. Stockton were winners of the first and second prizes for the men. Progressive euchre was played. At the close of the play a delightful repast was served.

BROKE HIS NECK.

Such Was the Cause of the Sudden Death of Robert Randolph.

It has been learned that the cause of Robert Randolph's death last Saturday evening was due to a broken neck caused by the fall near the back porch at his home. County Physician Westcott has made an examination and discovered the cause of death. Mr. Randolph, in falling, struck his chest and face, and it is believed that the peculiar manner in which he fell resulted in breaking his neck.

The autopsy over the remains will be held tomorrow under the charge of the Coroner.

Had to Walk.

While Joseph Sandford, of the borough, was out sleigh-riding yesterday afternoon, his sleigh broke down and he was obliged to walk a short distance home. There was no other damage.

—Use Press want ads for returns.

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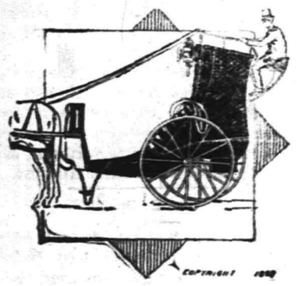

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ATLANTIC COAST SUFFERS

The Storm of Saturday Beats the Record for November and Almost Equals the Great Blizzard of 1888. It Was Central Over New York. Boston Suffers Seriously.

New York, Nov. 29.—The storm which has just ended its career in this vicinity beat anything on record for the month of November in New York, so the local weather bureau reports. The bureau's advices, received from all over the country, show that this city was the southern center of the storm.

Unofficial reports still coming in and the experience of New Yorkers bear witness to the storm's power, and a heavy aftermath to damage to property and obstruction to traffic is still being gathered.

Steam and electric railroads, telegraph and telephone companies have men at work repairing the damage caused by the ravages of the storm. The street cleaning department is making tremendous efforts to remove the snow, but it is not likely that normal conditions will be restored before to-day.

There was no general railroad blockade. Local trains and trains through from the West were still from fifteen minutes to half an hour late yesterday morning.

But the whole of Long Island is a snow drift, and trains are not yet running on anything like schedule time. The Long Island trolleys simply proved snares, and passengers on them were compelled to walk long distances in the snow.

The New Jersey surface railroads were affected similarly, though not to the same extent.

The telegraph wires are down all over Long Island and the New England wires are crippled.

No wires are working east of Boston and the Western Union wire to Sandy Hook is disabled.

The railway mail service of this district has been seriously hampered by the storm, and incoming mails arrived at the general postoffice from two to 24 hours late.

Local Forecaster Emery says: "The storm has been attended by heavy snows in the Middle Atlantic and New England states, and dangerous onshore winds shifting to the northwest. The highest velocity was reported in New York; Boston reported 60 miles, Eastport 56, Block Island 60, and Sandy Hook 60.

"Barring Portland, New York is also credited with the heaviest snow fall, 9.7 inches, equal to .97 inches of rain. The fall in Philadelphia was nine inches and in Boston 8 1-2 inches. The fact that only a little over an inch fell in Albany shows easily that the storm was not at its fiercest inland."

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 29.—The state of Connecticut is digging itself out of the worst snow storm that has visited it since the often recalled blizzard of 1888.

Railroads are blocked, trolley lines are buried in big snow drifts and the various departments in the cities are trying as best they can to clear the streets.

One of the greatest difficulties that are confronting the city departments and the street railways is the dearth of men to shovel snow.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 29.—The New England coast, so far as could be reached by wire yesterday afternoon, is strewn with wrecks, and it is probable that more than a score of lives have been lost.

There are thirty vessels ashore on the islands in and about Boston harbor.

It is estimated that it will cost the city of Boston $100,000 and the Boston Elevated Railroad Company nearly as much to clear the streets and tracks of snow.

So far as damage to property in the city goes, it was not very extensive, although the loss of four great elms uprooted on the common in front of the state house will mar the beauty of that spot.

Tarrytown, Nov. 29.—All river men are unanimous in saying that the storm that struck this section on Saturday night is the worst since the blizzard of 1888.

The river front is strewn with wreckage, and many canal boats, barges and schooners are ashore.

Twenty-five Wrecks.

New York, Nov. 29.—Tardy reports from Long Island coast towns indicate, better than anything else, the severity of the storm. It is feared that many lives have been lost.

Giant waves swept into the bays near Northport, where vessels had taken refuge, and slammed the unfortunate craft ashore, where they lie, some of them wrecked beyond repair and others dismantled and battered.

Not a vessel remained afloat in the harbor of Northport, and twenty-five wrecks line the beach near that place. It is thought that two score wrecks will be found on the Long Island shore.

To complete the scene of desolation all the wharves, pavilions and boat houses are twisted into grotesque and curious shapes, their huge timbers being sent high on the beach, some stuck on end, firmly imbedded in the sand. Iron rods, which clamped the framework, were twisted and broken short off.

At Northport the "oldest inhabitant" has to think for some time to remember when such a scene as Saturday's storm has been witnessed before in that vicinity.

He will, however, say at once, that the famous blizzard of 1888 could not compare with this in the frightful velocity of the wind, although more snow fell.

To compare tides he will take one back to 1851, that being the record high tide year in the memory of the oldest fisherman along the shore.

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New York Nov. 29.—The greatest season of opera this country has ever known will begin at the Metropolitan Opera House to-night, when "Tannhauser" will be given a production such as has seldom been witnessed here or abroad. Society will look its best in the tiers upon tiers of boxes, and all the famous families of the East will be represented. The new tenor who will appear for the first time in America to-night is Ernest Van Dyck. The regular patrons of Bayreuth knew him for ten years. Before then some of them heard him in Paris, in Berlin and at Vienna, where he kept up the brilliancy of the Wagnerian performances.

MME. SCHUMAN-HEINK AS ORTRUD.

Mr. Grau's company at the Metropolitan Opera House contains no less than four American singers, Emma Eames, Zelie De Lussan, Suzanne Adams and Fanchon Thompson. Miss Adams comes to us from Paris and London, but her home is in Cambridge, Mass. Thence she was sent to study singing in Paris with Jacques Bouhy, sometime teacher in New York. Miss Adams effected her debut at the Grand Opera in 1884 as Juliette in Gounod's opera. She remained a member of the institution three years, singing such roles as Gilda and Marguerite. After a brief experience in Nice she joined Mr. Grau's forces in London and won high praise for her work.

Albert Saleza, another of Mr. Grau's tenors, was born at Bruges, in 1867. He studied at the Paris Conservatoire, and in 1888 won the first prize for singing and the second for opera. Shortly afterward he affected his debut at the Opera Comique in Lalo's "Le Roi d'Ys." He remained connected with the Opera Comique for four years, when he was engaged at the Grand Opera, taking part in performances of "Salammbo," "Djelma," "Otello," and "Romeo et Juliette."

ANDREAS DIPPEL AS LOHENGRIN.

Andreas Dippel, the tenor, is not a stranger here, having been the companion of Herr Gudehus at the Metropolitan Opera House in the last German season, 1890-91.

Then there is Madame Schumann-Heink. She is between thirty-seven and thirty-eight years old, having been born on July 15, 1861, at Lieben, near Prague, where her father, a major in the Austrian army, was stationed at the time. Her maiden name was Ernestine Rossler. Mme. Schumann-Heink's versatility is illustrated by the fact that the parts in which she has won her best successes are Wagner's Erda, Waltraute and Ortrud, Bizet's Carmen, Gluck's Oppheus, the witch in Humperdinck's "Hansel and Gretel" and Prince Orlofsky in Strauss's "Fledermaus."

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QUAY'S CASE IN COURT

His Counsel Demurs to Four of the Indictments.

MOVES TO QUASH THE FIFTH

Court Listens to the Arguments and the Reply of the District Attorney, and Then Takes Papers Under Advisement. Failure to Charge Any Unlawful Act Says Attorney.

Philadelphia, Nov. 29.—The case of Senator Quay and others, charged with conspiracy in the misuse of the money of the state on deposit in the People's Bank, came up yesterday in the court of quarter sessions, Judge Finletter presiding.

The defendants, who are Senator M. S. Quay, his son, Richard R. Quay, and Benjamin J. Haywood, ex-state treasurer, were not in court, their interests being looked after by Attorneys Rufus E. Shapley and A. S. L. Shields.

Immediately upon the opening of the court Attorney Shapley filed demurrers to four of the five indictments found against the defendants by the grand jury, and filed a motion to quash the fifth indictment.

Argument on these demurrers was proceeded with by Mr. Shapley. In a general way the objections to the indictments were based on contentions of insufficient specifications, complete failure to charge any unlawful act and an absence of allegation that the defendants unlawfully obtained any money either from the bank or from any other source.

If the defendants did, as the indictments charge, purchase stocks and bonds through Cashier Hopkins as agent, Mr. Shapley claimed that no unlawful act had been committed. He claimed that the banks every day act as purchasers for their depositors or customers.

Regarding the allegations respecting the use of state moneys, he argued that all moneys deposited in a bank go in the general fund of the bank, and that therefore the indictments are defective in charging misuse of state funds obtained from the People's Bank whereupon, if any money was obtained from the bank it was funds of the People's Bank and not state funds. Furthermore, these state funds were deposited in the bank by various state treasurers in full authority of law.

On conclusion of the arguments and the reply of District Attorney Graham the court took the papers under advisement.

PRINTING GOVERNMENT STAMPS

Interesting Figures from the Report of Director Johnson.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—Claude M. Johnson, director of the bureau of engraving and printing, in his annual report, says that during the year there were 92,979,47 sheets of stamps and government securities printed and delivered at a cost of $1,570,598.

This sum, however, includes $12,590 increase of stock, $30,000 paid for machinery and $6,416 paid to outside employes.

Deducting these extra amounts the cost per one thousand sheets this year was forty-seven cents less than last, making a total saving of $43,700.

The average number of sheets handled by each employe was 57,290, which is the best record ever made by the bureau and an increase of 56 per cent. over the year 1893.

A remarkable record was made by the bureau in supplying adhesive stamps to the internal revenue bureau. In seventeen days after the passage of the act the bureau had delivered 185,390,926 stamps.

This work was done in addition to and in connection with the new bond issue, and in addition to supplying increased demands for United States notes, silver certificates and treasury notes, as well as the issue of a new series of postage stamps for the Omaha Trans-Mississippi exposition.

The director recommends that the appropriation for printing postage stamps be made direct to the bureau, and so settle the point that the government and not private establishments shall do this work.

Breakdown on the Buffalo.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—The navy department has made public the report of the court of inquiry of which Commander John McGowan was president, appointed to investigate and determine the responsibility for the breakdown of the machinery of the cruiser Buffalo when only a few days out from New York on her way to join Rear Admiral Dewey's fleet in the Philippines.

The report found that the accidents were due to neglect and incompetency on the part of the engineers of the ship, and recommended that Chief Engineer Frederick C. Bieg be reprimanded, and that Assistant Engineers Frederick J. Simmonds, William H. MacKay and Thomas Rodgers, who have only temporary appointments, be discharged from the service.

Assistant Secretary Allen modified the findings so far as to retain the three assistants in the service, but transferred them to other duty.

Oregon Sheep Snowbound.

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 29.—Thousands of sheep are imprisoned in the mountains near Pendleton, Oregon. Three feet of snow has fallen in the foothills and the sheep cannot get through it to the valleys below.

This situation results from the fact that the sheep men have kept their sheep on the mountain ranges as long as possible on account of the dryness and lack of grass outside.

Unless chinook winds blow and melt the snow, sheep men will be unable to bring their sheep out without heavy loss.

Elevator Incorporation.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 29.—The Otis Elevator Company has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state. The capital stock is $11,000,000, of which $4,500,000 is preferred. The names of the incorporators were not filed.

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SPAIN ACCEPTS TERMS

Her Commissioners Announce the Fact At Paris.

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A Protest That American Terms Were Inadmissible on Legal Grounds, but That There Was Nothing Else for Spain to Do but Submit.

Paris, Nov. 29.—The joint peace commission met promptly at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the Spanish commissioners immediately announced their acceptance of the American demands.

The Spanish commissioners announced that, being authorized by their government to reply that on legal principles the American propositions are inadmissible, and are not a proper compromise, on the Spanish part all diplomatic resources are exhausted, and the Spanish commission is now asked to accept or reject the propositions. Spain, inspired by reasons of patriotism and humanity, and to avoid the horrors of war, resigns herself to the power of the victor. She accepts the offered conditions in order to conclude a treaty of peace.

When the members of the two commissions were seated, Senor Montero Rios, the president of the Spanish commission, immediately handed the Spanish reply to Mr. Arthur Ferguson, the Spanish interpreter attached to the United States peace commission.

The answer of the Spaniards was so short that less than ten minutes were consumed in rendering it into English for the Americans.

The reply was as stated above. It added that Spain throughout the controversy had the strongest argument and that, as between positions so diametrically opposed, the American offer of $20,000,000 was not a fair sum.

Nevertheless, the reply continued, Spain desired to avoid any further effusion of blood and disorder and had concluded to accept the American offer unconditionally, and thus bow to the superior power of the victor.

The secretaries were then empowered to prepare the treaty articles embodying the cession of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, and the payment by the United States of twenty million dollars for submission to the next meeting.

The two peace commissions were in separate session all the morning.

It was openly admitted on all sides before the joint meeting that the Spanish answer would be an acceptance of the American demands.

The American demands included the acquisition of the whole of the Philippine and Sulu groups for twenty million dollars, and it is also thought the United States will purchase the Caroline group.

The question of the debt of Cuba was left unsettled. The next meeting will take place to-morrow.

There is no denying the fact that the whole European continent will bitterly resent American acquisition of the Philippines.

This sentiment is not confined to diplomats, but is especially prevalent here in Paris.

It is the opinion constantly heard in the highest French society. It is known that a high official of the French foreign office said yesterday:

"The appearance of the Americans in Eastern waters is a disturbing factor to the whole of Europe. Americans, as is well known, lack diplomatic manners and will surely bring constant trouble to all of us."

As to the general sentiment, Mr. William T. Stead, who has just returned here from his tour of France, Belgium, Germany, Russia, Austria, Turkey and Italy, and who has seen the highest politicians in each country, and in some cases the rulers, said yesterday:

"The immense majority of Europeans are, of course, absolutely ignorant of what has happened. Intent upon their daily toil, they neither know nor care what occurs in the other hemisphere. But Europeans who read the newspapers are able to form what may be called 'public opinion' in the old world. They are practically unanimous on the matter.

"Outside of England I have not met a single non-American who was not opposed to the expansion of America. Nor, through my whole tour of Europe have I met a European who did not receive the protestations of the genuine sincerity with which the American people entered on the war with more or less mocking incredulity."

Mr. Stead reports that the bitterest hostility of all was found at the Vatican.

WHAT REMAINS TO BE DONE.

Not Likely to Take Possession of Philippines Until Treaty is Ratified.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Although no official dispatches have been received announcing final action on the peace treaty, the president was informed yesterday morning that the American commission had been notified that the Spaniards would accept our terms and that a meeting would be arranged for the formulating of the treaty.

The news was received with the greatest satisfaction by the president. He has all along expected the negotiations to end by the Spanish acceptance, but is glad that the thing is over and that the work of drawing up the treaty will now begin.

It seems to be the general impression that as soon as the treaty is signed in Paris it becomes operative, and that we will at once take possession of the Philippines, but this is not so unless some distinct proviso is made in the treaty to this effect.

If no provision is made for an immediate evacuation and possession by the Americans, things will go on in the Philippines just as they have been until the treaty goes through the regular course and is finally ratified by the Spanish.

This will take some time and will give the president and his cabinet an opportunity to prepare plans and a policy for the government of the territory.

The Paris commissioners are apt to spend days if not weeks in arranging the details and drawing up the text of the treaty.

After this is done it does not become a law until it has been ratified by the treaty making powers of the two nations.

One copy of the treaty is brought to the United States and submitted to the Senate. The other goes to Madrid for the Cortes.

If the Senate ratifies the treaty without amendment it then goes to the president, who signs it.

The exchange of ratifications between Spain and the United States then takes place, provided that the treaty has been ratified by the Cortes.

When the exchange has been made the president proclaims the treaty as the law of the land, while the queen regent does the same in Spain. Not until then can we act on it.

This procedure is with the understanding that the United States Senate accepts the treaty exactly as it is drawn by the peace commissioners. If, however, the senators amend it or change it in any way it must be submitted to the Spanish government to be accepted.

While of course this would eventually be done, it would mean a longer delay and complications.

It is expected, however, that the Senate will accept the treaty as drawn by our commissioners, and that there will be no unnecessary delay in its ratification and promulgation.

A good deal of annoyance has been caused the department by the publication in one of the Paris newspapers of what purports to be a dispatch from Washington stating that the American commissioners have largely increased their demands, and now include the Sulu islands as a part of the eastern territory to be ceded to the United States.

Official announcement is authorized that as a matter of fact, there has been no extension of our demands, but the Sulu group were recognized to be a part of the Philippine system in our original demands and was specifically included in the original demands.

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CUBANS NEED MONEY.

Grant or a Loan One of the Objects of the Visit to the United States.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 29.—General Masso, president of the Cuban insurgent government, arrived here yesterday afternoon on a visit to his family.

The members of the Cuban colony here tendered him a public reception.

In an interview he confirmed the report that one of the chief objects of the mission of General Garcia and Senors Capote, Sanguilly and Lanuza to Washington is to endeavor to secure a grant or a loan of money sufficient to pay off the insurgent army, which is about to be disbanded.

He said that the provisional government is bankrupt and that unless the Cuban army is provided for satisfactorily grave and regrettable complications may arise.

The Cubans, Senor Masso also said, entertain profound admiration and gratitude for the Americans. But, nevertheless, they will oppose annexation or a protectorate, and they are confidently expecting the United States speedily recognize their ability to manage their own affairs, on which basis only permanent peace is at all possible.

NEGRO TROOPS NOT WANTED.

Opposition in Arkansas to a War Department Order.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 29.—Lieutenant J. W. Phillips, commandant at Fort Logan H. Root has received a telegram from the war department notifying him that a detachment from the Twenty-fifth (colored) infantry would be sent to this station to do garrison duty.

This information has created excitement among citizens here.

Beyond a doubt a strong protest will be entered with the war department by the state authorities and citizens against the occupation of the post by colored troops.

The protest will not be based entirely upon hostility to the negro, but on the feeling prevalent in view of recent troubles at southern camps against placing negroes in a position where clashes with the whites are likely to follow.

Governor Jones, in speaking of the matter yesterday, said that he considered the sending of negro troops here as an exceedingly unwise thing, and declared that he would certainly remonstrate with the federal authorities, protesting against it to the war department.

Dreyfus to His Wife.

Paris, Nov. 29.—Mme, Dreyfus, the wife of former Captain Alfred Dreyfus, the prisoner of Devil's island, has by permission of the authorities, received the following telegram from her husband:

"I rejoice with all of you. My health is morally and physically good."

Bank of Hornellsville Closed.

Hornellsville, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The Bank of Hornellsville has gone into voluntary liquidation by proceedings in the supreme court, for the reason that the business of the bank is not profitable, and it was deemed best to close its business, collect its assets and pay its depositors and creditors.

Prussia Expelling Aliens.

Copenhagen, Nov. 29.—A telegram from Flensburg, Prussia, says that seventeen persons, including several Swedish subjects, have been expelled from the island of Alsen, on the Schleswig coast of the Baltic, in pursuance of the Prussian policy of expelling aliens.

Earthquakes in Greece.

Patras, Greece, Nov. 29.—At 9.40 o'clock last evening a severe earthquake shock occurred here, causing a panic among the inhabitants.

At 10.20 p. m. a second shock was experienced. No fatalities, however, have been reported.

Soldier's Home Filled.

Bath, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The officials of the New York State Soldiers' and Sailors' Home here announce that the home is now filled and no more veterans can possibly be accommodated for the present.

THE NEW BANKRUPTCY RULES.

Announced by the United States Supreme Court.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—The United States supreme court, through Justice Gray has announced the new bankruptcy rules which it was authorized to frame and promulgate under the National Bankruptcy act of July 1, 1898.

The rules have been awaited with much interest, as a number of courts declined to proceed with bankruptcy cases until the supreme court announced the new rules.

Justice Gray said that the new rules would take effect on Monday, January 2, 1899, and that all proceedings heretofore taken substantially in conformity to the act and the regulations of 1867, as far as practicable, would be upheld.

The rules, while promulgated at this time, he said, would not be ready for distribution for some time, owing to proof revision, etc.

The rules are preceded by an order prescribing the proceedings in bankruptcy under the law previous to the day in which the rules go into effect. This order says that where the proceedings are "in substantial conformity either with the provision of these general orders, or else with the general orders established by this court under the bankruptcy act of 1867, and with any general rules or special orders of the courts in bankruptcy, they shall stand good, subject, however, to such further regulation by rule or order of these courts as may be necessary or proper to carry into force and effect the bankrupt act of 1898 and the general orders of this court."

The first rule requires the clerk of the court to keep a docket for entering cases in their order with a memorandum of all proceedings except those entered by the referee. The docket is to be at all times open to public inspection.

Rules 2, 3 and 5 relate successively to the filing of papers, to processes, to the conduct of proceedings and to the framing of petitions.

The clerk is required to indorse on each paper filed the time of its receipt.

All processes are to issue under the seal of the court. All petitions and schedules are required to be plainly written and without abbreviation of interlineation.

Rule No. 4 provides that "proceedings may be conducted by the bankrupt in person in his own behalf, or by a petitioning or opposing creditor, but a creditor will only be allowed to manage before the court his individual interest.

"Every party may appear and conduct the proceedings by attorney, who shall be an attorney or counselor authorized to practice in the circuit or district court. Notices and orders not required to be served on the party personally, may be served upon his attorney."

The Picquart Case.

Paris, Nov. 29.—The Chamber of Deputies was crowded yesterday because of the interest taken in the Picquart case.

M. Paul Deschanel, Republican, announced that he had been requested to interpellate the government on the Picquart proceedings, and the premier, M. Dupuy, proposed an immediate discussion of the matter.

M. Fourniere, Socialist, asked for an adjournment of an hour and a half, that the Republican deputies might consult with their colleagues in the Senate regarding the adoption of a common policy.

The chamber rejected the motion by a vote of 252 to 244.

Twenty Nine Persons Drowned.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 29.—A ferry boat full of workmen capsized while crossing the Volga at Kinosa, drowning 29 of them.

Bits of News.

Chinese rebels in Tung-Liang are reported to be massacreing missionaries.

The official Republican plurality in the recent election in Ohio is 61,139.

The mikado of Japan is reported to be landing troops at Korea to resist Russian aggression.

The Mad Mullah was successful in his first engagement with the Dir tribesmen in British India.

A box of dynamite exploded near the Reina battery in Havana and killed or injured forty persons.

Fire in the furniture establishment of Robert Keith & Co., at Kansas City, Mo., caused a damage of $190,000.

The Japanese cruiser Kasagi has been damaged by colliding with a bridge abutment at Newcastle, England.

The Franklin Stamp Mill at Hancock, Mich., was destroyed by fire. Six hundred men were thrown out of employment.

The war department, in view of the assurances that a peace treaty will be signed, is arranging to muster out from thirty thousand to forty thousand volunteers.

The will of the late P. P. Mast of Springfield, Ohio, leaves his home there valued at $225,000, in addition to $95,000 value of stock in the manufacturing companies of which he was a stockholder, to the Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware.

United States Minister Strauss at Constantinople has obtained a concession which the powers had been for eighteen months vainly endeavoring to secure, viz., the granting of travelling permits to foreigners in the interior of Asia Minor.

The marines landed from the United States cruiser Boston at Tientsin, on Saturday, were for the purpose of guarding our legation at Pekin. The latest advices received at the state department, however, do not indicate an immediate outbreak there.

Jacob Beck, secretary of the National League of Musicians, was found dead in bed yesterday morning at Cape May, death being due to heart disease. He was for many years a member of the famous Beck's band of Philadelphia composed of the father and seven brothers.

General Lord Kitchener, at a representative meeting of London merchants and bankers, on Saturday, explained the proposals for a Gordon memorial college at Khartoum, and read a letter from the marquis of Salisbury advocating the project. The meeting resolved to take immediate steps to carry out the plan.

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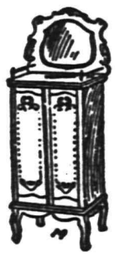

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NOMINATIONS.

Republican Ticket.	Citizens' Ticket.
For Mayor, George W. Rockfellow.	For Mayor, Fred C. Lounsbury, R.
For Collector, James A. Martin.	For Collector, Arthur T. Gallup, D.
For City Judge, William N. Runyon.	For City Judge, W. S. Andleman, R.
For School Trustee, Rev. W. R. Richards.	For School Trustee, Charles C. Burnet, D.
For Councilmen	For Councilmen.
First Ward, Ralph I. Tolles.	First Ward, J. C. Blum, D.
Second Ward, George P. Mellick.	Second Ward, J. B. Mills, R.
Third Ward, B. Frank Cortell.	Third Ward, George V. W. Moy, R.
Fourth Ward, Frank H. Smith.	Fourth Ward, James W. Davis, D.

Register Today.

While there are some citizens of Plainfield who take very little interest in State affairs in New Jersey and consider it too much trouble to turn out to the polls on the occasion of the State election, the election that influences the control of the municipal government is for them far more important. The proper administration of the city is something that interests everyone residing within the borders of the city. This year promises to see an unusually close election. For a year, there has been a persistent agitation in that direction and the result is that citizens, who have never cared before, are taking a hand in the campaign and pushing the advocacy of their favorite ticket.

To vote at the municipal election, which takes place just a week from today, it is necessary first to register. Most of the eligible voters have already been registered but some may have been missed. So it behooves every citizen to look over the list of registered voters in his election district and see if his name is among them. Today is the last opportunity to register for the coming election. The places of registry will be open from 1 to 9 o'clock this evening and it is the duty of every citizen not already registered to see that his name is added to the list. The coming election is an important one and if every citizen votes, then there will be no doubt that the result will be the wish of the majority of the people of Plainfield.

The Conflict Rages.

The Fourth ward promises to be the battle ground where the conflict in the coming municipal election will rage the fiercest. Both sides are particularly anxious for the support of its voters. Last night the candidates on the Citizens' tickets conducted a lively mass meeting in that disputed ground and fired large quantities of "hot shot" at the Republican party.

Plainfield was lucky, indeed, not to have a fire Sunday Had one occurred, the department would have been greatly handicapped by the snow. In Newark and New York, much valuable property was destroyed owing to the fact that the fire departments of these cities could not reach the scene of the fire in time.

L. B. Bromfield, of the Second ward, was one of the men mentioned for the Citizens' nomination as Second ward Councilman. Mr. Bromfield desires The Daily Press to state that he is in no way connected with the Citizens' movement and will give his support to the regular Republican ticket.

There were many boroughites yesterday who were glad that they resided in that part of Jersey. Street Commissioner Conover certainly distinguished himself by the excellent manner in which he handled his force and rided the crosswalks of superfluous snow without delay.

Street Commissioner Gavett began yesterday his regular campaign against those who neglected to clean their sidewalks after the last snow storm.

The jingle of the sleigubells sounded right merrily yesterday. There were many who were glad to take advantage of the opportunity.

There will not be any mass meetings and parades in this campaign. Most of the work will be done quietly man to man.

Its just one week to election and both sides are beginning to hustle.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

Here was the suburbanite's version of the "Beautiful Snow" on Saturday night:

Snow, snow, beautiful snow.
I live at Milltown, where trolleys don't go.

South River, Bound Brook or Metuchen may be substituted in the above without destroying the historical accuracy of the verse.—New Brunswick Times.

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People who have use for trolley cars are complaining about the wretched condition of the service from Dunellen to Bound Brook, Somerville, New Brunswick, etc. They say that the cars are not heated, and that very poor time and connections are made.—Plainfield Press.

Better stay at home or else travel on the Central. Good service cannot be expected until a power house is built at Bound Brook, and this is not likely to be done for, lo, these many moons.—Somerville Democrat.

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The Plainfield Press says: "Neat signs have been placed on the Plainfield trolley cars telling the names of places which can be reached, including Dunellen, Lincoln, Bound Brook, Somerville, Raritan and New Brunswick." It would be well to add: "If the power holds out." Every few days the power ceases to be a power and the cars between Bound Brook, Somerville and Raritan fails to run, much to the disadvantage of the traveling public. The power gave out last Saturday morning, and horses were drawn into service to haul the cars from the park to where the Milltown current could be caught on East street.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

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The city of Plainfield is scarcely out of one election before it is into another. The local election for Mayor, Councilmen, etc., is to be held soon, and Plainfield is growing very hot, politically, over the campaign. A few months ago it was currently reported in Plainfield that the Republican party was in a very bad way; that there was bad blood between factions and that when the opportunity came the "people" would slaughter the "machine," etc., and gore would bedable every trail. It was even intimated that the fury of the factions could not be held in check until after the State election and it was ominously hinted that Voorhees and Fowler and the whole Republican county ticket would suffer. The splendid Republican majorities given in Plainfield proved that these intimations were imaginings, and that they had little foundation. Evidently the Plainfield Republicans believe in slaughtering the enemy but not in killing each other. The local election, soon to take place, is likely to be another Republican victory. A few days ago the Democrats seemed determined to run a straight ticket, but they soon found it would not do. Then a Citizens' movement was inaugurated, but it has thus far resulted in bickerings over the selection of candidates. Meanwhile the Republicans have prepared their ticket, picked their flints, and are a solid phalanx, ready for the fray. They have selected excellent men, and that they will win is practically certain.—Elizabeth Journal.

The Canal Scandals.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Governor Black has as yet given no intimation of how soon he proposes to announce his action upon the report of the canal investigation commission.

There have been no developments at this place so far to substantiate the stories current in New York city political circles that Judge Countryman's report is of such a nature that the governor has decided to suspend Superintendent of Public Works George W. Aldridge.

In fact, no one outside of the executive chamber knows whether Judge Countryman's report has been submitted to the governor as yet.

Neither the governor nor the judge will discuss the matter in any way whatever.

Caravan Attacked.

London, Nov. 29.—A dispatch from Tripoli says that a caravan from the Soudan has been attacked by a band of tribesmen near Ghal, an oasis in the Sahara to the south of Tripoli and on the border of Gezzan.

Twenty persons belonging to the caravan were killed and eighty camel loads of feathers and 380 loads of Soudan skins were lost.

Three Men Perished.

Salem, Mass., Nov. 29.—Two members of the crew of the schooner Bertha A. Goss, from Deer Isle, Me., were rescued from House island, off Manchester yesterday, nearly dead, having been without shelter or food for thirty hours. The schooner was lost on the rocks near Fresh Island, Saturday.

Captain Wallace Thurston, his father, aged about seventy years, and his son, John R., perished.

THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

Marie Wainwright will present "Shall We Forgive Her" at Music Hall, Friday night. The story is that of a friendless girl, who leaves her home to join her affianced lover in Australia. Betrayed and afterwards cast aside, she manages to get to England, where she afterwards becomes the wife of a good man. Her former companion turns up as a shadow from the past and with the assistance of a rival of the wife, finally sees the latter cast off by her husband. The wrongs are finally righted and everything ends happily. The leading role is, of course, assumed by that very able actress, Marie Wainwright. It is quite superfluous to say that Miss Wainwright brings to the part the force, dignity and ability necessary to its interpretation. She is a valuable acquisition and her name at the head of the cast will strengthen the guarantee of a good performance.

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Manager Maze Edwards has received word from Daniel Frohman that owing to the splendid success achieved in Philadelphia by Jas. K. Hackett in the new play entitled "Rupert of Hentzan," he will present this new play when his Lyceum Theatre Company appear here Saturday, December 10th, instead of "The Tree of Knowledge," previously announced. "Rupert of Hentzan" is Anthony Hope's sequel to "The Prisoner of Zenda" and bids fair to be as great a success. The company appearing here will be the same that will present the play in New York.

PASSING COMMENT

Things that Are Not Exactly News but Just as Interesting.

It is said that whenever a reporter of The News happens to see a schoolhouse without an American flag on it, he straighway inserts a news item in his paper to the effect that some local Council Jr. O. U. A. M., has promised or is going to donate a flag. The members of the order are becoming rather tired of that sort of thing and have been complaining about such misrepresentation.

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It is really funny to see how both political parties with tickets in the field at the coming municipal election are supremely confident of winning. A prominent Republican worker told the writer the other day that it was only a question of how many hundred the Republican majority would amount to. A leader in the Citizens' movement explained to the writer that it was absolutely certain that all but two or three of the ticket would be elected and that it was probable that every candidate would win Funny, isn't it, that people can have such different ideas.

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Plainfield people are beginning to realize that in the Plainfield Art Gallery, in the Y. M. C. A. building, there is constantly displayed a line of paintings, in oil and water colors, sketches and prints that is well worth examining. Although most of the pictures are purchased out of the city, local artists sometimes place their products in Manager Drake's hands for him to sell on commission.

Among the paintings are several from the brush of J. F. F. Smock, of New Brunswick. Mr. Smock's specialty is portraits, and he paints some in oil, but at present has nothing on exhibition here except water colors. The pictures are all good, and show the artist to be painstaking and particularly attentive to details.

Among the pictures are two fine ones, a view of the Raritan river in the autumn season. In the foreground are the ruins of an old dock. There is a touch of color to the sky, and in the distance are glimpses of the blue hills. Another is a Colorado scene, with its dim-colored bluffs covered with trailing vines. The river flows peacefully down the ravine, and a deer, looking as natural as life, stands gazing upon the scene from an advantageous standpoint. Besides these the walls are covered with others equally good, and some of great value.

—Last Sunday the high wind resulted disastrously for the flag pole on Dr. Cooley's property on Westervelt avenue. The pole was completely wrecked.

—The monthly meeting of the Whatsoever Circle of King's Daughters of the Park Avenue Baptist church was held last night at the home of Miss Adelaide Runyon, of Arlington avenue.

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THE CLOAKS.

We have just received a new assortment of Women's and Misses' Coats, comprising a selection of the fashionable shades, blues, greens, browns, tans, from the best maker in New York. Perfection of styles, fit and workmanship and prices much lower than earlier in the season.
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Men's all-wool scarlet Underwear at 75c, half price.
Children's fine ribbed Union Suits 25c.
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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 29—John Henry and family moved into Mrs. Mary Coriell's house on North avenue yesterday.

No services were held in the Methodist or Presbyterian churches Sunday morning or evening. A union temperance service was to have been held but this had to be postponed. Rev. Frank Fletcher went to the Baptist church in the morning and found two people there. Needless to say he didn't preach the sermon.

Alfred Pearsall will appear in his great impersonation of Sergeant Jack Manly in a Soldier's Story in the Presbyterian church tonight. Everyone should go, for this entertainment is well worth attending.

Some of the farmers around here say that they never saw the moon set so far north at this time of the year as it did yesterday morning, which means a spell of cold wet weather with plenty of snow.

Workmen were busy all yesterday until dark cleaning away the snow from the street car tracks, and at last the cars are able to run again.

Mr. and Mrs. Estey and family, of Bayonne, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boice, of Washington avenue.

Peter V. Huff, who had an operation performed upon him at Muhlenberg Hospital, Plainfield, is improving.

Several members of the local gun club will go to New Brunswick Thursday to take part in a shoot there.

A free lesson in shorthand will be given all who come to the Town Hall Thursday evening.

Isaac J. Stites, the blacksmith, had his hands full yesterday sharpening the horses' shoes.

Augustus Runyon, of Plainfield, spent Sunday with his father, John Runyon.

Percy Abbott has returned from a visit with his grandparents in Somerville.

Miss Mathena Bodine has returned to the Trenton Normal School.

Miss Julia Dodwell has been visiting her aunt in Newark.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, November 29—Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss M. Smalley to L. R. Walker tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the bride's home.

Mrs Elizabeth Bray, of Rutherford has been visiting her brother, William Jenner.

Mrs. Nelson VanNest, who has been quite ill at her home, seems to get no better.

H. J. Piddington has been taking a week's vacation.

Mrs. L. Danz has been visiting in Columbus.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Scotch Plains, Nov. 29.—Rev. Mr. Woodruff, of the Methodist church, preached an interesting sermon Sunday evening. Mr. Woodruff took for his text "The Ideal Friend." This was the last of his series of sermons on "Ideals."

Mrs. James Moore and Miss Lena Breichman, while enjoying a sleigh ride Monday afternoon, struck a large drift on Mountain avenue near Mrs. Warren Ackerman's and were upset. No damage was done, as the horse was caught by a passerby.

Miss Sadie Reger, who went to spend her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents at Succasanna, Morris county, became snow bound and was unable to return in time to assume her duties as teacher in the school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Stiliger, of Roselle, visited friends in town Monday evening. The boys in town soon heard of their arrival and they had to endure the usual serenade given to all who take the step.

The Scotch Plains and Plainfield stage was stalled in the large drift on Coles' hill Monday morning and it was sometime before Mr. Newman was able to dig his way out.

A number of the young people of the village formed a party Monday evening and enjoyed a straw-ride to Springfield and return.

Miss Emma Adams returned Monday from her Thanksgiving vacation, spent at her home at Middletown, N. Y.

Miss Nellie Hollingsworth led the Epworth League meeting in the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodbrough are spending a few days with relatives in New York.

The quarterly examinations are being taken by the pupils in the Public School.

Trust Those Who Have Tried.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind and never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that.—Oscar Ostrom, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

I suffered from catarrh; it got so bad I could not work; I used Ely's Cream Balm and am entirely well.—A. C. Clarke, 341 Shawmut Ave., Boston, Mass.

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ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

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News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—This gale will make seafood scarce. Place your orders early with Rogers.

—The regular meeting of Queen City Lodge, I. O. O. F., was held last evening.

—A special meeting of Miantonomo Tribe of Red Men will be held Thursday evening.

—The Browning Circle will meet in the parlors of the Congregational church Friday evening.

—F. L. C. Martin moved his cycle business yesterday from Park avenue to the Hart building on East Fourth street.

—The electric light on the corner of East Second street and Netherwood avenue has been out for the last two nights.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

—The Eldridge Cycle Company are now prepared to vacate the store at the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street.

—The pulpit in the Crescent Avenue church was occupied Sunday morning and evening by Rev. Dr. John McNaughton, of Morristown.

—The reunion of the Class of '95, of the Borough Public High School, which was to have been held last Saturday evening, has been postponed.

—A meeting of the local union Christian Endeavor social committee will be held Saturday night at the home of I. W. Travell, 815 College place, to make arrangements for holding another union sociable soon.

—A meeting of the executive committee of the local Christian Endeavor Union will be held tonight in the Y. M. C. A. Rev. J. W. Richardson will address the presidents, vice-presidents and junior superintendents.

—Saturday night and Sunday was very quiet in the borough. Not a single arrest was made by the police and the order was perfect. Very few people ventured out, except in cases where something had to be purchased for Sunday.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

T. J. Carey is able to be out again after a slight illness.

Miss Alice Barker, of Grove street, is spending two weeks with Brooklyn friends.

Charles E. Boss, of Hackensack, has been visiting former friends in the borough.

Miss Nellie Mylod, of Poughkeepsie, is visiting Miss Etta Blatz, of Somerset street.

Wesley Abbott, of Central avenue, has returned to his studies at Yale University.

Mrs. Nicholas Wolfinger, of Madison avenue, has gone to New York to visit friends.

Richard Waring, of Park avenue, has returned to his studies at Roslyn, Long Island.

Miss Pearson, of Vine street, is greatly improved from an attack of typhoid fever.

Joseph T. VanNest, of Martinsville, has been a guest of Chauncey Colther, of Duer street.

Aaron Marsh, of Newark, has been visiting his brother, Everett Marsh, of Somerset street.

Miss Laura Kenton, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of J. J. Coard, of East Ninth street.

C. C. Howard, of LaGrande avenue, who has been very seriously ill, is considerably improved.

Miss Gussie Colthar, of Bound Brook, is visiting Mrs. John H. Kitchen, of Somerset street.

Rev. H. W. McKane, of this city, has returned from Brooklyn where he has been calling on friends.

Mrs. Abbott, of New York, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Hodge, of Plainfield avenue.

George F. Coard, of East Ninth street, returned this morning to the Montclair Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Green, of the borough, have returned from a visit with out-of-town friends.

Miss Helen Rodman, of Astoria, has been visiting at the home of her uncle, Rev. E. M. Rodman, of East Seventh street.

Miss Agnes Minford, of Watchung avenue, has returned to boarding school after spending Thanksgiving at home.

P. Ludwig Conde and family, of Watchung avenue, have taken a flat in the Stillman building on West Front street.

Irwin Cooley, of Westervelt avenue, has returned to Cornell University after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Miss Alice Jenkins, of East Sixth street, returned to the Trenton Normal School yesterday, after spending the Thanksgiving vacation at home.

Dr. E. W. Hedges predicts that Charles Conover, of Elmwood place, will be able to sit up a little next week. His attack of typhoid fever is rapidly passing away.

Miss Marie Newman, of the Trenton Normal School, has returned after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Newman, of West Fifth street.

Former Mayor B. A. Hegeman, Jr., of Washington Park, was able to go to business yesterday for the first time since his illness. He has now fully recovered from his sickness.

Mrs. J. H. Jones, of West Second street, who was operated upon successfully a short time ago by Dr. Kempton Browning, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to go out.

Miss Leila Cruikshank, of Belvidere avenue, has returned to boarding school at Tarrytown after spending Thanksgiving at home. She was accompanied by two of her school friends.

Miss Gertrude Rushmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rushmore, and Miss Edith Gilbert, of Crescent avenue, have sent out invitations for a euchre party to be given Saturday afternoon, December 10th, at the home of Miss Rushmore, on West Seventh street.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Louis Mack, of Somerville, was a guest in this city yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Smalley, Jr., of Princeton, is visiting Plainfield relatives.

Walter Scott and family, of East Front street, are stopping in Boston.

Tomorrow evening Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boice, of the borough, will celebrate their wedding anniversary.

Miss Olive Newell, of East Second street, has returned to her studies at the State Normal School at Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Volz, of Washingtonville, are residing at Lakewood. Mr. Volz has a lucrative position with Mr. Moulton, manager of one of the largest hotels, and Mrs. Volz is employed as assistant housekeeper.

AS TO STRIKING MATCHES.

Streaks That Show Where Lights Were Produced to Be Found Everywhere.

"I may be wrong," said the little woman, "but I fully believe that a man would strike a match on the tombstone of his mother," and her eyes snapped and her cheeks flushed at the idea of such a sacrilege.

Go where one will, in the most out-of-the-way place or corner to ignite a match, telltale streaks will be found as positive proof that a match striker has been there before. Raise the drapery about a mantel and peer underneath and there again will come in view the cabalistic brown tracks, the "blazed" way, as it were, of the match-striking guild.

Letter boxes, street corners, door jambs, bottoms of chairs and edges of bureaus, washstands and dressing cases possess the hiero—or pyro—glyphics.

Even church edifices are not sacred when the hurried call is issued for a light. Even alter rails have been visited by the same touch. In fact, there is no place too sacred or too much out of the way not to have, at one time or the other, received the necessary friction required to secure a light. When Cleopatra's Needle was placed in Central Park the apex bore traces, among the almost obliterated hieroglyphics, of the passing of the match. It is said that the same modern signs can be found upon the topknot of the Sphinx and upon the top of the Pyramids.

Story of a Waiter.

This is the story of a man who went into a store to buy a nickle spool of thread—he wanted nothing more. The floorman took him by the arm and directed him aright to where a blonde presided from morning until night. He bought the thread and settled with a sort of reckless dash and the blonde girl lifted up her voice and loudly called for "Cash." Then came a little short-haired girl, with beads about her neck, who took the thread to another clerk, who entered up the check; she then transferred it to a boy in uniform and cap, who took it to the basement for another clerk to wrap. Two hours later it came back only to be rejected by the blonde girl, just because it wasn't marked "Inspected." Then from another hour it went from place to place till at last the thread and purchaser were brought face to face. Grabbing it, he hurried home and said unto his wife: "Had I tried to spend a dollar they'd have kept me there for life."—Chicago News.

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THE WOMAN'S WORLD

Seven Uses for a Lemon.

No family should be without lemons. Their uses are almost too many for enumeration.

The juice of a lemon, taken in hot water on awaking in the morning, is an excellent liver corrective, and for stout women is better than any anti-fat medicine ever invented.

Glycerine and lemon juice, half and half, on a bit of absorbent cotton is the best thing in the world wherewith to moisten the lips and tongue of a fever-parched patient.

A dash of lemon juice in plain water is an excellent tooth wash. It not only removes tartar, but sweetens the breath.

A teaspoonful of the juice in a small cup of black coffee will almost certainly relieve a bilious headache.

The finest of manicure acids is made by putting a teaspoonful of lemon juice in a cupful of warm water. This removes most stains from the fingers and nails, and loosens the cuticle more satisfactorily than can be done by the use of a sharp instrument.

Lemon juice and salt will remove rust stains from linen without injury to the fabric. Wet the stains with the mixture and put the article in the sun. Two or three applications may be necessary if the stain is of long standing, but the remedy never fails.

For an excellent flavoring for custards, jellies, etc., take a quart glass jar and put into it a pint of good preserving brandy. Into this put the lemon rinds after squeezing them for lemonade from time to time until the jar is full, keeping it sealed except when open for use, and you will have a pure lemon extract, as good or better than any which you can buy.

How to Take Care of Lamps.

The light of oil lamps is so much softer and less injurious for the eyes, than flickering gas, or even electricity, that it really should be used instead of these in all nurseries and children's rooms, and the only drawback about lamps is that they require such careful tending to keep them in a safe and bright condition. But given a conscientious nurse, or a mistress who undertakes their management herself, all will be well. One very necessary thing in lamps is that the oil reservoir be kept scrupulously clean inside; no oil is so pure that it does not leave a sediment, and, if this sediment be allowed to accumulate, the succeeding oil fails to burn as brightly as it otherwise would. Lamp reservoirs should be washed out once a week with hot water and pearlash and be allowed to thoroughly drain and dry before new oil be added. The burner should also be frequently cleaned—once a day, in fact—and every orifice should be thoroughly cleaned out; the wick should be wiped at the top with a piece of soft rag, to remove the charred edges, and if the wick should be found to burn rather cloudily, it may be necessary to remove it the next morning and soak it for an hour or two in vinegar and water. It should be quite dry before being again placed in the burner.

The Dignified Woman.

The dignified woman never has any complaint to make of familiarity on the part of men with whom she comes in contact either socially or in business life. Her dignity is a shield against insult and the brightest jewel in her crown of womanly attributes. The dignified woman of necessity need not be so frigid in her demeanor as to be repellant, but she can be possessed of a winsome sweetness all her own which is emphasized by the quiet calm that is the outward evidence of mental equipoise. The flippant badinage which so many women think attractive to the other sex fails to win half the admiration that is accorded the quiet dignity of the one who never allows herself to lapse into any familiarity of speech or action on which a false construction might be placed. If nature has not endowed woman with this commendable characteristic it is well to set about its cultivation at once, for it is a well known fact that it is quite as easy to train a set of manners as a set of morals, and as the attribute of dignity can be classified under both headings it is easily seen what rare advantages must accrue to the woman who wins it for her own.—Buffalo Inquirer.

"She is My Dictionary."

The wife of the sculptor Flaxman was greatly responsible for her husband's success. Sir Joshua Reynolds, chancing to meet Flaxman soon after his wedding, said to him that his marriage was a mistake, since it would ruin him as an artist. On reaching home Flaxman sat down by his wife, took her hand in his and said:

"Ann, I am ruined as an artist."

"How so, John?" said she. "How did it happen and who has done it?"

"It happened in the church and Ann Denman has done it."

Then Ann declared that great he should become, and that no one should say "Ann Denman ruined Flaxman for an artist."

Their means were small, but by work and economy on the part of the wife Flaxman at the end of five years was able to go to Rome, where he studied for seven years. For thirty-eight years Flaxman had in his wife a cheerful, wise and appreciative helper. He was himself a perfect child in business matters, but he fully appreciated his wife's cleverness, and in questions of difficulty he would say: "Ask Mrs. Flaxman—she is my dictionary."—Chicago Record.

Coat for Little Girl.

A stylish outdoor garment for a little girl is made of dark red serge and trimmed with fancy braid and buttons. It is arranged with a lining front and back. The material is gathered at the neck front and back and fastens down the center of the front invisibly with hooks and eyes. The revers are stiffened and lined with silk and trimmed at the edges with braid as are also the

little turn down collar and rounded epaulets over the sleeves. The full bishop sleeves are finished with turned back cuffs.

A red felt hat, adorned with bows and loops of black velvet ribbon goes prettily with this charming coat.

How the Placket is Closed.

Couriers from Paris cry that the new fashion of buttoning the dress skirt at the back was the happy thought of a French, dressmaker, young, handsome and masculine. When the real solution of the placket difficulty came it was sure to be simple. But no one supposed that a man would discover it.

Men, except Worth and a few others, have been conspicuously successful in readily inventing novelties for women's costuming. Men do mechanical work on women's clothing much better than women. But it is the feminine dressmakers who think up pretty patterns. Though they often may be unable to execute them.

The mind which should conceive a suitable placket closing had to be inventive, and the hands which worked out the model skilled.

Francis, the genius who is said to have conquered the placket, is both original and experienced. He was a tailor's apprentice not long ago. Now he is reported a despot, before whose decision women bow as to their confessor's.

Francis's plackets are buttoned through the outer goods. The buttons are made from the material of the gown. They are ornamental, but require to be fitted with perfection. Six or seven buttons, dime size, are used. His dresses are cut without a scrap of fullness in the back.

To show that he is altogether superior to placket trickeries, he omits them entirely from the back of some frocks, closing the skirt on the left side invisibly. A skirt without any fullness whatever at the back, near the belt, is rather startling at first, but one soon becomes accustomed to and likes it.

The New Bicycle Skirt.

English women are wearing a new bicycle skirt, "The Badminton," which appears to have peculiar advantages, and some drawbacks. The inventor disdains the idea that the skirt is divided. Yet it is in two portions, by whatever name you call it.

The advantages are in the ease with which any bicycle may be mounted, the absence of all entangling straps and elastics, and the unique superiority of the garment for use with a wheel of diamond frame.

The only seeming objection to the skirt is the old one of some men disliking any garment on a woman which hints that she has more than one foot. However, men are more liberal about feminine athletic costumes now in this country. And such a skirt might be much admired in Lenox or in the morning hours in Newport if a knowing tailor should build it from one or another of the plain or checked fabrics now in vogue.

The skirt appears to be no more not less than a well fitting one, slashed back and front, from hem to near the belt binding, and fastening on the left side.

Pretty suit it would be in hunter's green tweed.

Peculiar Wedding Rings.

There is a popular idea that a ring made of gold is the only one that can be legally used in a wedding ceremony. This is, however, a fallacy. Any and every kind of ring may be used, and though gold ones are customary, there is no reason whatever why silver or any commoner metal should not be called into requisition. Numerous instances are on record of runaway marriages in which a brass ring has played the all important part, and the legality of the ceremony has never been questioned. In some cases a piece of hurriedly-tied string has answered the same purpose, as have also circles cut out of card paper.

A man who is too busy to take care of his health is like a workman who is too busy to sharpen his tools.

Lokal-Nachrichten aus der alten Heimath.

Aus der Rheinpfalz.

Frankenthal. Der hiesige Alterthums-Verein veranstaltet im hiesigen Erkenbert-Museum eine Ausstellung aller in seinem Besitze befindlichen zahlreichen Dokumente, Aufrufe der provisorischen Regierung, Bilder, Karikaturen, anderer Gegenstände u. s. w., die auf das denkwürdige Jahr des pfälzischen Aufstandes und die Freiheitskämpfer des Jahres 1848 Bezug haben.

Ludwigshafen. Dieser Tage brachte ein Nürnberger Händler zwei Eisenbahnwagen Aepfel hierher, die für einen hiesigen Händler bestimmt waren. Aus irgend einem Grunde wurde indeß das Obst nicht abgeliefert, sondern der Nürnberger Händler verkaufte es hier freihändig an die Konsumenten. Er wurde nun wegen Errichtung eines unversteuerten—Wanderlagers in eine Geldstrafe (einschließlich Steuer und Umlage) von 800 Mark verurtheilt. Man ersieht hieraus, wie Tendenzgesetze wirken. Es ist bei Erlaß des Wanderlager-Steuergesetzes Niemand eingefallen, daß es sich auch auf den Obsthandel erstrecken könne.

Birmasens. Für insolvent erklärte sich der Lederhändler und Schuhgroßist Stark. Die Passiven belaufen sich auf nahezu 250,000 Mark.

Württemberg.

Stuttgart. Das Parteisekretariat der Deutschen Volkspartei hat einen Organisationskalender der deutschen Volkspartei herausgegeben. Er gibt eine knappe, übersichtliche Zusammenstellung der Organisation und ermöglicht den Parteigenossen nicht nur über diese, sondern auch über das Ausbreitungsgebiet der Partei einen Ueberblick.—Der schwäbische Frauenverein, dessen ersprießliches, segensreiches Wirken allgemein anerkannt wird, beging hier kürzlich sein 25jähriges Jubiläum.

Degerloch. Hier ist Oberkriegskommissär a. D. August Habermaas, langjähriger Direktor der württembergischen Hypothekenbank, im Alter von 73 Jahren gestorben.

Heilbronn. Zwischen hier und Weinsberg wurden drei Streckenarbeiter von einem Personenzug überfahren. Einer davon blieb todt; die beiden Anderen wurden schwer verwundet.

Krailsheim. Reichsgraf Konstantin v. Törring, der seit zehn Jahren hier wohnte, ist gestorben. Im Mai 1898 zog er sich eine schwere Verletzung durch das Entladen seines Gewehres zu, worauf der rechte Arm abgenommen werden mußte. In den letzten Tagen mußte er sich in Würzburg einer Nachoperation unterziehen, kam auch gebessert zurück und erkrankte an einer Lungenentzündung, die seinen Tod herbeiführte. Er war 1830 zu Ludwigsburg geboren.

Kupferzell. Dieser Tage hat hier die Getreideverkaufs-Genossenschaft ihr Getreide-Lagerhaus eröffnet.

Möckmühl. Hier ist die Stadtpfarrkirche nebst Thurm und zwei anderen Gebaulichkeiten abgebrannt. Das Feuer war in der Kirche ausgebrochen.

Rottenburg. Zum Nachfolger des kürzlich verstorbenen Bischofs Dr. von Linsenmann ist der Professor der Theologie an der Universität Freiburg, Dr. Paul Keppler, erwählt worden.

Ulm. Die Vereinbarungen zwischen der Stadt Ulm und den einschlägigen Militärbehörden wegen Entfestigung des Stadtkernes, das heißt Niederlegung der Hauptumwallung, haben in so fern zu einem definitiven Abschluß geführt, als die Ueberlassung des freiwerdenden Festungsgeländes ohne die für die Militär- oder Eisenbahnverwaltung noch benöthigten Strecken prinzipiell zugestanden ist.

Baden.

Karlsruhe. Die badische Regierung verbot Angesichts erhöhter Gefahr neuerdings die Einfuhr von frischem Fleisch und frischer Milch aus den verseuchten Theilen der Schweiz.—Das Palais Schmider wurde von Prinz Max um 450,000 Mark erworben.—Frau Stadtrath Dr. Speemann Wittwe wurde neulich Nachmittags in der Zähringerstraße beim Radfahren vom Schlage gerührt und starb auf der Stelle.

Konstanz. In der Nähe von hier stürzte das Gefährt des Hofbauern Alois Reidhard in eine Kiesgrube. Reidhard kam unter den Wagen zu liegen und wurde erdrückt, während ein auf dem Wagen sitzendes Mädchen mit leichteren Verletzungen davonkam.

Müllheim. Hier ist ein Giftmord an der jungen Ehefrau des Goldarbeiters Karl Kallmann verübt worden. Die Frau trank ein Glas neuen Wein und fiel bald darauf todt zu Boden. Die Oeffnung der Leiche ergab Vergiftung mit Cyankali. Wer das Gift in den Wein geschüttet hat, ist noch nicht aufgeklärt. Die Frau befand sich in der Gesellschaft ihres Ehemannes, der in seinem Geschäft Cyankali zu technischen Zwecken verwendet.

Offenburg. Das hiesige Schwurgericht verurtheilte den Sparkassenrechner Wörner von Windschläg wegen Unterschlagung von circa 6000 Mark zu zwei Jahren vier Monaten Zuchthaus.

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CHARTER ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the several Wards and Districts of the City of Plainfield, on

Tuesday, the Sixth day of December

next, at the following named places, for the purpose of voting for the following City officers at large: Mayor, City Judge, City Collector, one Member of the Board of Education, full term. And from each of the Wards a Member of the Common Council, a Justice of the Peace and a Constable.

The polling places selected are as follows:

FIRST WARD.

1st District—At 134 North Avenue,
2nd " —At 521 East Second Street.

SECOND WARD.

1st District—At 347 Watchung Avenue,
2nd " —At 699 South Avenue.

THIRD WARD.

1st District—At 114 West Sixth Street,
2nd " —At Murray's barn, corner Spooner Avenue and West Seventh Street.

FOURTH WARD

1st District—At 114 West Second Street,
2nd " —At corner of South Second Street and Muhlenberg place.
3rd " —At 836 South Second Street.

Polls open at 6 a. m. and close at 7 p. m., with adjournment from one to two p. m.

The Boards of Registry and Election will meet at the places above named on Tuesday, Nov. 29th, from 1 to 9 p. m., for the purpose of correcting and revising the registry of voters.

Done in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to Regulate Elections (Revised in 1898), approved April 4, 1898, with the Constitutional Provision concerning the right of suffrage".

Dated, City Clerk's Office, Nov. 17 1898.

JAS. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
11 18 21-23-25-28-30

NOTICE.

The subscribers, commissioners of adjustment in and for the city of Plainfield, appointed by the circuit court of the county of Union, on the twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1897, for the purpose of performing the duties and exercising the powers conferred by chapter CXII of the laws of 1896, entitled "An Act concerning the settlement and collection of arrearages of unpaid taxes, assessments and water rates or water rents in cities of this state, and improving and simplifying a tax, assessment and lien in lieu and instead of such arrearages, and to enforce the payment thereof, and to provide for the sale of lands subjected to future taxation and assessment", passed March 30, 1896, and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto, having filed a report of their proceedings and of the assessments, charges and liens fixed and certified by them, together with a map on which the lands so assessed and charged have been indicated by block and lot numbers, and said court having on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1898, ordered that said report and all matters touching and concerning the same be referred back to said commissioners to reconsider the subject matter thereof, and that the said report be corrected and revised by said commissioners, or a new report be made by them in the premises to said court without unnecessary delay pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided;

Notice is hereby given that the subscribers, commissioners aforesaid will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 109 Park avenue, in the city of Plainfield, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1898, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear, either personally or by counsel, all persons interested in the re-assessment or adjustment under said act, of the taxes, assessments or water rates in arrears in the said city.

Dated Nov. 15th, 1898.

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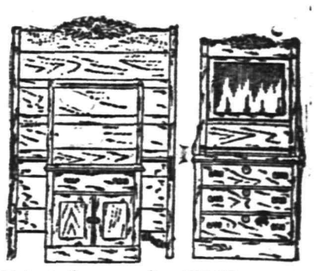

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PLAINFIELD AND NEW YORK.

Leave Plainfield 2 14, 3 37, 5 37, 6 29, 7 00 7 26, 7 30, 7 55, 8 00, 8 13, 8 30, 8 37, 8 48, 9 25, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 00, 1 15, 2 12, 3 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 5 54, 6 21, 6 30, 6 45, 7 09 7 39, 9 45, 9 15, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sundays, 2 14, 3 37, 6 59, 8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 10, a. m.; 12 m., 12 58, 1 45, 3 17, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 8 13, 8 32, 9 15, 10 22 p. m.

Leave New York, foot Liberty St. at 4 00, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 00, 8 40, 9 10 10 00 a. m.; 12 00 m., 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4 00, 4 40, 5 00, 5 15, 5 30, 5 45, 6 00, 6 15, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 8 00, 8 30 9 15, 10 30, 11 45 p. m.; 12 15, 1 00 night. Sunday, 4 30, 7 00, 9 00, 9 15, a. m.; 12 m.; 1 00, 1 30, 2 30, 4 00, 5 30, 7 00, 7 30, 9 00, 10 00 p. m.; 12 15 night; 1 00 a. m.

Leave New York South Ferry from Whitehall St. at 7 10, 7 55, 8 35, 9 05, 9 55, 11 55 a. m., 12 55, 1 25, 2 25, 3 25, 3 35, 3 55, 4 35, 4 55, 5 25, 5 55, 6 10, 6 25, 6 55, 7 25, 7 40, 8 10, 9 10, 9 55, 11 40 p. m., 12 10 night. Sundays—At 6 55, 8 55 a. m., 12 00 m., 12 55, 1 25, 3 55, 6 45, 7 25, 8 55, 9 55 p. m., 12 10 night.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield at 5 37, 6 29, 7 03, 7 47, 8 13, 8 37, 9 35, 9 58, 10 37, 11 10 a. m.; 12 09, 1 15, 2 12, 2 29, 3 12, 3 46, 4 54, 5 37, 6 21, 6 45, 7 39, 8 45, 10 17, 11 28 p. m. Sunday 5 52, 10 08, 11 10 a. m.; 12 58, 1 45, 3 30, 5 41, 6 52, 10 22 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6 15, 7 30, 8 05 8 38, 9 03, 10 05 a. m.; 12 10, 1 05, 1 35, 2 40, 3 35, 4 02, 4 40, 5 04, 5 28, 5 45, 6 19, 7 35, 8 10, 9 35, 10 05, 11 25 p. m. Sunday, 7 15, 9 05, 11 35 a. m.; 1 10, 2 45, 4 05, 5 40, 6 55, 7 35, 9 15, 10 15 p. m.

Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 18, 7 12, 8 19, 9 40, 9 54, 11 04 a. m., 1 01, 2 11, 2 27, 3 32, 4 35, 5 03 5 25, 5 34, 6 04, 6 08, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 29, p. m: 12 44 night. Sunday 5 45, 8 06 9 55, a. m 2 08, 3 40, 5 00, 6 35, 8 30, 10 15, 11 14 p.m.

Leave Somerville at 6 00, 6 30, 7, 7 27, 7 33, 7 45, 8 20, 9 15, 9 35, 10 15, 11 45, a. m: 12 50, 1 53, 2 08 3 20, 4 30, 5 28, 6 05, 6 08, 6 45, 8 22, 8 45, 11 05 p. m. Sunday at 8 25, 9 45, 10 45 a. m.; 12 35, 1 20, 5 15, 6 27, 7 53, 8 05, 8 45, 10 00 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield at 5 18, 8 19, 9 54 a. m., 1 01 2 27, 5 25, 6 38, 8 21 p. m. Sunday at 5 45 8 06 a. m; 2 08 6 35 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6 05, 7 01, 8 15, a. m; 12 35, 4 10, 5 10, 7 17, p. m. Sunday at 7 15, 11 22 a. m: 6 30 p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

7 12 a. m.—For stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch

8 19 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 a. m.—For Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Shamokin, Nanticoke and Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c., with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

1 01 p. m. way for Easton, German Valley and Chester, connecting at Junction for station on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 27 p. m. For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamauqua, Sunbury, Williamsport, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, with buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 25 p. m., for Flemington and Easton connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge Branch.

6 19 p. m.—For Flemington.

6 38 p. m.—For German Valley and Chester, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, and Harrisburg and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

8 21 p. m.—For Easton.

6 45 a. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

8 06 a. m. Sundays for Easton.

2 08 p. m. Sundays—For German Valley and Flanders, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading, and Harrisburg.

5 09 p. m. Sundays—For Flemington.

6 35 p. m. Sundays—For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, etc., and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

FOR LONG BRANCH, OCEAN GROVE, ETC.

Leave Plainfield at 3 37, (5 37 for Sea Girt) 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 3 46, 6 21 p. m. Sundays, except Ocean Grove, 9 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 37, 8 13, 8 37, 9 48, 10:37, a. m; 1 15, 3 46, 5 57, 6 21, 6 30, 8 45 p. m. Sundays 8 52 a. m.; 3 30 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m.; 1 15 p m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8 13, 10:37 a. m.; 1 15, 3 46, 5 37 p. m.

For Lakewood, Toms River and Barnegat 3 37, 8 13 9 58 a.m., 1 15, 3 46 p. m Sundays 8 52 a. m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 17, 8 29, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 4 14, 5 09, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 46, 9 55, 10 44 a. m.; 2 6 5 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Trenton, 5 17, 7 12, 8 29, 9 46 a. m.; 1 01, 2 16 4 14, 5 34*, 6 38* 8 21, p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 5 45, 9 55 a. m.; 2 16, 4 55, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 5 17, 8 44, 10 44 a. m.; 2 16, 5 34*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night. Sundays, 5 17, 10 44 a. m; 2 16, 5 09*, 6 38* p. m.; 1 17 night.

For Buffalo, Chicago and all points West, week-days at 9 54 a. m.; 6 38 p m. Sundays, 6 38 p m.

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Time table in effect Nov. 13, 1898.

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6 25 p. m. Sunday evening local for Mauch Chunk.

9 10 a. m. daily; Express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

11 52 a. m., 5 22 and 7 32 p. m. daily except Sunday. Local for Bound Brook.

12 52 p. m. daily except Sunday "Black Diamond Express" for Rochester and Buffalo.

2 04 p. m. daily local for Easton and Wilkes-Barre.

4 58 p. m. daily except Sunday, express for Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Pottsville, Hazleton Shamokin, L. & B. Junction and principal intermediate stations.

7 52 and 9 38 p. m. daily, solid vestibule express for Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Chicago and principal intermediate stations.

9 02 p. m. Daily express for Easton, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Sayre, Geneva, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, carries sleeping car passengers only, and no baggage.

EASTWARD.

For New York and Brooklyn local 6 49, 7 40 and 9 40 a. m., 2 29 and 4 45 p. m. Sunday 10 29 a. m., and 6 04 p. m. Express 7 10, 8 14, 10 02 a. m., 12 15, 2 50, 5 10, 7 07 and 9 06 p.m. Sunday 7 10, 8 14 a. m., 2 50 and 7 07 p. m.

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A button, a knife, and a leather sling,
An empty spool and some more string,
Tobacco tags, of kind galore,
A penny whistle and an apple core,
A piece of rubber and a stale fishworm,
(Which I knew by the odor had lost its squirm),
Four carpet tacks and a discarded locket
I found to-night in my sweet boy's pocket.

—Indianapolis Journal.

His Beautiful Aunt Le'Nora.

"Ten-cent carriage for a quarter! Ten-cent carriage for a quarter!"

In the babble of gruff hackmen's voices, the shrill childish cry rose distinctly, says a writer in the Examiner. The gray lady with the pleasant face smiled when she heard it. The voice was so sweet, and it said such funny things! She took up her shawl strap and little brown "grip" and followed it.

"Ten-cent carriage for a quarter! Ten-cent carriage for a quarter!" shrilled on the imperative little voice above the din.

"Oh, here you are!" the gray lady cried. "Well, I would like to go to Axminster street, if you please."

"Yes'm," said the voice's owner, promptly, adding in delighted surprise, "Why, that's the street I live on, too!"

He bustled about busily for a minute. Then he suddenly stopped and inspected his "fare" with grave suspicion.

"I'm afraid you won't fit," he said, despondently.

The gray lady glanced at the tiny dog-cart and still tinier pony, and laughed all over her sweet face.

"Oh, yes," she hurried to say reassuringly, "you can make me fit. I can be squeezed beautifully."

"You see," the driver confided to her confidentially, as they clattered away, "I was hoping you'd be a real slim, up 'n' down passenger, but I guess it's all right. You fit quite nicely, I think."

"Is this the first time you've driven a hack?" questioned the gray lady with interest.

"Yes'm, but 'tisn't a hack. It's a ten-cent carriage."

They drove on a little way without talking. The gray lady, looking down at the little heated, anxious face, saw that it was pondering gravely.

"Do you think it's too much to ask—a quarter is, I mean?" the driver asked suddenly. "You see, I never drove a ten-cent carriage before, and so I haven't had much 'sperience."

"I don't think it's one cent too much to ask," the gray lady said, emphatically.

"'Cause if so, you know, you needn't pay but fifteen cents. I'm real sorry I can't take you for nothing, but I'm earning money to send to my Aunt Le'nora. I want to see her dreadf'ly, and she was coming right away, but she's got an equinom'cal fit—a real bad one—and now I'm 'fraid she can't come. I asked papa what cured equinom'cal fits, and he said nothing 'cept money would. So I'm earning it to send. I do want to see Aunt Le'nora so!"

The gray lady's arms felt as though they wanted to hug the driver, but they didn't. Her face was all a-quiver with a queer bright look.

"You see. I've never seen Aunt Le'nora since I was born," ran on the explanatory little voice, "and when you've never seen folks, it makes you want to harder. She's a beautiful auntie, and sends me things and writes to me."

They were turning into Axminster street, and the driver waved his whip toward one of the houses.

"That's my house," he volunteered, cheerfully.

"Let's stop there," the gray lady said, quickly.

And—of all the wonderful, beautiful things—the gray lady that got into the tiny ten-cent carriage got out of it—Aunt Le'nora!

"See how quickly you cured me!" she cried, hugging the astonished driver and slipping a big, round, shiny fare into his pocket.

How Birds Learn to Sing.

A wren built her nest in a box on a New Jersey farm. The occupants of the farmhouse saw the mother teach her young to sing. She sat in front of them and sang her whole song very distinctly. One of the young attempted to imitate her. After proceeding through a few notes its voice broke, and it lost the tune. The mother immediately recommenced where the young one had failed, and went very distinctly through with the remainder. The young bird made a second attempt, commencing where it had ceased before, and continuing the song as long as it was able; and when the note was again lost, the mother began anew where it had stopped, and completed it. Then the young one resumed the tune, and finished it. This done, the mother sang over the whole series of notes a second time, with great precision, and a second of the young attempted to follow her. The wren pursued the same course with this one as with the first; and so with the third and fourth. This was repeated day after day, and several times a day, until each of the birds became a perfect songster.

IN THE HARBOR.

It was a misty morning. The smoke from my companion's pipe enveloped the bowl in curling wreaths of blue as we walked slowly past the limekiln.

"The harbor lies before us," he said, "while the lake stretches miles and miles away, and that sombre gray shaft, towering grim near the breakwater, is the lighthouse. Yonder is the trestle, where the bonniest lad of all went down, down into the murky depths of the stream as treacherous as the Indians who gave it its name.

"Ay, lad! I am not ashamed of these tears—but you shall hear the story. To the right you noticed the weather-beaten shanties and one more pretentious than the rest? Here lived the widow Anderson with her son John. The majority of the people around here were naturally dishonest. Petty thefts were constantly occurring, and it soon became evident that a night watchman must be stationed between the upper and lower bridges. John Anderson was the unanimous choice. He was then but twenty-one, the sole support of his mother, a young man of more than ordinary ability.

"In one of the houses lived a swarthy fellow, a Canadian, with a numerous family; he had no inclination to work and no visible means of support. His wife had often appealed to Mrs. Anderson and John for aid, sometimes at night, to steady the brute indoors, sometimes for food, while the man pretended to be seeking employment. Often an ailing child demanded more tender care than the parents were capable of administering, and, during the heated term, both watched night after night, caring for the baby struggling for life in the stifling atmosphere.

"Finally John came to me, and we succeeded in obtaining employment for him at the coal yard across the river, where you see the trestle. The woman was grateful, but kindness seemed to kindle a spirit of evil in the man, and as he was far more willing to tell of his past exploits than to labor, his co-workers soon cordially disliked him. The morning the news was received that John Anderson had been appointed night watchman, every man on the opposite shore cheered heartily save this Canadian.

"The night before a quantity of lumber had disappeared, and the large elevator near the upper bridge had been entered, although the watchman had taken unusual precaution. There was intense excitement along the docks. The store, a mere rat-trap of loose boards, had been a heavy loser, and a large reward had been offered by the proprietor.

"It was a good deal such a night as this is a morning," continued my friend, "when John bade his mother good-night and laughingly told her not to worry—he wouldn't forget the morning meal. But after he had gone, the poor woman came to our office in great agitation. I happened to be the only one in at the time, and she tremulously entreated me to have John recalled.

"'Just for this night, sir! Don't call it superstition! He will never come back to me alive!'

"Sanford came in at that moment, and we did our best to allay her fears.

"'You do not know these people as I do,' she said, excitedly. 'And this Canadian! Why, his wife has looked at me from her narrow black eyes, as though she would warn me, ever since she heard of John's appointment.

"'Him take care! Him watch out!' she told me this morning. Can't something be done?' And worn out with nervousness, the poor woman sank into a chair.

"Well, the story is soon told. In the morning, when I entered the office they told me the boat had been discovered drifting out past the pier, and they feared for Mrs. Anderson's reason. After searching all that day and well into the next, the poor boy was found, a bruise on the temple; and the physicians at once declared he had been murdered.

"From the first the grief stricken mother knew nothing. 'The Canadian!' were the only words intelligible. She was taken to the asylum, and yesterday we heard of her death.

"A few weeks after the affair, I felt an uncontrollable desire to return to the office. My wife urged me to remain at home, but I seemed compelled to obey the unseen mandate and go forth.

"About midnight found me between the row of houses and the mill. Suddenly I heard a door open and a woman's voice, crying hysterically.—

"'Pierre—look quick—he is coming this way! For you! Oh, mon Dieu!' And then followed tears and imprecations from within.

"Glancing around I saw in the window of the deserted home what appeared to be a bright light, and a white object swaying in the light breeze, which had sprung up but a few minutes before. Some drapery, probably.

"I found our man greatly aroused over the loss of a few bags of grain carelessly left near the outer door of the yard, and noticed by the watchman as he passed through the gate to the mill.

"'It's that Canadian!' he said again and again. 'I will catch him yet!'

"Warning him to be careful, and to exercise the utmost caution, I started for home, once more passing the lime kiln. Near the walk a cart stood, and by the boxes and bundles I knew Pierre and his family were leaving town.

"Of course there was no evidence sufficient to convict him of the murder, but everyone felt assured he was the thief John Anderson discovered that fatal night, and in return was foully murdered.

"A year after, the police were looking for this same man. He had been traced from Montreal to this port and here the clew was lost. But never shall I forget that gaunt woman framed in the doorway, and the pitiful cry of 'Pierre! Pierre! He is coming for you!'"

A JAPANESE HERO.

It is a beautiful story told by Lafcadio Hearn of an old man whose great deeds belong to Japanese history. He was Hamaguchi, and his farmhouse stood on the verge of a small plateau overlooking the bay. The plateau, mostly devoted to rice culture, was hemmed in on three sides by thickly wooded summits; and from the outer verge the land sloped down to the sea. Below were ninety thatched dwellings and a temple; these composed the village.

One autumn evening Hamaguchi Gohei was looking down from his balcony on the preparations for some merrymaking in the village below. All the villagers were out, and he would have gone with them, had he not been feeling less strong than usual.

Suddenly there came an earthquake shock, not a very strong one; but Hamaguchi, who had felt many before this, thought there was something odd in its long, spongy motion. As the quaking ceased, he chanced to look toward the sea, and there he saw the strangest possible sight; it seemed to be running away from the land.

Apparently the whole village had noticed it, for the people stood still in wonderment; only Hamaguchi drew any conclusions from the phenomenon, and guessed what the sea would do next. He called his little grandson, a lad of ten, the only one of the family left with him.

"Tada! Quick! Light me a torch!"

The child kindled a pine torch, and the old man hurried with it to the fields, where hundreds of rice stacks stood ready for transportation. One by one he lighted them in haste, and they caught, like tinder, sending skyward masses of smoke that met and mingled in one cloudy whirl. Tada, astonished and terrified, ran after his grandfather, weeping and calling: "Why? why? why?"

Hamaguchi did not answer; he thought only of four or five hundred lives in peril. He watched for the people, and in a moment only, they came swarming up from the village like ants.

And still the sea was fleeing toward the horizon. The first party of succor arrived, a score of agile young peasants, who wanted to attack the fire at once; but Hamaguchi, stretching out both his arms, stopped them.

"Let it burn, lads!" he commanded. "Let it be. I want the whole village here."

The whole village came, mothers and children last of all, drawn by concern and curiosity.

"Grandfather is mad. I am afraid of him," sobbed little Tada. "He set fire to the rice on purpose. I saw him do it."

"As for the rice," said Hamaguchi, "the lad tells the truth. I set fire to it. Are all the people here?"

"All are here," was the answer; "but we cannot understand this thing."

"See!" cried the old man, at the top of his voice, pointing to the open. "Say if I be mad."

It was the returning sea, towering like a cliff, and coursing swifter than the kite. There was a shock, heavier than thunder, as the colossal swell smote the shore, with a foam-burst like a blaze of sheet-lightning.

Then a white horror of sea raved over the village itself. It drew back, roaring and tearing out the land as it went. Twice, thrice, five times it struck and ebbed, each time with lesser surges, and then it returned to its ancient bed, and stayed there, although still raging. Of all the homes about the bay nothing remained but two straw roofs tossing madly in the offing. All lips were dumb, until Hamaguchi observed gently:

"That is why I set fire to the rice."

He was now poor as the poorest in all the village; but he had saved four hundred lives.

Why She Wept.

An amusing incident occurred recently at the Lenox home of a Boston family. They had urged some friends who were driving through the Berkshires to stop with them to lunch. This they were finally persuaded to do, a little girl three years old being of the party. Soon after they were all seated at the table Mr. Ultradude, a guest in the house (a man of curling locks parted in the middle), appeared and took his accustomed seat, which chanced to be just opposite the high chair occupied by Ethel. The child, after a glance or two at the newcomer, began to show symptoms of weeping, and a moment or two afterward burst into such a flood of tears that she had to be taken from the room. Ethel has so bright and sunny a disposition and so little of the cry-baby about her that her mother felt justified in hastening after the nurse and child to know the cause of so unexpected an outbreak. When the little one could command her voice she managed to confide to her mother between her sobs, "I's so 'fraid of that boy with a girl's head!"—Harper's Round Table.

THE COTTON BELT.

MOMENTOUS DEVELOPMENT OF THE GREAT SOUTHERN INDUSTRY.

Its Centre Has Moved Beyond the Mississippi and Scientific Methods of Culture Have Been Adopted—The Low Prices Keep Down Foreign Competition.

North Carolina has already enough mills within her borders to spin every bale of cotton raised in the State and a little to spare, and in a few years the same will be true of Georgia, South Carolina and a few other Atlantic States. But now it is predicted that within ten years these great Southern mills will be as far from the centre of cotton production as the New England mills, when the distance is measured by freight rates. The reason for this is not far to seek. The cotton belt has been changing and shifting year by year. The great bulk of our cotton came from the States east of the Mississippi twenty years ago, but to-day about seven-tenths of the crop is raised beyond that river. The cotton belt was supposed originally to run only through the best lands of Virginia, Georgia and the two Carolinas, with the edges overlapping parts of the contiguous States. Texas was not thought of, Arkansas was too far west and Missouri and Kansas were supposed to be good only for corn and cattle.

The map of the cotton belt is entirely altered, and each successive year it must be enlarged to include new territory where cotton flourishes abundantly. Texas has forged ahead in cotton raising so rapidly that growers wonder where it will stop; Arkansas has more recently started upon a similar career; while the farmers of Kansas and Missouri are beginning to raise cotton on a large scale. At the present rate of increase this great belt west of the Mississippi will soon be raising three-fourths of all our cotton. Then the mills of the South, around which so much interest centres to-day, will have as great a problem to solve as the New England mills are struggling with.

But the growth and development of the cotton mills in the South will continue, now that the movement has been once started. They will not stop in the cotton belt east of the Mississippi, but new ones will appear in Kansas and Missouri, and south to the Gulf. There is something in this new cotton belt that promises great things for the future. The climate is, in some respects, better suited to cotton growing than the Atlantic seaboard States. The cotton plants demonstrate this better than any scientific theory. The bush grows higher and bears longer, while open, rainless falls make the harvesting easier and the injury from insects and weather less.

It is estimated by the Department of Agriculture that cotton can be raised successfully in nearly one-third of the territory of the United States. At present the cotton belt covers 24 degrees of longitude and about 10 degrees of latitude, but only about one-twentieth of the land is actually used for cotton growing. Thus the 20,000,000 acres of cotton plantations represent only a fraction of the vast empire of cotton soil that has never been tilled.

The fear that cotton growing has reached its zenith, and that it must soon decline, in view of the low prices received for it, looms up every season when the new crop begins to come in, but like similar nightmares, it fails to produce any permanent results. The world has just begun to use cotton. Our invasion of the Japanese markets with this product is but a promise of what we may expect on a larger scale in other quarters. There are over 1,500,000,000 human beings existing on this globe, and of this number about half are imperfectly clad. They live in climates where little protection is needed, but that protection must come in the form of cotton clothes. The vast hordes of the Orient, of the islands of the Pacific, and of the great African continent, require cotton goods for clothing. To-day they go without them only because they are not obtainable at prices within their means.

The world's yield of cotton has trebled in twenty-five years, and it has nearly doubled itself in the last ten years. Our own product has represented a large percentage of this increase. India, China and Egypt can raise cotton on a large scale, too, but, with all their cheap labor, the Southern planter can raise and the American manufacturer can work up into salable goods our cotton and place it in Eastern markets at prices lower than the natives can ever hope to accomplish.—New York Sun.

Pulling Off Hats.

"I have not yet lived a million years," said Mr. Goslington, "but so far I observe that there is one form of play that all boys have alike during a considerable period of their youthful existence. This consists in pulling off other boys' hats and throwing them in the street. The desire, or impulse, to do this comes at a very early age, and it remains in the boy until he is pretty well grown.

"It is not unusual to see a boy ten or twelve years old, or even older than that, pull off another boy's hat, usually, in some instances, the hat of a smaller boy, and throw it away. Here the act is intended to be annoying and exasperating, and it is a pretty mean thing for the big boy to do; but little boys do this thing just out of sheer playfulness."

Green—Do they play golf in Germany?

Redd—Oh, yes; haven't you ever heard of the Frankfurter links?—Yonkers Statesman.

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Twentieth Day of December

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THE COMMISSIONERS OF APPEAL

in cases of taxation in and for the said city will meet at the Council Chamber, No. 100 Park avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on the

Fourth Tuesday of November

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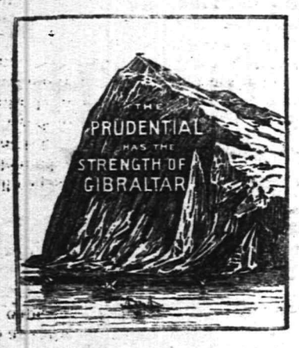

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SPORTING.

CHASING THE PIGSKIN.

FOOTBALL NOTES OF PARTICULAR LOCAL INTEREST.

Gossip and Points About Those Who Seek the Gridiron to Have Their Sport at This Time of the Year.

The Plainfield players would have been sadly handicapped Thursday morning had the San Remos shown up. Ray McGee, who was expected to play guard, was ill and his college friend who was to fill the other position in the centre trio failed to come. Thomas, substitute end on the Yale varsity, came but he had no idea of the signals and would have been badly off in that way. Behind the line there was a general misunderstanding, and had the San Remos been at all strong they must have played havoc in the ranks of the Plainfielders. With the tendency to fumble under natural conditions, a muddy field and a slippery ball would have caused many sad catastrophies.

It seems as if the Plainfield eleven had made positively its last appearance on the gridiron in its present composition. Business affairs and increased age has caused a number of the well-known players to decide that it will be conducive to their best interest to give up the game now for ever. They have not the time to train actively and without that the game assumes a dangerous feature. Neither do they care to make a burlesque of it by going into a game without practice, which is so essential to good work. There are prior claims on their time and counter attractions that rival those of football. The younger element will fill in the ranks and the game will go on, but the older set have now bid farewell to the game and will hereafter only be seen on the sidelines.

BASKET BALL.

The next basket ball game to be played in this city is scheduled for the evening of December 5th. Then the team from the New Brunswick Y. M. C. A. will try conclusions with the local team. The New Brunswick boys are far newer in the game than the Plainfield players and they are likely to find the local team more than a match for them. They say, however, that if Plainfield wins, she will have to work hard to do so.

An exciting game of basket ball was played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Friday evening. It was the first of the contests for the banner to be awarded for the championship of the local association. There are three teams in the race, A, B and C. Friday night teams A and B met, and the B boys were victorious over the A athletes by a score of 9 to 4. The teams were made up as follows: Team A, Eric Moraller, captain, Carroll, Cutting, Brokaw, McKillop and Perrin; team B, George Proctor Smith, captain, Zimmer, Dolliver, Overton, McDonald.

Walter L. Long finds that he is gaining a reputation which, while flattering, is not by any means to his taste. The New Brunswick team, which plays here December 5th, heard that he was a great player and the strongest man on the Plainfield team. So, when they wrote for a game, they agreed to play if that man Long was left off the team. They wanted to have some show, they said. Now that should please Walter, but it doesn't, as he is not at all anxious to be shut out of the game in that fashion. He broke his nose in the game sometime ago and has just recovered sufficiently to be able to play once more.

STRIKES AND SPARES.

The Parks will not roll a game this week in the Central Journal League. All the other teams in the league will meet tonight for their matches. As there is an uneven number of teams in the league it makes it necessary that one team should be left out each week in pairing them off.

The Bound Brook bowling team came to Plainfield last night and rolled a game with the members of the Catholic Club team. The visitors were defeated by a total score of 2,418 to 2,352. After the game refreshments were served. The scores were as follows:

PLAINFIELD.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Moran	166	160	197
Higgins	177	116	127
McInerney	191	146	143
Shannon	150	174	163
Carty	147	181	180
	831	777	810

BOUND BROOK.	1st.	2d.	3d.
Applegate	147	200	154
Hogan	133	142	160
Smith	141	122	149
Hooker	193	187	164
Gulick	140	151	169
	754	802	796

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THE PORTLAND WRECKED.

Sixty-Four Persons On Board Were Lost—Wrecked off Cape Cod Sunday.

(Special from the Union Associated Press.)

Boston, Nov. 29.—The Steamer Portland lies a battered wreck on the sands near Cape Cod.

Sixty-four persons aboard perished. Thirty-four of the bodies were washed ashore.

The Portland went ashore Sunday morning just off Highland Light.

The sea was so rough that it was impossible to reach her or render any assistance.

THE COURTS.

JUSTICE NASH.

Settled—The case of Ryan against Baldwin has been settled out of court. Councilman Runyon represented the plaintiff; Murphy & Blatz the defendant.

JUSTICE MOFFETT.

Adjourned—Case of Hand against Schorb, for one week.

Judgment rendered—In case of Beerbower against Trust, for full amount and costs.

THAT HEIFER AGAIN.

Neighbors Quarrel About it and the Judge Considers the Matter.

Justice Mosher had another try yesterday afternoon with the fresky heifer on Webster place that won't stay home but keeps wandering all over Mary Coughlan's place. James McCarthy, who is charged by her with assault and battery, was present and pushed his charge. The alleged assault occurred early last week and arose over the trespassing of McCarthy's cow on the other's lawn. As there is a counter charge, Justice Mosher withheld his decision until next Monday.

JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

ENTERPRISINGLY GATHERED AND CONCISELY TOLD BY REPORTERS.

Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers

—All bills against the city must be in the city clerk's hands by tomorrow night.

—A telephone has been placed in the residence of W. T. Pelletier, of Hillside avenue.

—The regular meeting of Unity Lodge, Knights of Phthias, will be held tomorrow evening.

—The monthly business meeting of the Independent Fife and Drum Corps will be held this evening.

—A package of Hornby's buckwheat will be presented to each purchaser of Hornby's oatmeal on Saturday.

—A teachers' institute is to be held at Flemington commencing tomorrow, and for that reason the borough school will be closed for the balance of the week.

—Thursday evening a social will be held at the home of Rev. W. C. Snodgrass, on Central avenue, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church.

—An illustrated lecture on the Cuban and Civil wars will be given Thursday evening in Washington Hall under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, No. 23, Daughters of America. A dance and cake-walk will take place after the entertainment, and each purchaser of a ticket holds a chance for a prize of $2.50 in gold.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The many friends of Allan Laing, of Craig place, were delighted to greet him on the street yesterday. Mr. Laing shows very little the serious illness that nearly cost him his life, and he is looking much better than his friends expected.

Mrs. George W. F. Randolph, of West End Park, who is enjoying a pleasure trip in the west, recently attended a reunion of the families of Col. and Mrs. W. B. Keeler, of Woodlawn, Ill., which was held at the home of relatives at Norwalk, O. Mrs. Randolph expects to remain in Chicago for a short time. She will then visit in Norwalk, Fremont and Cleveland, O., before returning home. She is much better in health by a change of air and scene.

DONATIONS ACKNOWLEDGED.

Board of Managers of Children's Home Have Received Many Things.

The board of managers of the Children's Home gratefully acknowledge the receipt of three barrels of vegetables and fruit from the officers of Muhlenberg Hospital; of 119 new garments from the Needlework Guild; from the public school of North Plainfield a large donation of groceries and other useful articles; from the Sunday-schools of St. Stephen's church and Mt. Pleasant chapel generous gifts of fruit and vegetables from their harvest home festivals.

Our thanks are also due to the tradesmen and private friends, whose timely gifts made Thanksgiving Day such a happy one for our children.

For the Board,
M. E. Kimball.

Plainfield, Nov. 28th, 1898.

HOW DO CANDIDATES STAND?

"Citizen" Wants to Know Their Opinion On the Saloon Question.

To the Editor of The Daily Press:—As a Republican I desire to see the party grow in purity and increase in power. As a citizen I am deeply interested in the success of every movement that is likely to promote the material prosperity of our city and commonwealth. As a Christian citizen I do not want to forget that, in the long run, righteousness exalteth a nation, while sin is a reproach to any people. This is the teaching of the Bible and of history. Therefore I, as one voter, would like to know how the candidates for municipal offices stand with regard to the saloon question. This is a subject of public concern.

Citizen.

England's Good Wishes.

The brotherly feeling shown by Great Britain for America is not entirely an outgrowth of our war with Spain, but was most touchingly expressed a score of years ago by the English novelist, W. Clark Russell, in "The Wreck of the Grosvenor," where in chapter twenty-seven, in telling his story in the first person, he gives a most vivid description of the slow sinking of the ship he was in and the anxiety with which he looked for a rescuing sail.

He describes the joy on sighting an approaching bark, and, after telling how "she brought her bows astern of us," he writes:—

"At the same moment she hoisted Russian colors. I was bitterly disappointed when I saw the flag. I should have been equally disappointed by the sight of any other foreign flag, unless it were the Stars and Stripes, which floats over brave hearts and is a signal to Englishmen as full of welcome and promise, almost, as their own loved bit of bunting."

DIPHTHERIA IN POWER.

EIGHT CHILDREN IN ONE HOUSE ILL WITH DREAD DISEASE.

Horrible Situation in the Home of Machinist in Piscataway Township—One Child Has Just Died With It

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 29.—A sad state of things in Piscataway has just been made known to the authorities. A family by the name of Schuer, foreigners, are living together in a little two-story shanty two miles from here, and eight children are ill with the diphtheria.

One of them died Sunday, and the others are in such a bad state that they are not expected to recover. Dr. Nelson is attending them and is doing all he can for them, but there are no natural surroundings that would help to eliminate the disease. The house stands in a 20 acre farm, is low, bare and cold. There are only two rooms on the first floor with a loft overhead, and the entire family eat, sleep and cook in the same room.

Schuer is a machinist and bought this place and moved here from Plainfield five years ago. Walter Runyon has charge of the funeral of the little one, and she will be buried at once.

SHE IS THE PEARL DOCTOR.

Queer Occupation Followed by a Young English Woman.

A young English woman whose card is inscribed "Miss Blank, Visiting Jeweler," is pioneer on a path that promises to lead to fortune.

Shortly after she found herself obliged to do something to make money she chanced to see a quantity of old-fashioned jewelry which a friend had inherited. In spite of their clumsy, out-of-date settings the beauty of the stones inspired Miss Blank. She began to make sketches of different ornaments in which they might be set, and so pretty and original were her designs and so much ingenuity did she show in planning the rearrangement of the stones that her friend exclaimed:

"Why, you are a genius! Here is your vocation. You must go about, ask people to get out all their old odds and ends of jewelry, and then show them what beautiful things those some odds and ends would make."

Then Miss Blank began to study precious stones and became a good judge of their value. This knowledge soon opened another branch of her chosen calling, namely, the selling and exchanging of stones, old ornaments, etc.

Next it occurred to Miss Blank that she might also undertake the cleaning of jewels, a matter which during the season she found greatly neglected by overworked maids. She has now earned quite a reputation as a "pearl doctor," for these gems which are found lying loose in the oyster shells and need no cutting, or polishing to enhance their beauty, as if to make things, even, require more careful usage than any other precious stone. They become dull and discolored, or, as jewelers express it, get "sick" and "die."

On one occasion, when a large, badly discolored pearl given her to experiment on resisted her treatments, she determined to try an ancient recipe, found in some musty pamphlet. This set forth that the gastric juice of fowls had a wonderful effect on dull yellow pearls, and would, if applied according to directions, quickly restore their original beauty. So, in fear and trembling, Miss Blank fed the big pearl to a rooster, which she securely confined, and, as the recipe prescribed, after two hours' time killed it and relieved it of its valuable luncheon. As to the result, her own words were: "Of course, I felt like nothing more nor less than a murdress, but the pearl was ever so much improved."—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

TWO SPLENDID LIARS.

Conversation Between Private O'Mars and a Regular-Army Colonel.

Here is a story told by Patrick O'Mars, a private in the Ninth regulars: Not long ago he went to the colonel, who was a severe disciplinarian, for a two weeks' leave of absence.

"Well," said the colonel, "what do you want a two weeks' furlough for?"

Patrick answered: "Me wolfe is very sick, and the children are not well, and if ye didn't mind, she would like to have me home for a few weeks to give her a bit of assistance."

The colonel eyed him for a few minutes, and said: "Patrick, I might grant your request, but I got a letter from your wife this morning saying she didn't want you home; that you were a nuisance, and raised the devil whenever you were there. She hopes I won't let you have any more furloughs."

"That settles it. I suppose I can't get the furlough, then?" said Pat.

"No, I'm afraid not, Patrick. It wouldn't be well for me to do so under the circumstances."

It was Patrick's turn now to eye the colonel, as he started for the door. Stopping suddenly, he said:

"Colonel, can I say something to yez?"

"Certainly, Patrick; what is it?"

"You won't get mad, colonel if I say it?"

"Certainly not, Patrick; what is it?"

"I want to say there are two splendid liars in this room, and I'm one of them. I was never married in me loife."—New York Tribune.

—Next Friday evening there will be a business meeting of the Epworth League of Grace M. E. church.

—The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue church will hold its meeting for sewing in the church parlors Friday afternoon.

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Clothing manufactures are compelled to confess from the weather standpoint that October and a part of November has been a serious disappointment to them. They counted on cold weather to create a demand for the surplus stock they had made up. From two manufacturers we were able to buy a large stock of winter suits, overcoats and trousers at about 40c. on the dollar for what they could ordinarily make the goods for. It is an ill wind that blows nobody good. The present cold weather brings you now at the proper time for your winter clothing at cut prices that you could otherwise not secure and for the values read them careful they are worthy of anyone's attention for we can say without contradiction, that strictly high-class, well-made and absolutely first-class suits, overcoats, ulsters and reefers for men and boys', were never sold at such prices at any other store in all the land.

Men's splendid business suits made of strictly all-wool material worth $7.50 at $2.50. Men's black and blue smooth thibet cloth suits, or the rough surface serge effects, made in the popular double breasted styles with silk faced lapels worth $15.00 at $6 90. Men's black clay diagonal coats and vests made of eighteen ounce winter weight Washington Mills clay diagonal worsted, the kind that will not fade or wear shiney at $1.90 worth $12.00. Men's suits in fine all-wool tweeds, cheviots and also homespuns, absolutely fast color and all-wool worth $14 00 at $6 50. Men's fine winter overcoats made of fine gloss surface, English Kersey cloth; these coats are lined with the highest grade plaid worsteds or with silk or satin, the tailor would charge you $25.00 for such a coat, our price is $8 90. Men's extra fine Castor beaver and frieze overcoats made with raw edges and lap seams, a bargain at $15.00 now at $6.90. Men's fine all-wool overcoats made of Wanskucks Mills kersey, the smooth closely shaven kind that will stand lots of wear, worth easily $12.50, now at $5 90. Men's overcoats made in foreign and domestic coverts at $4.50 worth $10.

Men's driving ulsters, black or brown, at $2.75, worth $7. A genuine Montagnac, extra heavy, as fine as split silk, ulster good for Sunday wear, worth $25, at $8.90. Boys' ulsters at $2.50, worth double. Children's ulsters from $1.50 up. Children's reefers from 75c. up. Boys' 3 piece suits in black or blue at $2.75, ages from 11 to 16 years, worth $6.50.

Boy's vested suits, navy blue and fancy cheviots, ages from 3 to 8 years, worth $2.75, at $1; a wonderful bargain. Boy's double breasted suits, good quality, pure wool, tweeds, cheviots and homespuns. The pants have double seat and knees, $1.50, $1.90 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $6. Men's working trousers, well made, heavy weight, at 85c, worth $1.50. One thousand pairs of fine dress trousers, neat stripes and checks, French waistband, at $1 25, $1.50, $2 and $2.25, worth from $3 to $7.

Customers from Dunellen, Lincoln, Bound Brook, Somerville and New Brunswick, by buying five dollars' worth and over of clothing will have their full fare paid.

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include besides the entire cloak and suit line of 5000 yards of best apron checks, sold regularly at 6c at 3 3-4c a yard.

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Take a look at our toys, dolls, games, fancy china and glassware, you will find the assortment as complete as anywhere in the city, and as to prices—compare them with any in the city—you'll find ours the very lowest consistent with quality.

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CYCLISTS' CALENDAR.
Sun Rises 7.03 a. m.
Sun Sets 4:34 p. m.
Bicycle lanterns must be lighted at 5:34 p. m.

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THE WEATHER.
Fair tonight, increasing Cloudiness with Rain or Snow Thursday afternoon or night; stationary temperature. Thermometer 42.

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HAD TO BURN FRUIT TREES FOR FIREWOOD.

Union Village Farmers Cut Off by the Storm.

ROADS ALL BLOCKED.

COULDN'T REACH THEIR WOOD LOTS TO GET FRESH FUEL.

Aftermath of the Storm—Happenings in Passaic Valley—Road Impassable—Big Drifts at Coontown Just Removed—New Providence Roads Will Not be Opened for Several Days.

The Passaic valley is just struggling out of the bondage of the snow storm of Saturday and Sunday. Never since the famous blizzard of 1888 has that section been so thoroughly shut off from the outside world. Ten inches of snow fell there and the wind blew a perfect gale. As a result there were drifts everywhere.

In the Passaic valley road that goes from Newark to Millington, the snow was heaped up in drifts seven and eight feet high and extending along the road for distances of over a mile. Progression was impossible and George Nixdeoff, overseer of the roads in Morris county, had a large force of men at work removing the worst of the drifts so that the roads might be passable once more. Yesterday the men were hard at work with the prospect of opening up all the road by tonight.

In one place the road passes through a cut and there the drifts reached the depth of twelve feet. The milkmen living in that vicinity simply had to stay at home. Their attempts to get to town were fruitless and they had to give up until the road was opened by the county authorities.

In the vicinity of Union Village large drifts are reported. Bazilla French, who lives in that settlement, did not have a large stock of wood when the storm began. He attempted to reach his wood lot Monday to secure a fresh supply, but the drifts were so great that he had to abandon the attempt and cut down an apple tree in his yard to supply him with fuel.

George Herbert, of the same locality, was caught in a similar predicament. He made his way through the snow to a near-by tree and cut off some of the branches that served him as firewood until he could clear a path to the wood lot.

Some of the roads in New Providence township are so solidly blocked that they will not be opened until tonight.

In Warren township the worse drifts were reported in the vicinity of Coontown where they completely blocked the road. The neighbors joined forces and yesterday a way was cleared so that the people in Mt. Horeb could reach Plainfield.

REMEMBERED THEIR PASTOR.

Big Donation Party at Mt. Horeb M. E. Church Last Night.

Despite the unpleasant weather there was a grand turnout of the good folk at Mt. Horeb last evening. It was the event of the donation party to Rev. Mr. Opdyke, pastor of the Mt. Horeb M. E. church. The affair was held at the parsonage and was attended by the members of the congregation and their families. The genial pastor and his wife received a great variety of donations, which consisted mainly of the products of the farms on which most of the church members live.

A Plainfield Contributor.

The current number of The Christian Endeavor World, the organ of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, contains a Thanksgiving story written by Miss Eliza E. Chase, of Jackson avenue, North Plainfield. Miss Chase is an active worker in the Congregational Endeavor Society. The story is entitled "The Thanksgiving Slate," and is well written and entertaining, and contains a practical lesson.

Pastor's Reception.

Rev. J. W. Richardson's and Mrs. Richardson's reception, to be tendered the Park Avenue Baptist church and congregation, will be held Tuesday evening. They will be assisted by Mrs. Udela Smith, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. Charles Lewis; Mrs. H. E. Ryder, Mrs. Harry Johnson, pianist; Miss Rita Pond, elocutionist; Fletcher Hallock, banjoist.

Last Chance to Register.

The County Board of Elections for Union county will be in session at the Court House, Elizabeth, Tuesday, December 1st, and Saturday, December 3d, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., to place on the registry in Plainfield any voters not now registered who are qualified to vote. All persons must appear themselves.

HONORED ITS PRESIDENT

LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF GERMAN CHURCH GAVE HER A PARTY.

It Was in Honor of Mrs. Joseph Angerbauer's Fifty-second Birthday—The Affair a Complete Surprise—Guests.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church tendered a very pleasant surprise party to Mrs. Joseph Angerbauer, Sr., last evening, in honor of her fifty-second birthday. Mrs. Angerbauer is president of the society. She was presented with a large birthday cake on which burned fifty-two candles in honor of the event. Many other pretty and useful gifts were received.

The evening passed very enjoyably with games and music, after which refreshments were served in abundance. It was late before the jolly party thought of breaking up. The affair was arranged by Miss Annie Ptaszinski and Mrs. Henry Bender.

Among those who were present were Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Hauser, Mr. and Mrs. Bach, Mrs. Blimm, Miss Katie Blimm, Miss Sadie Blimm, Miss Josie Fritz, Miss Lottie Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Back, Franz Bach, Mr. and Mrs. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Schlief, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Angerbauer, Jr., Mrs. Ptaszinski, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Angerbauer, Henry Angerbauer, Mrs. and Miss Borman, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Gerhard, George Apgar and Miss Kate Betchold.

SOCIAL TEA.

Charming Affair to be Held Tomorrow Afternoon by Plainfield Exchange.

The Plainfield Exchange will give a social tea in the guild rooms of the Grace P. E. church tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. There will be no charge for admission. The following ladies will be in charge of the different departments: Mrs. Hugh Hastings, Mrs. Frank Bushnell and Mrs. Thomas Minford will pour tea. The committee on fancy work will consist of Mrs. Howard Tracy, chairman, and her assistants. The department of dainties will be in charge of Mrs. Lemuel W. Serrell, aided by Miss Yerkes, Miss Boice and Mrs. Craig Marsh.

The president, Mrs. O. T. Waring, will read a report of the work of the Exchange for the last six months. A report of the recording secretary, Mrs. S R. Krom, will also be submitted.

VALUE OF SUMMER RESIDENCE.

Home of the Late John K. Field on the Raritan to be Sold.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

New Brunswick, Nov. 30.—The value of a summer residence was the point at issue yesterday in a case before Judge Strong, of the Middlesex County Orphan's Court at this city.

Isaac N. Field, of Plainfield, executor of the late John K. Field, applied for an order confirming the sale of the decedent's summer home on the Raritan, near Bound Brook. At the sale the only bid was $4 255.

When the application was made for an order confirming the sale Judge Cowenhoven, of New Brunswick, representing some of the heirs, opposed the motion. It was shown that the house, exclusive of the land, had cost more than $15,000. The executor admitted this, but said the sale had been the best he could arrange.

Judge Strong continued the matter for a week.

VOORHEES' PLURALITY 5,499.

Official Canvass of the State Vote Made by Board Appointed for That Purpose.

(Special to The Daily Press)

Trenton, Nov. 30.—The State Board of Canvassers met yesterday afternoon and went over the election returns for Governor and Congressmen and officially promulgated the result.

The vote for Governor was as follows: Voorhees, Republican, 164,051; Crane, Democrat, 158,552; Landon, Prohibition, 6,893; McGuire, Socialist Labor, 5,458; Schrayshuen, People's, 491. Voorhees' plurality, 5,499.

The pluralities for Congress were as follows: First District, Loudenslager, Republican, 5,772; Second district, Gardner, Republican, 6,668; Third district, Howell, Republican, 729; Fourth district, Salmon, Democrat, 2,659; Fifth district, Stewart, Republican, 2,025; Sixth district, Parker, Republican, 3,693; Seventh district, Daly, Democrat, 10,108; Eighth district, Fowler, Republican, 4,352.

Address Postponed.

Owing to the fact that there were so few present last evening, the address that was to have been given by Rev. J. W. Richardson before the officers and superintendents of the Local Union Christian Endeavor, was postponed to a later date. There was a few persons present and they remained awhile and enjoyed an informal talk about Christian Endeavor work.

—Press want ads bring results.

TRAMP QUESTION IN SOMERSET COUNTY.

Sheriff Tried to Lodge Them in Jail.

FREEHOLDERS OBJECTED.

NOW THEY BREAK THE LAW AND HAVE TO BE JAILED.

They Used to Get Lodging Free at County Jail and Hustle for Their Meals—Freeholders Would Not Allow it—Now They Commit Some Disorderly Act and Have to be Boarded and Lodged.

The tramp question is again coming to the front in Somerset county. For several years the Sheriff of that county has been sheltering all this class of citizens in a most hospitable manner in the county jail at Somerville. That is, the Board of Freeholders allowed the Sheriff to take them in and keep them over night. He gave them no food, but a warm place to sleep, and they had to forage for their provender. For this duty the Sheriff was allowed 25 cents a head.

Last April a resolution was adopted by the Board, which read as follows:

"Resolved, That after April 12th, this day, no more tramps shall be allowed in the county jail by the Board at the county's expense."

During the summer months there are few applications for lodgings by tramps, so that this change of policy has caused little inconvenience until the present time. Since the nights have become frosty the number of applicants have increased. The Sheriff has been obliged to refuse all lodgers, but here is where comes in an important question of policy. The tramps are determined to have a night's lodging, and rather than sleep out on the cold ground, they commit some disorderly act whereby they are arrested and committed to jail.

Since Sheriff Schoonmaker was installed no less than ten tramps have thus been committed to jail under the disorderly act. It costs 75 cents to have a tramp committed, and then he must be boarded at the expense of the county after he has been landed in jail. It is estimated that nine tramps and a half can be sheltered for a night under the old system for as little expense as one tramp can be committed to jail under the disorderly act. Besides the 75 cents, which goes in fees to the justice and officer committing a tramp, the Sheriff receives his fees and is allowed 70 cents a day for the tramp's board. So a man committed for two days would cost the county about $2.50.

If the tramps succeed in being committed at the rate of the past week, it is a question whether there is any economy in the new plan adopted by the Board.

MRS. LOWE'S SECOND "AT HOME."

Delightful Social Function Held at Home of W. E. Lowe, Park Avenue.

The hospitable home of Wm. Eberle Lowe, of Park avenue, was a scene of beauty yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Lowe and her daughter, Miss Charlotte Lowe, gave their second "at home." With artistic surroundings, enhanced by palms, flowers and softly shaded lights, many friends and society people were received by Mrs Lowe and her daughter, assisted by Mrs. A. D. Shepard, Mrs. Howard Fleming and Mrs. Orville T. Waring. In the dining room Mrs. Henry Stockton and Mrs. Charles Case presided at the table, assisted by the Misses Helen Frances Bushnell, Mary Whiton, Lulu Holly, Miss Lockwood, of Philadelphia; Miss Nancy Lawson, of Salem, and Miss Porter, of Ottawa, Ia.

LOCAL UNION SOCIABLE.

Mrs. Dassori Will Tell of Her Work Among Italians in New York.

Next Thursday, December 8th, a local union sociable will be held in the chapel of the Crescent Avenue church. Mrs. Dassori, of the Mariner's Temple, New York, will tell of her work among the poor Italians in lower New York, and a programme of music and recitations will be rendered. At the close an offering for the children's Christmas will be taken up.

Reserved His Decision.

In the case of the Plainfield Beef Company against Ruppert, the butcher, which was tried before Justice Mosher yesterday, the Court reserved its decision. The claim is for meat sold, and amounts to $25. Murphy & Blatz represented the Beef Company, and Codington & Swackhamer Ruppert.

Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Mary How Miller, daughter of Major and Mrs. W. D. W. Miller, of LaGrande avenue, and Harrison King Wright, of Pulaski, N. Y., a student at Union College, Schnectady, is announced

CLAIMS HE STARVES WITH INCOME DUE

John Mortimer Tries to Compel Its Payment.

THE CREDITORS OBJECT.

THEY WANT HIM TO LIVE ON SMALL INCOME

And Turn the Rest Over to Pay His Debts—Tried That in Plainfield For Awhile—Local Creditors Indorsed His Note For First National Bank—They Lost Very Nearly All of the Money.

John Mortimer, who resided in Plainfield for several years, and has since successively made his home at Asbury Park and the Clarendon Hotel in Brooklyn, claims to be starving to death. He says that he and his wife and children have been through very hard times for the past few months, all because the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company has failed to do its duty. There was placed in the hands of that company a trust fund of $51,272, from which Mortimer was supposed to receive an income of $2,400 a year. This was not done since May last, Mr. Mortimer says, and he and his family have been compelled in consequence to live without the bare necessities of life.

The complaints of Mortimer were brought to the attention of Surrogate Fitzgerald in Brooklyn yesterday and he investigated the case. His decision has been reserved.

Mortimer is a son of Frances Russell Mortimer, who died April 2d, 1894. She left a large estate, divided into four parts, one of which she left to her son John, in addition to $5 000 in cash. She appointed the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company trustee of his share, directing that the income be paid to him. He lived in Plainfield for a number of years, residing at different times on LaGrande avenue and Putnam avenue, and with his wife's mother, Mrs. W. G. Anderson He ran rather deeply in debt, it is said.

In May, 1897, Mortimer was pressed pretty hard by his creditors who insisted upon his paying them what he owed. There were seven creditors, each of whose claim reached over $100. Mortimer seemed anxious to clear up his indebtedness, and so agreed to the following plan:

He gave a note to the First National Bank for $6,500. This note was indorsed by these seven principal creditors, William K. McClure, Dr. J. T. Fritts, Louis Hummer, M. Powers, Robert Guttridge, A. D. Mallinson and F. L. C. Martin. The lowest claim, that of A. D. Mallinson, was for $100, the highest for $700.

Backed by these names, the First National Bank consented to discount the note, and Mortimer gave them power-of-attorney to collect his dividends, amounting to $2 400 a year, from the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, and retain one-half of them towards liquidating these debts, while with the other half Mortimer said he could manage to live.

This arrangement existed for one year, when in May, 1898, Mortimer cancelled his agreement and revoked his power of attorney. This placed the seven creditors in a bad fix. They have no remedy against Mortimer who is out of the State and away from them. The merchants all had their money to be sure, but when the power of attorney was revoked, the First National Bank came back on the indorsers and they had to repay almost all of it.

Other creditors then united on the ground that Mortimer should be compelled to turn over part of his income to pay his debts as he had been doing, and an injunction was obtained against the Trust Company restraining them from paying him any more.

F. E. Anderson, who appeared for Mortimer yesterday, insisted that his client and family were literally starving for want of the necessaries of life, and that Mortimer had become so desperate that he feared he would commit suicide. Even his trunk had been held at the hotel to satisfy his board bill. He charged that the Trust Company, in the interest of the creditors, was acting without warrant of law in withholding the income, that it exceeded its authority and that the harsh, cruel and insulting treatment Mortimer had received was sufficient to warrant the Court in removing the trustee.

Hoping to meet claims which have been pressing him, Mortimer gave the Trust Company a power of attorney to apply $1 500 annually to the payment of his debts, thinking he might live on $900 a year. He said he found it impossible and cancelled the agree-

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TOLD OF LIFE AND WORKS OF EMERSON.

Continuation of Series of University Extension Lectures.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS.

LECTURE TOOK PLACE IN Y. M. C. A. HALL LAST NIGHT.

Prof. A. H. Smith Gave a Very Interesting Lecture on American Literature — Emerson Figured the Most Prominently in It—Told His History in Clever Way—Brook Farm Described.

Ralph Waldo Emerson, that high spirited, even-tempered New England man of letters, was the most prominent character in the University Extension lecture given last night in Y. M. C. A. Hall by Prof. A. H. Smith. Emerson's beautiful life was the wonder of all who knew him. Born early in the present century, and coming from a long and illustrious line of ancestors, many of them having been preachers and all of them men of learning and culture, he was fitted for the ministry and occupied a pulpit for a few years.

In 1832 Emerson became convinced that he had another mission in the world, and gave up his work to cross the ocean and seek out Carlyle in Scotland, Coleridge, in England, and Landor, in Italy. He only spent a short time in the company of each of these three, but felt wonderfully benefited by his contact with them, and when he left, left behind him an impression which clung to these men all through their lives.

Emerson's books consist mostly of lectures. One book he published called "Nature," was a marvel of accuracy in the manner of its composition.

About the time that Emerson was growing up the sceptre of literature had been carried from Philadelphia to New York and then on to Boston. There were three epochs in New England intellectual life, which followed one another in regular order. The first was Unitarianism, the second Trancendentalism and the third the Anti-slavery movement.

This last awakened some of the brightest writers, brought forth some of the most eloquent orators, among whom might be mentioned Wendell Phillips, and gave Harriet Beecher Stowe a theme for that novel that has been translated in all languages and been read by nearly as many people as had the Bible, "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Prof. Smith also spent a few moments in describing Brook Farm, that "Seven Years' Day Dream" which was established about 1835 a short distance from Boston, and where 60 or 70 men and women of letters lived together in a happy group, working on the farm during a part of the day, reading Latin and Greek and writing books the other half. Here Emerson lived awhile, so did Hawthorne and Thorean, and the colony was only disbanded by a fierce fire, which destroyed the farm buildings and burned the colony out of home. This was such a blow to them that Brook Farm was never rebuilt.

Stabbed a Fellow Workmen.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, Nov. 30.—Frank Lafrank, of New Orange, was lodged in the Union county jail yesterday for stabbing with a knife James Rotonosh, an Italian fellow workman. The affray took place in the boarding house of Joseph Bonomo, at New Orange. The wounded man was badly hurt. Justice Woodruff committed the assailant in default of $1,000 bail.

Lawyers Want Fees.

Justice Mosher has issued summons in the case of Murphy and others against Ada Cruse, of this city, for $13 the amount of a bill for searching the title for a new property she purchased some time ago. Mrs. Cruse has now refused to pay the lawyers' fees, and they have brought suit to enforce their claims.

Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. J. M. Hawkins, of LaGrande avenue, was tendered a surprise party last night, it being her birthday. Friends and relatives came in during the evening and took her completely by surprise. The evening was passed in playing games, and having a good social time.

Teachers go to Flemington.

The Borough Public School teachers left this morning for Flemington to attend the teachers' institute which will be held the rest of this week.

—John Hand Camp, Sons of Veterans, will hold a fair and bazar next week in Washington Hall.

RIGHTS OF THE FAIR SEX.

MRS. FLORENCE HOWE HALL TALKS OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Occasion of the Annual Meeting of the State Association—Mrs. Hall's Address Said to Have Been Eloquent.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Camden, Nov. 30—The New Jersey Woman Suffrage Association began its annual session in Taylor's Hall, this city, yesterday, and about fifty delegates from auxiliary associations attended the sessions. The feature of the day was the annual address of the president, Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, of Plainfield, who dwelt at length upon the advance of the woman suffrage movement in this country and Great Britain. Her suggestions were principally devoted to the dissemination of information among women as to what rights they now possess in this State under existing laws, and urging them to exercise these rights.

The recent defeat of the school suffrage amendment was referred to as simply an incident in the missionary and educational work necessary to prepare the minds of the people in the State for what is sooner or later to come.

Mrs. Hall's address ended with an eloquent tribute to the self-sacrificing spirit displayed by the women of the cause all over the world, who, undaunted by reverses, are as enthusiastic today as though their work was bestrewn with the roses and pearls of incessant success. The association held a meeting in the courthouse tonight, at which Miss Mary C. C. Bradford, of Denver, Col., made an address upon the workings of woman suffrage in her State.

STRANGE GROWTH ON FINGER.

Mrs. M. L. McComas is Unable to Use Her Right Hand.

Mrs. Martin L. McComas, of Prescott place, is suffering from a growth on the first finger of her right hand which not only baffles the physicians, but cannot be accounted for by Mrs. McComas.

It was about four weeks ago that Mrs. McComas noticed a small red spot on the finger. At first she applied home remedies. Continued treatment of this kind had little or no effect, and a physician was called to examine the growth. One peculiar feature of it is that the lump can be moved back and forth on the finger at will.

The top portion of the growth is very sore from the fact that the skin is entirely raw and is intensely painful to the slightest touch. The lump seems to be constantly growing. Mrs. McComas has no use of the hand, and although she is able to get around, she suffers great pain in the hand.

A MEMORABLE EVENT.

Friends of V. W. Nash, Jr., Came to Celebrate His Eighteenth Birthday.

Vincent William Nash, Jr., of Prospect avenue, was eighteen years old yesterday, and the day was made a memorable one to him by his friends, for a host of them surprised him last night, came upon him in a body, and spent the evening in games and dancing.

Among those present were the Misses Lucy Jennings, Lucy Caspar, Nellie Apgar, Florence and Mabel Symons, Grace and Katie Webster, Josie Murphy, Mabel Smith, Jennie and Lillian Thorn, Ida Furman, Charles McCann, Fred Dunavan, Bert Ford, James Pope, Fred VanLew, Edward Baker, Lewis McLaughlin, William and George Pope, Raymond Pool, Albert Uzinger, Thomas Keenan, Hillaire Blatz, Fred Sebring, Howard Drake, Irwin Mills and Walter Emmons.

Entertained Departing Friends.

Miss Evelyn Simpson, of Duer street, had the pleasure Tuesday evening of entertaining several of her friends, among whom two were present who are going to return to England, namely, Miss Schenk and Miss Schimmens. A very pleasant evening was passed by playing games and dancing, accompanied by several piano selections.

No City Money to Work With.

It has been learned that the reason the crosswalks in the business part of the city have not been cleaned off is on account of the absence of money to do the work. It has been suggested that a collection be taken among the business men to have the walks cleaned.

Death of Mrs. Staats.

Mrs. Staats, aged forty three years, wife of George Staats, died this morning at her home in Netherwood, of pneumonia. She was ill but a short time.

—A subscription dance will be given at the Casino early in February under the direction of the same committee that had charge of the dance given Thanksgiving Eve.

THE AFFAIR WASN'T AS STARTLING AS NAME.

Bloomer Social Held by Minerva Temple, Rathbone Sisters.

IT PROVED SUCCESSFUL

COMMITTEE HAD MINIATURE BLOOMERS PINNED TO GOWNS.

A Literary Programme Was Rendered During the Evening—Included Musical Selections and Recitations—A Short Comedy, "No Cure, No Pay," Formed a Good Part of the Entertainment.

Last evening in K. of P. rooms, Washington Hall, Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, gave a "Bloomer" social, together with a literary and musical entertainment. Despite the very stormy night there was a large crowd present and the entire programme was given in a manner that pleased all.

The programme opened with an orchestral selection by Miss Laura Radin, Bert Naylor and Chris. Sorensen. This was followed with recitations by Miss Hallard, Miss Bird, Miss Westphal and Mary Radford. There were vocal and instrumental solos by Miss Lillie Duckworth, and violin solos by Miss Hickey and Master Guttman. A feature of the programme was the mandolin and guitar selections by Arthur Sherman and James Hallard. A pleasing number was the piano duet by Miss Kinzey and Miss Laura Radin.

The last part of the programme was devoted to a comical sketch entitled, "No Cure, No Pay," which produced a great deal of laughter. Those who took part were Mrs. Westphal, Mrs. Cox, Miss Teller, Miss Try Mattox, Miss Radin and Miss Higgins. Each one took his or her part in a very efficient manner.

At the close of the entertainment there was a drawing for a handsome quilt made by the members of the lodge and bearing their names. The chances were sold for ten cents each and brought in $17 40 net. Miss Lillie Duckworth drew the ticket bearing the lucky number. It was held by Mrs. Wm. Claassen, a member of the lodge.

After this part of the affair all were invited to the banquet room, where refreshments were served by the committee in charge consisting of Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. McComas, Mrs. Chamberlain and Mrs. Higgins. Here is where the bloomer part of the event appeared. Each member of the committee had fastened to her dress a minature pair of bloomers, and it was announced that they would serve refreshments in bloomers.

MURRAY HAS EIGHT ON HIS SIDE.

Plainfield Assemblyman's Contention Not Well Supported.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Nov. 30.—The attendance of politicians at the State House was light yesterday. The newly furnished executive chamber was thrown open for public inspection and its rich appearance was much admired.

Acting-Governor Watkins was on hand early, but only matters of minor importance claimed his attention. Assemblyman-elect Murray, of Union, was one of the few members of the next Legislature on hand. He announced that he had eight votes against Watkins' re-election as Speaker of the House, but the statement was scarcely credited as one that would hold good until caucus time.

Assemblyman-elect Wood McKee, of Passaic, was also here. His friends are urging him for the leadership on the floor of the House. He says his presence at home every night during the session excepting Monday nights is necessary, owing to pressure of business, and unless he can leave Trenton in time to get home at a reasonable hour at night he cannot accept the honor.

Senators Reed and Johnson came on to attend the meeting of the State Board of Canvassers. They are both in the race for the presidency of the Senate, but did not discuss their prospects. No representatives of Essex county were seen yesterday. Their conspicuous absence occasioned a remark to the effect that the county was quite certain that it would get what it was asking for, and that it was needless now to agitate any matters in which the county was interested.

A Plucky Driver.

An unknown young man was thrown out of a sleigh on Somerset street this noon and was dragged a considerable distance. The driver held fast to the reins and finally managed to get control of the horse. No damage resulted.

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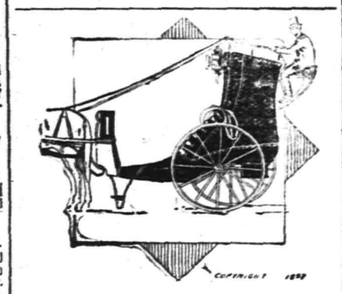

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THE DAWN OF PEACE

How the Situation Appears from the Spanish Standpoint.

ANXIOUS TO END LABORS

Points Remaining to Be Settled. Secretaries of the Commissions Formulating the Articles of the Treaty. Topics for Discussion at To-days Joint Session.

Paris Nov. 30.—The American demand, accepted by Spain at Monday's session of the peace commission, implied undoubtedly an ultimatum.

The Spanish reply uses the word harsh (dura) and says that they yield not in principle, but in fact to save Spain from the greatest trouble.

The Gaulois, after an inspired statement of the Spanish side, admits that the solution as made is practically the best for Spain, Europe, and the former Spanish colonies.

It says that the decision does not involve an immediate signing of the entire treaty, but an agreement on the single clause respecting the Philippines, and that other points to safeguard the existing commerce of Spain, as promised by the Americans, and some financial questions remain to be settled.

A competent authority considers that ten more days will be reasonably sufficient to conclude the treaty.

The Americans have not mentioned the purchase of the entire group of the Carolines.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The secretaries of the two peace commissions, Messrs. Moore and Ojeda, began their joint task of formulating the articles of the peace treaty late yesterday afternoon, as directed by their respective commissions.

This work will be easy and rapid as far as the relinquishment and cessions referred to in the protocol are concerned. The terms of the protocol will be transferred bodily to the treaty.

The secretaries, moreover, will embody in tentative articles, for discussion to-day, the subjects of the religious freedom of the Caroline islands, a naval station for the United States in the same group, cable landing rights at other points within Spain's jurisdiction, the release of the insurrectionist prisoners and the revival of the treaties broken by the war.

On all the points outside of the protocol and its now settled interpretation there will be friendly negotiation Spain having the right to name the prices she wants for her territory and to reject or accept the American offers. The Spaniards, no less than the Americans, are now anxious to conclude the business which brought them here.

The commercial and general treaty of 1785 will be revived, to be recast later; the treaty of 1834, for the settlement of certain claims, will be revived, the Cushing protocol of 1877, providing for extradition, will be revived; the trade mark treaty of 1882 and the supplemental extradition treaty of 1882 will also be revived, inaddition to several modus-vivendi agreements.

It is expected that the secretaries will submit the treaty articles at the joint session to-day, when all the other points for negotiation will be discussed.

The Soleil reviews the situation at length, and says: "Probably the greatest difficulty the United States has before her will be the strong differences of opinion in the Senate and House on the question of territorial expansion."

Threatened Impeachment of Gov. Russell.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 30.—Whether Governor Russell will be impeached by the overwhelming Democratic majority in the incoming legislature may depend, Democratic politicians say, on how the governor acts in the meantime.

He is asked by the Republican politicians to refuse to furnish certificates of election to Bellamy, the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Sixth (Wilmington) district, and to other Democratic representatives-elect, in order thereby to strengthen the contests which the Republican candidates contemplate making.

Other reasons than fear of impeachment may influence the governor in this matter.

The Republican nominee in the Sixth district is Oliver H. Dockery, whom Russell defeated in the contest for governor in the Republican convention two years ago, and who is the governor's most bitter political enemy.

The Democrats, therefore, anticipate that Russell will do nothing to aid Dockery.

Mrs. Cody's Trial.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Margaret Cody's trial on the indictment for blackmail was begun in the Albany county court before Judge Gregory yesterday.

Mrs. Cody has been in the county jail since May, having been indicted on the charge of blackmail.

It is alleged in the indictment that she wrote letters to Miss Helen Gould and George Gould on February 11 and March 9, 1890, respectively, asking them to call on her and promising that she would give valuable information to enable them to effect a compromise or discontinuance of the action then pending against the heirs of the late Jay Gould, to establish the dower rights of Mrs. Angell to that estate on the grounds that she was the first wife of Jay Gould.

Miss Helen Gould, with her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Palm, was present at the trial yesterday.

The entire morning session was devoted to the selection of the jury to try the case.

Tidal Wave at Trieste.

London, Nov. 30.—The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the following:

"On Sunday Trieste and vicinity were flooded by a tremendous tidal wave, which did considerable damage to property and ships and caused the loss of many lives.

"There was a violent earthquake throughout the southern provinces of Austria. From various causes no fewer than twenty-eight lives, it is reported, were lost."

POST OFFICE ECONOMICS.

A Determined Movement for Consolidation.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Postmaster General Smith has buckled on his armor for a fight for the repeal of the Gorman amendment to the post-office appropriation bill for 1897, prohibiting the consolidation of smaller postoffices with the large ones about which they are grouped, if the consolidation would affect the independence of a county seat.

The present administration set out with a determination to consolidate, if possible, the suburban offices surrounding every large city with the main office in that city.

In Greater New York, for instance, a saving of nearly $63,000 a year has been figured out as the result of combining all the offices under one head; and this would be the saving in salaries and commissions alone, and leaves out of account a score of minor economies which would go to swell the sum.

The present law makes it impossible to do anything, because the county seats of Kings and Richmond counties would be affected.

Boston presents a case of another large city, several of whose most important suburbs are beyond her county line.

And all the proposed changes are held up because Senator Gorman wished to spite Postmaster Warfield of Baltimore, who belonged to another faction of the Democratic party from himself, and was a prominent member of the Maryland Civil Service Reform Association.

Gorman was backed by every old-fashioned man in the Senate who objected to changing the village postoffice from a club and meeting place for the neighboring farmers into a mere business machine, as well as by most of the enemies of the merit system of appointment to government office.

A large part of the money now spent in an attempt to build up a system of rural free delivery could be turned to better account, in the estimation of some of the experts of the department here, by improving free delivery where it is already established and where a more pressing need for it seems to exist.

The extension of the system would, they think, work itself out normally by a process of consolidation applied in the districts surrounding the great cities, these districts being widened from time to time to take in more outlying postoffices. The successive widenings of the districts would, in the ordinary course of events, and as the population of the country increased, bring the boundaries of the several districts near to or against each other, so that eventually free delivery would exist everywhere at a much lower cost and with much less friction than if established sporadically here and there under the present hap-hazard practice.

Another thing which the postmaster general will use his utmost efforts to promote will be the increase rather than the decrease of free delivery facilities in the more densely populated parts of the great cities.

He is looking forward with much hope to the effect of the tour of the commission appointed just before the close of the last session of Congress to investigate the workings of the postal system.

Personal examination is so much more convincing than any argument, that he believes the members of the commission must have satisfied themselves, when inspecting the business districts of three or four of the great cities, that it would be quite out of the question to cut down the present number of deliveries and collections.

The estimates sent in on the first day of the coming session will contain an item for a considerable increase in the appropriation for the free delivery service, at which there is fair reason for hoping that neither house will balk.

Choate at the White House.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—Mr. Joseph H. Choate of New York called upon the president yesterday, and his visit naturally gave rise to much speculation as to the vacant ambassadorship.

He was accompanied by Attorney General Griggs and remained with the president about fifteen minutes.

White House officials represent this as merely an act of courtesy, since Mr. Choate was in Washington conducting a case at the supreme court. They say that had he not called upon the president it would have been more worthy of remark.

The opinion prevails, however, that Mr. Choate stands a good chance of being sent to England.

Union Pacific Land Case.

St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 30.—The Union Trust Company of New York has made application in the United States court for a decree of mortgage foreclosure in its land case against the Union Pacific Railroad Company and the receivers.

The case involves $1,500,000 and title to the lands granted to the Union Pacific in Nebraska, Colorado, Utah and other western states.

The interest for two years is now due and unpaid.

The Waring Memoral Fund.

New York, Nov. 30.—The memorial fund that is being raised for the support of the widow and daughter of the late Colonel George E. Waring, Jr., has reached $52,328.

The largest contribution in the latest list announced by ex-Mayor Strong, the treasurer of the fund, is from John D. Rockefeller, who gave five thousand dollars.

Big Natural Gas Strike.

Santa Barbara, Cal., Nov. 30.—While boring for oil on Summerland Beach a marvelous flow of natural gas has been struck, throwing sand and rocks a number of feet into the air.

It is pronounced the biggest strike of natural gas that has ever been made in the West.

Count Esterhazy to Visit Us.

Paris, Nov. 30.—A dispatch from Brussels to the Journal reaffirms the report that Major Count Esterhazy has sailed for the United States.

This dispatch asserts that he embarked at Rotterdam.

GOLDEN JUBILEE WEEK

The Ruler of Austro-Hungary an Emperor for Fifty Years.

OLDEST MONARCH BUT ONE

Francis Joseph Now 68 Years Old Has Ruled for Half a Century. The Succession to the Crown is Uncertain. Program for the Celebration Has Been Considerably Modified Owing to to Death of the Empress.

Vienna, Nov. 30.—The golden jubilee of Kaiser Francis Joseph of Austro-Hungary, now in progress, ends with a great celebration December 2, the anniversary of the accession to the Austrian throne. He was not crowned King of Hungary until June 8, 1867. The assassination of the Empress Elizabeth has made necessary a modification of the programme and it will not have the international character which was originally designed for it.

The Emperor Francis Joseph is 69 years old. His sorrows have been numerous. The events of his reign include rebellion against authority, disastrous wars, and the loss of rich provinces.

Among his personal afflictions are the loss of his wife, of his only son and heir, and of the brother who, in the order of succession, stood next to his son. All of these met a tragic death. The succession to the crown is in an unsatisfactory condition. The heir presumptive, a nephew of the emperor, is physically and mentally ill qualified for the throne.

There has been some talk in relation to a possible second marriage of the emperor, but in view of his advanced age, this seems to be gossip without any foundation.

The emperor has two daughters and a grandchild who is a daughter of his son, the late crown prince. But the female line cannot succeed to the Austro-Hungarian crowns while representatives of the male line survive.

On December 2, 1842, Francis Joseph, the present emperor of Austria, king of Hungary and king of Bohemia, though he has never been crowned as such, succeeded Ferdinand IV, who abdicated, and his coronation took place in Vienna.

Austrian monarchs with a record of fifty years upon the throne are rare in history. Indeed there has been only one other such since the founder of the house of Hapsburg, Rudolph I, ascended what was then the throne of Austria and of ermany as well in 1279 more than six centuries ago.

Rudolph of Hapsburg reigned only thirteen years, and the one Austrian or Austro-Hungarian monarch in the long line between Rudolph and Francis Joseph who ruled for more than fifty years was Frederick IV. He was known as the Pacific (possibly the attribute of placidity accounted for his long reign), and ascended the throne in 1439 and retained it until 1493.

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The condition of affairs in Austro-Hungary at present is not propitious for a very hearty celebration of any political anniversary commemorative of the events of fifty years ago. These were somewhat exciting. An insurrection in Vienna began on March 13. An insurrection against the power of Austria among the Italian speaking subjects of the emperor began one week later; an uprising against the emperor caused his flight to the Tyrol in May; an insurrection among the Bohemians against the power of the emperor of Austria began in June, in the city of Prague, and in the autumn of the same year the Hungarian rebellion against the power of the Vienna government and the establishment of the Hungarian national government under Kossuth, took place in September.

With one exception Francis Joseph is now the senior of European monarchs in length of reign, the exception being Queen Victoria, who ascended the throne in 1837. Francis Joseph was 18 when he ascended the throne.

Czar Reassures Sultan.

Constantinople, Nov. 30.—The czar of Russia, replying to the sultan's telegram of November 26, in which the latter urged the czar to abandon his intention of sending Prince George of Greece to Crete as high commissioner of the powers, declares that the friendly sentiments of Russia toward Turkey are unchanged, and while Prince George is going to Crete as commissioner of four powers, the sultan's rights of sovereignty will be safeguarded.

The Nevada Senatorship.

San Francisco, Cay., Nov. 30.—A dispatch to the Examiner from Virginia City, Nevada, says that W. E. Sharon has announced that Representative Frank G. Newlands will be a candidate for United States senator to succeed Senator Stewart.

War Board in Boston.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 30.—The war investigation commission began its hearings in this city yesterday. The first witness called was Leonard W. Johnson, who signed a contract as nurse on August 29.

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ANTI-ANARCHIST CONGRESS

M. de Nelidoff the Central Figure of the Conference at Rome.

Rome, Nov. 30.—The actual work of the anti-Anarchist congress has now begun, and it is noticeable that it takes place during the jubilee of the Austrian kaiser, the assassination of whose wife brought about this conference.

The striking character of the anti-Anarchist conference, though not its presiding official, which will be Admiral Canevaro of Italy, is M. de Nelidoff, Russia's representative. He is the greatest diplomat Russia has had since De Giers, and it was his masterful policy which has practically controlled the affairs of the Turk until recently. His hand has also been apparent in the far East, although more recently internal affairs have demanded his attention. Whatever united action as against Anarchists is taken up by this conference will undoubtedly receive its stimulus from M. de Nelidoff.

M. DE NELIDOFF.

One of the questions to be decided is: Shall Anarchists be extradited or expelled simply as Anarchists, without having committed any overt act? And shall a state have the right simply to drive them out or must it deliver them in custody to the state of their origin? Upon these and some cognate questions there will doubtless be much variance of opinion and more debate than upon all the rest.

Another question will be the prevention of Anarchist propaganda and the surreptitious circulation of Anarchist literature, and the fourth will be like unto it, namely the prevention of morbid publicity of the doings, sayings and characteristics of Anarchists.

These two will not be passed without some debate, since they affect directly freedom of speech and the liberty of the press. Finally the conference will consider the best forms of punishment to be inflicted upon Anarchists guilty of overt acts of criminality. There has been some dissatisfaction expressed because the murderer of the Empress of Austria is imprisoned for life, and not put to death. There is, however, a widespread notion that silence and oblivion, such as rigorous life imprisonment assures, might, and probably would, be more powerfully deterrent to Anarchists than the scaffold, which gives them opportunity to poge as martyrs.

Pay for Spaniards in Cuba.

Havana, Nov. 30.—Colonel Pagliery, until recently chief of police, will accompany Marshal Blanco to Spain as his aide de camp. On Saturday last Pagliery resigned his office in favor of Domingo Martinez Gonzales, the former inspector.

The treasury here has received cable transfers from Madrid amounting to 1,840,000 pesos (nearly $1,700,000), to be applied to military and civil requirements and back pay. The civil employes received one month's pay yesterday.

Marshal Blanco yesterday gave $500 from his private purse to the Reina Mercedes Hospital.

Upon the completion of the evacuation of Pinar del Rio the Havana division of the Spanish army will embark.

The first troops to go on board the transports will be General Valderraya's brigade, then General Tejeda's division, next General Fernal's division, whose headquarters are at Cardenas, and then General Molina's division at Matanzas.

The evacuation will be ended with the embarkation of the Las Villas division under command of General Aguerre.

Aguinaldo Has Rivals.

Manila, Nov. 30.—It is reported that a section of the insurgents, called the Guards of Honor, who are opposed to Aguinaldo, have captured San Ignacio, in the province of Pangasinan, island of Luzon, at the instance of the Spanish priests.

Advices from Iloilo say the natives of the Visaya islands have established a republic, independent of Luzon. In some of the islands hostilities are proceeding between rival republics.

At the Loyal Legion banquet here Monday evening there were sixty-four guests present. Nearly every commandery was represented.

General Anderson presided and Rear Admiral Dewey was received by a guard of honor from the Oregonians. The speakers were Generals Anderson, Harrison, Grey, Otis, Reeve, King and MacArthur, Captains Glass and Coghlan and Colonel Hawkins.

Gen. Brooke Coming Home.

San Juan de Porto Rico, Nov. 30.—Major General John R. Brooke, who is about to retire from the command of the department of Porto Rico, will return to the United States by the first steamer available.

He will be succeeded by Brigadier General Guy V. Henry, who is in turn succeeded at Ponce by Colonel John B. Castleman.

A Wreck at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—An unknown four-masted vessel is ashore at Herring Cove, entrance to this harbor.

One body has washed ashore. The vessel is fore and aft rigged. All on board have perished.

Magowan Placed in Jail.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 30.—Ex-Mayor Magowan of Trenton, N. J., and his wife have arrived here in the custody of a detective.

The couple have been placed in the county jail.

THE PORTLAND LOST

All Her Passengers and Crew Are Drowned.

OTHER DISASTERS OCCUR

Nearly One Hundred Lives Lost. The Steamer Foundered on Sunday Morning During the Storm Off Highland Light, Cape Cod.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 30.—A report brought here by messenger to the Herald from North Turo, says that the steamer Portland of the Portland Steamship Company, plying between Boston and Portland, was totally wrecked at ten o'clock on Sunday morning off Highland Light, Cape Cod, Mass., during the storm.

The passengers and crew, numbering all told, according to the lists furnished here, nearly one hundred persons, perished within a short distance of land.

A large quantity of wreckage, including trunks and other material, has come ashore, and thirty-four bodies have been recovered from the surf by the life saving crew at High Head station. One body was that of a woman.

The news of the disaster was brought to the Herald by a special train, as communication with Boston by wire from points on Cape Cod is impossible on account of the havoc wrought by the storm.

The first body was found by Gideon Bouley, a surfman at the station, who at once gave the alarm. Then a thorough search was made. The bodies saved were evidently those of passengers. The body of the woman was well dressed.

It is thought here that the Portland encountered the storm outside the harbor Saturday night, causing her to break down, and finally to drift on to the lee shore at Cape Cod of her own destruction.

The Portland was built in Bath in 1890, and was a side wheel steamer of 1,317 tons net burden. Her length was 230 feet; beam, 42; depth, 13 feet. She was valued at $250,000, and is fully insured.

Other Storm Disasters.

Boston, Nov. 30.—From reports that have come by wire, mail and messenger, from New England points, it is difficult to estimate the total loss of life and property along this coast, as the result of the recent storm.

The list of disasters seems to grow every hour, and from dispatches thus far received it appears that at least thirty schooners have been wrecked at different points from Eastport, Me., to New Haven, Conn.; eighty-six schooners have been driven ashore; fourteen barges, loaded or empty, are aground, besides a large number of smaller craft.

This list does not include the thirty vessels either wholly or partially destroyed in Boston harbor, nor half a dozen or more craft which are reported missing including the Boston and Portland steamer Portland, nor the big Wilson line freighter Ohio, which is ashore on Spectacle island in this harbor; the steamer John J. Hill, which is ashore at Atlantic; the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation steamer Fairfax, on Sow and Pigs ledge, off Cuttyhunk; nor the small steamer George A. Chaffee, foundered at Rockport, Mass.

When these are added the aggregate list exceeds one hundred and seventy craft.

The loss of life is equally hard to determine. It is known that about forty persons perished in and about Boston harbor. Reports from other places in some cases say that the crew of this or that vessel escaped; many, however, say that the fate of the crew is unknown.

Some survivors have turned up at life saving stations, and incoming vessels have brought a few sailors from wrecks.

Storm Ravages Italian Coast.

Rome, Nov. 30.—The whole Italian coast line has been swept by a terrific storm, which has caused the greatest damage everywhere, havoc having been wrought by both wind and sea.

Suezzia, Genoa, and Messina have suffered greatly and most of the Sardinian fortifications have been seriously damaged.

Hundreds of vessels have been wrecked and many lives have been lost.

Fortifications Damaged.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 30.—The recent storm did considerable damage to the government fortification works on Gardiner's Point, at the entrance of Long Island Sound, washing away a part of the wall.

The government will now rush work upon the fortifications, so as to get them ready as soon as possible beyond storm damage.

To Seek Gold in Cuba.

Wichita, Kansas, Nov. 30.—Dr. J. W. Longford and twelve of Roosevelt's Rough Riders have gone to San Juan Hill, Cuba, to prospect for gold.

Dr. Longford says that he thinks Cuba is one of the best prospecting countries in the world, and he expects to locate a claim on San Juan Hill that a company will be able to work at a large profit.

Rough Riders' Muster Roll.

Prescott, Arizona, Nov. 30.—The muster roll of Roosevelt's Rough Riders' Association has been formally opened here and has met with a response from every member present.

Numerous telegrams were received. Colonel A. O. Brodie is president and Lieutenant J. D. Carter secretary of the organization.

Plans of Don Carlos.

Madrid, Nov. 30.—The Heraldo publishes a dispatch saying:

"Don Carlos will not publish a manifesto until the ratification of the peace treaty by the Chambers."

The Heraldo expresses the belief that the Spanish government does not know the whereabouts of Don Jaime, the son of Don Carlos.

MOVEMENTS OF TROOPS.

About 16,000 Enlisted Men Now in the Vicinity of Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Nov. 30.—The entire Second United States artillery regiment with the exception of the two light batteries, A and F, is now in camp near Savannah.

Six batteries, under command of Lieutenant Colonel W. T. Haskin, are here attached to the Seventh Army Corps, and the Third Georgia make about ten thousand enlisted men now stationed in and around about this city.

This is the first time that the entire Second artillery has been in camp together since the civil war.

Ever since 1866, or soon thereafter, it has been scattered all along the coast from Portland, Maine, to Virginia.

Troops Leaving the Knoxville Camp.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 30.—The headquarters of the old Second division, First Corps, which has been here since August 27, will be broken to-day and go to Macon.

Only two regiments remain here at present.

The Thirty-first Michigan and the Sixth Ohio are under orders to be ready for departure to Cuba, but orders to marc hhave not yet been received.

Owing to a conflict of orders the Fourth Tennessee did not get away until late Monday night. It will have to wait several days in Savannah for transportation.

Major David Hemphill, chief quartermaster of the division, has been relieved from duty.

First Tennessee at Manila.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—The war department has received the following dispatch from General Otis, dated at Manila yesterday:

"The transport Zealandia, with headquarters and seven companies of the First Tennessee, arrived this morning. No casualties."

AN OPEN DOOR FOR CUBA.

New Tariff Rate to be Issued Soon.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 30.—The Cuban tariff will be issued in a day or two. It will be based upon the old Spanish tariffs, and modified with some reference to our own Dingley law.

This tariff will apply equally against ourselves and the rest of the world It is an open door.

If the Teller resolution is maintained this tariff is likely to be of more importance than any other of our colonial tariffs. It will apply to the island presumably until complete civil government is again established, and when that time comes, unless we annex the island, somebody else will make the tariff. If we keep faith this will be our last Cuban tariff.

Most of the revenues of the island have been derived from customs duties on food products. Under the Spanish regime $35,000,000 out of a total of $61,000,000 came from food.

Our duties will be considerably lower than the old Spanish maximum rates, and in general will resemble our own Dingley tariff duties on foods, about 25 per cent.

There is an element of illusion, however, in comparing such a schedule with our own, since we import almost no grains or meats, and so the home prices are in no way influenced by our tariff.

The Government of Crete.

Constantinople, Nov. 30.—The czar of Russia, replying to the sultan's telegram of November 26, urging the czar to abandon his intention of sending Prince George of Greece to Crete as high commissioner of the powers, declares that the friendly sentiments of Russia towards Turkey are unchanged, and while Prince George is going to Crete as commissioner of four powers, the sultan's rights of sovereignty will be safeguarded.

Bits of News.

Fire destroyed one hundred thousand dollars' worth of business property in Camden N. J., yesterday.

The trustees of Wellesley College announce a gift of fifty thousand dollars from the late Charles T. Wilder.

The president has appointed Edgar Allen to be United States attorney for the eastern district of Virginia.

Naval Constructor Hobson recently refused an offer of fifty thousand dollars from a lecture bureau for a stated number of lectures during this season.

The sealing schooner Otto, which was seized for hunting within the proscribed area, has been fined two hundred pounds in the admiralty court of Vancouver, B. C.

The Carlton Club of London has offered to return to the Hooley estate the ten thousand pounds which Ernest Terah Hooley, the bankrupt, contributed some time ago to the funds of the Conservative party.

General Hernandez Velasco, with two thousand troops, has evacuated the city and province of Pinar del Rio. They left the city for Havana with bands playing and banners flying. Half an hour afterward a Cuban lieutenant colonel, with two hundred and fifty men, entered the city.

The receipts from internal revenue for the month of October were 21,735,807, an increase of $7,699,276 over the same month of last year. For the four months ended October 31, the receipts aggregated $93,725,285, an increase of $35,896,117 over the similar period in 1897.

The battleship Wisconsin, when she was launched at the Union Iron Works at San Francisco on Saturday, shot from the ways with such speed that she went into the mud flats beyond. It has been impossible to pull her off, and the company has decided to use dredges and construct a channel all around the hull of the ship and out to deep water.

A man who gives the name of Henry Williams has been arrested at Fulham, England, for the robbery of the Dowager Duchess of Sutherland's jewels, valued at between twenty thousand and thirty thousand pounds, in Paris, about the middle of October. A quantity of the stolen property was found in his possession. Another man has been arrested on suspicion of complicity.

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COMING EVENTS.

November 30—Sociable at Seventh-Day Baptist Church.
December 1—Tea in guild rooms of Grace P. E. Church, 5 to 6 o'clock.
December 1—Regular meeting of the W.C.T.U.
December 1—Sociable at the First M. E. parsonage.
December 1—Entertainment at Grace M. E. Church.
December 2—Meeting of the Borough Council.
December 2—Business meeting of Epworth League of Grace M. E. church.
December 2—Marie Wainwright in "Shall We Forgive Her?" at Music Hall.
December 4—J. B. MacClaren, of New York, will speak, and Evangelist Tom Graham and the male choir will sing, at the Y. M. C. A. meeting at 4:15 p.m.
December 5—Regular meeting of Common Council.
December 5—Regular meeting of Plainfield Board of Education.
December 5—Opening of Sons of Veterans fair
December 6—University Extension lecture at Y. M. C. A. Hall.
December 6—Pastor's reception at Park Avenue Baptist church.

NOMINATIONS.

Republican Ticket.	Citizens' Ticket.
For Mayor. George W. Rockfellow.	For Mayor. Fred C. Lounsbury, R.
For Collector. James A. Martin.	For Collector. Arthur T. Gallup, D.
For City Judge. William N. Runyon.	For City Judge. W. S. Angleman, R.
For School Trustee. Rev. W. R. Richards.	For School Trustee. Charles C. Burnet, D.
For Councilmen.	For Councilmen.
First Ward. Ralph I. Tolles.	First Ward. J. C. Blum, D.
Second Ward. George P. Mellick.	Second Ward. J. B. Mills, R.
Third Ward. B. Frank Coriell.	Third Ward. George V. W. Moy, R.
Fourth Ward. Frank H. Smith.	Fourth Ward. James W. Davis, D.

Mayor Wilson's Methods.

North Plainfield is particularly favored at present with a good Mayor. Not that Mayor Wilson's predecessors were not up to the standard set by the present chief executive of the borough, for North Plainfield has had a number of very satisfactory officers at the head of her government. Mayor Wilson has introduced some new methods, however, that have not hitherto prevailed. His Honor is a great believer in the power of moral suasion, and he often uses it when other men might exert their official power. His methods have, however, met with a wonderful degree of success.

The Mayor's latest achievement is in ridding the borough of several gambling dens. Now it is exceedingly difficult to detect these haunts as the police of every city in the country has found. Evidence, it is next to impossible to secure. Now within the confines of the borough there were three places where the youth of the community gathered and risked their money in an exciting game of chance. The Mayor was positive they were there and yet lacked the necessary proof, if he had wanted to, to bring the offenders to justice. Instead, he tried the strength of moral suasion. He approached the proprietors of the places and placed the case very plainly before them. He also talked to the men that haunted the dens. His persuasion had its effect. Two of the gambling dens were closed up and the usual habitues regarded the Mayor's injunctions. The remaining resort will probably soon follow the example of the others, and the borough will then be free from such disgrace. Under the circumstances, who can say that Mayor Wilson's methods are not a success.

Divided Against Itself.

The Union County Country Club stands divided against itself this year While the club itself has never taken any stand in politics, most of the members have been Republicans and many were prominent in party politics. This year Mayor Fisk and his friends are working for the interest of the Republican ticket, while the secretary of the club is on the Citizens' ticket as candidate for School Trustee.

The artillery section of the Citizens' movement has been preparing the ammunition for its guns and will open up on the Republican party again this evening in the Fourth ward.

Of course it's all right to ride a wheel whenever you want to, but it does look rather unseasonable to go spinning along with ten inches of snow on the ground.

The straw ride is as popular as ever this year. There has also been a wonderful demand for tin horns in this city during the last few days.

Those who have been in New York city since the snow storm have discovered just how dirty and sloppy a place it can be.

The country hasn't quite recovered from the effects of the blizzard of Saturday and Sunday yet.

DR. NANCY GUILFORD.

Charged with causing the death of Emma Gill, of Southington, Conn., Dr. Nancy Guilford is incarcerated in the jail at Bridgeport. She has been indicted for murder in the second degree. She disappeared on the day that the body of Emma Gill was found, but was recently taken in London and brought back to this country.

WHAT THE SHEARS FIND.

Editorial Comment From Other Papers of Interest in Plainfield.

Among the candidates on the Plainfield city Republican ticket is William N. Runyon, he of the cultivated and powerful baritone voice, which has so often contributed to the success of State dinners, conventions, etc., held by the Republicans of Union county. Runyon is an ex Councilman and now seeks to be City Judge. He will doubtless be elected, and offenders who come before him will be made to sing doleful melodies.—Elizabeth Journal.

CLAIMS HE IS STARVING

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ment.

David McClure, counsel for the Trust Company, said Motimer had received $700 since October 1st, and the injunction obtained by a creditor prevented the payment of more. He said Mortimer had admitted that he could live on $900 a year and could not now insist that he needed the entire income.

He declared patience and ceased to be a virtue, and the trustee would treat Mortimer as a child, paying only his living expenses and with the balance see that the creditors were protected. Mr. McClure asserted that while the company was anxious to be relieved of the trusteeship, it would not withdraw under fire but would fight the matter to the end.

WILL WEIGH 150 TONS.

Giant Scales Just Installed in Government Gunshops in Washington.

Everybody is perhaps aware that the large scales upon which the entire freight cars with their loads of many tons are weighed, are considered immense, but with all their immensity Uncle Sam has gone all the railroads in the country one point better by installing at the navy yard one of the largest pair of scales in the country. This machine can outweigh the largest railroad machine by fifty tons, and its results must be accurate to a pound, while railroad scales are considered good if they approach anywhere near fifty pounds of being correct. The scales are forty-eight feet long and twelve feet wide and rest upon cement base built upon long piles. The cost was about $1,200. Much of its fine and sensitive balancing apparatus was manufactured for special use in the new machine, and the completed structure is considered a model and marvel of modern mechanism and American ingenuity.

The capacity of the new scales is 150 tons, or double the capacity of the old scales. A thirteen-inch gun weighs about fifty-five tons, and it may be readily seen that the scales can weigh two of the monsters, reclining on a forty-eight foot car track, and not tax its capacity to any great extent.—Washington Times.

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THE AMUSEMENT WORLD.

CURRENT ATTRACTIONS THAT PLAINFIELDERS MAY WITNESS.

Local and Metropolitan Performances That Will Please Those Who Delight in the Art of Thespis and Mimic World.

Miss Marie Wainwright will appear at Music Hall Friday night in 'Shall We Forgive Her.', The play is described as a domestic drama of exceptional strength. The principal scenes are laid in England, although the story of the play begins in Australia. Perhaps the most important feature of the engagement in this city will be the appearance of Miss Marie Wainwright in the leading role. Miss Wainwright has for years been identified with the high-class comedies. She has starred in them and has established herself pretty firmly throughout the country as an actress of ripe ability and rare intelligence. She is also an attractive woman. Her impersonation of the chief role in "Shall We Forgive Her" is quite certain to be an admirable one, for whatever Miss Wainwright has done heretofore she has done well. Her appearance, therefore, in the cast gives assurance of an artistic performance. There are few better emotional actresses in the country than Miss Wainwright.

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Washburn's Minstrels, the largest double minstrel company in the United States, two complete black and white organizations, make their annual appearance at Music Hall next Monday night, greater and bigger than ever. There are lots of new features this season, and some of the most noted people in the profession are now members of Mr. Washburn's mammoth enterprise, notably Lew Benedict, whose fame as a minstrel king is universal. He is the leading white comedian of the company, and will be seen at his best.

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Liebler & Co., the managers of Miss Viola Allen in "The Christian," have made a contract with Israel Zangwill, the noted Hebrew writer, to produce his forthcoming play, "Children of the Ghetto," founded on his widely read novel of the same title. This is the result of negotiations extending over one year, which were only completed on Mr. Zangwill's arrival in this country for his present lecturing tour. Mr. Zangwill is to have the play completed next April. It will be presented at a Broadway theatre in October, 1899. The piece will be a distinct novelty, dealing entirely with Hebrew types of character. The story will be entirely on comedy lines and will, it is predicted, prove as strong an attraction as "The Christian."

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Some of the members of James K. Hackett's Company who will appear with that star in the production of "Rupert of Hentzau" in this city are Mabel Amber, Mr. Hackett's leading lady; George Alison, Mrs. Owen Marlowe, Miriam Nesbit, E. W. Thomas, Gertrude Rivers, Longley Taylor, William Eville, Arthur Hoops and Henry Motto. Daniel Frohman, who is directing Mr. Hackett's tour, personally selected the company, several of its members being culled from the famous Lyceum Stock Company from New York.

—The work in the shops at Garwood is a little slack and some of the men have been laid off.

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Heavy Twilled Crash - 3c yd
8c Outing Flannel - 5½c yd
Fast-black Umbrellas, warranted, - - 25c ea

Above prices are for Thursday only and SPOT CASH.

NEW ARRIVALS.

Holiday Handkerchiefs, embroidered goods, - 10c to $1.25 ea
Lace Edge Point-de-venise $198, $2 25, $2.48
" Oriental - 75c, 89c, 98c to $2.48
" Applique - 56c
" Valencienne 25c to $1.25

Variety is very large, styles exquisite, prices reasonable. Holiday Calenders 15c. to $1.25; every one a work of art. Some extremely dainty booklets that are very desirable. They are inexpensive.

Christmas Tree Ornaments

WE were fortunate enough to secure a sample line sent from France to an importer who does not sell them. He was glad to have us take them off his hands at a low price and we were equally glad to get them. The designs are unique and cannot be duplicated in America. There are several hundred styles, no two alike. Select them now to get the most desirable ones.

PRICES 3c. TO 25c.

We would remind you again of our LACE CURTAINS. The line includes some dainty ruffled curtains at 98c., $1.48, $1.65 and $1 98 per pair.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

Positively the newest things in furs. Muffs, collarettes, shoulder capes, boas and sets in sable fox, red fox, brown oppossum, imitation stone marten, electric seal, French seal, Chinchilla monkey, etc. Some charming little sets for misses and children

A WORD OF ADVICE—Select your Holiday goods now. Toys are going rapidly. The best things will go first. There will be no duplicates. Make your choice now and avoid the crush which precedes Christmas.

Down Stairs.

Splendid steel snow shovels, very strong, very light at 25c.
All our 35c brooms at 25c All our 25c brooms at 19c
All our sleds at very low prices to close. 4 knee sleds 20c. each.

PRICES FOR TOMORROW AND SPOT CASH.

WOODHULL & MARTIN,

234-236-238 W. Front St.

HERE ARE A FEW

COLD WEATHER GOODS THAT MAY INTEREST YOU

Fine Merino Underwear AT PECK'S

Cashmere Hose, Gloves and Mittens AT PECK'S

Leggins, French and Scotch Flannels.

TAKE THE TROLLEY TO

LINCOLN

Your eyes won't deceive you at the sights you will see, your judgment will tell you what to do.

SILAS DEWEY DRAKE, President and Manager.

Special Announcement.

Having made sweeping reductions in all our ready-made

CLOTHING

we shall hereafter conduct that branch of our business to a strictly spot cash basis. No garment to leave the store until paid for. All goods not satisfactory can be returned and the money cheerfully refunded.

SEBRING, 202 W. FRONT ST.

Clothing, Tailoring and Furnishings.

BLANKETS and COMFORTABLES. Reduced Prices.

We are going to allow a discount of 10 per cent this week on the entire stock of Blankets and Comfortables. The greatest stock of good blankets in the country. Prices start at $2 for Wool Blankets, $3.45 for Pure Wool Blankets, and go as high as $10 a pair. Some Cotton Blankets as low as 39c a pair. Comfortables from 49c to $3.50. All these come under the 10 per cent discount this week.

THE CLOAKS.

We have just received a new assortment of Women's and Misses' Coats, comprising a selection of the fashionable shades, blues, greens, browns, tans, from the best maker in New York. Perfection of styles, fit and workmanship and prices much lower than earlier in the season.
The Women's Coats start at $6.25 and the Children's at $3.75.

UNDERWEAR BARGAINS.

50 doz. Men's heavy grey Underwear to be 30c apiece, reduced from 39c.
50 per cent wool Underwear 39c, reduced from 50c.
Men's all-wool scarlet Underwear at 75c, half price.
Children's fine ribbed Union Suits 25c.
" heavy fleeced-lined Underwear 25c.

I. LEDERER.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

NOVELTIES IN

CHINA, FANCY GLASS, ELEGANT LAMPS, A. D. SETS, CUT GLASS.

Now is the time to buy.

JOS. W. GAVETT. W. FRONT ST.

PUTNAM & DE GRAW.

Men's Fleeced Wool Underwear.....50c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets from.....$1.00 up.
Men's heavy Wool and Buck Gloves, all prices.
Ladies' Black Satine Skirts.
Ladies' and Children's Underwear, best goods, low prices.

"Sorosis."

The new shoe for woman is today the World's Standard, approved and worn by leaders of fashion because the most elegant in design, the most beautiful in finish, the most perfect in construction as well as the most comfortable and durable shoe ever made.
Sorosis Shoes support the instep and prevent the flattening of the arch of the foot.

Price $3.50

As good as any $5 shoe made. We sell shoes at prices to suit all pocketbooks.

DOANE & EDSALL.

314 WEST FRONT STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF JAPANESE GOODS.

Entire stock to be sold at auction, without reserve, regardless of cost. This is your chance to buy Christmas presents. Do not fail to attend the sale. Reserved seats for ladies.

Sales Daily at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. This Week.

T. TAKAGI, IMPORTER.

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Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

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NEWS OF THE SUBURBS.

THINGS THAT INTEREST SCOTCH PLAINS AND DUNELLEN.

Brief and Terse Observations Gathered by Alert Press Reporters to be Perused at the Supper Table at Your Leisure

DUNELLEN.

(Special Correspondence of The Press.)

Dunellen, Nov. 30—A delegation of Foresters from Court Columbus, Elizbeth, visited Court Dunellen Monday night. Guests were present from all over, and a jolly time was spent with chat and refreshments. The Charter of the High Court of New Jersey was formally turned over to Court Dunellen as L. T. Titsworth, one of her members, is High Chief Ranger of the State.

Alfred Pearsall, of Westfield, gave an entertainment in the Presbyterian church last night entitled, "A Soldier's Story." In it Mr. Pearsall impersonated Sergeant Jack Manley. Music was furnished by Marie Budsworth, who accompanied Mr. Pearsall, A nice little sum was raised which went to the church.

The union temperance service under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., which was to have been held Sunday evening in the Methodist church, will be held some Sunday evening soon.

Do not fail to attend the free class in shorthand which meets in the town hall tomorrow night, if you want to learn shorthand.

Mrs. Thomas G. Robinson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Staats, has returned to her home in Newark.

Lou Thomas has returned to Princeton College after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with his mother, Mrs. Nancy Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rose and family, of Netherwood, will soon take up their residence in the borough.

Mrs. John Wherley has returned to her home in Somerville after a visit with relatives in the borough.

The Chichester-Craig Company expect to turn out a quantity of their new chairs December 1st.

Miss Chrisie Meggs, of Plainfield, is visiting Mrs. William E. Terry, of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Charles Carpenter, of Washington avenue, spent yesterday with friends in Newark.

Miss Julia Dodwell has been visiting her relative, Miss May Dodwell, of Newark.

Mrs J. DeGroff has returned from a visit with relatives in Rahway.

The Misses Martine are entertaining friends from out of town.

Walter Runyon was in New Brunswick Monday on business.

NEW MARKET.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

New Market, Nov. 30.—Yesterday afternoon and last evening the annual roll-call of the Baptist church was held. Among the former pastors who spoke were Rev. Mr. Smith, of Somerville, and Rev. L. V. Temple, of Flemington.

The monthly business meeting of the C. E. Society of the Seventh-day Baptist church will be held Saturday night. There will afterwards be a sociable at which a programme will be presented.

Mrs. A. D. Smalley has returned home after a week's visit with her brother in Middletown, New York.

Walter Dunn lost a horse last week through sickness.

PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.

Scotch Plains, Nov. 30—Robert Jahn has a large contract for cornice work in Bayonne.

Miss Josie Marsh, who has been spending her Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, has returned to her studies at the State Normal School at Trenton.

Miss Sadie Reger, who was snowbound in Succasunna, Morris county, was able to reach Scotch Plains again Monday evening.

The heavy snow of late has interfered with the attendance at the public school, especially among the primary pupils.

John Maguire, who has been quite ill at his home, is improving very nicely and expects to be around again in a few days.

The stock and fixtures of Turton & Company were sold at auction at Carey's auction rooms Tuesday afternoon.

The condition of Jacob V. Coles, who has been dangerously ill at his home, is reported as being improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Morey entertained Mrs. Morey's father, Mr. Stearns, of Brooklyn, Tuesday.

This is the time when those working in Plainfield and living in Scotch Plains sigh for the trolley.

Henry Keuhn has the contract for painting the Stagg house on Grand street.

Thomas Reed, of New Providence, visited friends in town Tuesday evening.

Miss Susie L. Parse visited friends in Plainfield Tuesday.

WESTFIELD.

(Special Correspondence of The Daily Press.)

Westfield, Nov. 30—It being St. Andrew's Day, the first holy day of the Christian year, there was Holy Communion in St. Paul's church this morning at which Rev. Charles Fiske preached.

The Empty Stocking Circle of the Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon, for the purpose of forming plans for the distributing of Christmas presents to the deserving poor of the town.

Miss Petrie will address the members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church at their regular monthly meeting tomorrow afternoon.

The Newark Bay bowling team came to Westfield last evening and was defeated by the Westfield Club team in two out of the three games bowled.

Bon Ami

Will not Scratch

AND WILL DO ALL THE WORK A SAND SOAP OR SCOURING SOAP IS MADE TO DO. TRY IT.

ITEMS BRIEF AND BRIGHT

GATHERED ALL ABOUT THE TOWN BY ALERT PRESS REPORTERS.

News in Short Paragraphs That are Interesting to Read During the Spare Moments of Many Busy Plainfielders.

—Next Friday evening there will be a regular meeting of the Borough Council.

—W. H. Rogers, of West Fifth street, has begun the manufacture of plated silverware.

—Tomorrow evening, at the meeting of the Reform Club, officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

—The people are with him. Who? Why you must be a stranger here. Peck, he who gives value for your money.

—Charles H. Lingying, of George Tobin's plumbing shop, has gone to his home in Metuchen, where he will engage in business.

—Liveryman Corle has begun work on his new hotel sheds on West Second street, and hopes to have them finished soon and ready for use.

—For your Friday's seafood place your order with Rogers. They are the only handlers of blue point stock this side of New York city.

—Mr. McNabb, of Netherwood, has the contract to remodel an old mill at Far Hill, and the work will probably keep him busy for some time.

—Next week Friday evening Rev. W. C. O'Donnell will deliver a patriotic address before the American Club of Monroe Avenue church.

—The Sons of Veterans will hold a fair in Washington Hall December 5th to 10th inclusive. A number of special features will be introduced.

—Mrs. L. J. Denton, of Prospect Hill, had charge of the decorations at the Coard-Franke wedding Monday evening, and they were admired greatly.

—Last evening Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, delivered his illustrated lecture in the Union church at Easton, Pa. John Neagle assisted with the lantern.

—The annual meeting of Redeemer Chapter, No. 1300, of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will be held this evening, (St. Andrew's Day), at 8 o'clock, at 143 Grove street.

—Tomorrow evening an illustrated lecture on the Cuban and Civil wars will be given in Washington Hall under the auspices of Martha Washington Council, Daughters of America.

—I. W. Travell wishes to meet the chairmen of all the Christian Endeavor social committees Saturday night at his home, 815 College place, to make arrangements for the union Christian Endeavor sociable to be given in the Crescent Avenue church Thursday evening, December 8th.

PARTICULAR MENTION

PERSONAL GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO CITY AND BOROUGH.

In Brief are Told the Daily Doings of Many Residents and Visitors Who Go and Come in a Social and Business Way.

Marshal Campbell, of the borough, is on the sick list.

Mrs. E. H Ladd, Jr., is detained at home by a slight illness.

Charles M. Wilson, of Sixth street, has recovered from a slight illness.

Mrs. D. M. Abbott, of New York, is visiting friends in Plainfield for a few days.

Miss Gertrude Tier, of Bank place, is entertaining a friend from New York.

Miss May Bennett, of Lincoln place, has resigned her position at Smith's grocery.

James Smith, of Elmwood place, has returned from a visit with Orange relatives.

Mrs. James A. Sutton, of 54 Chatham street, is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Kittie Ransom, of Fifth street, has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

William McBeth, of this city, has secured a position as machinist with a Newark firm.

Miss Dora Grant has secured a position as stenographer with Lawyer W. S. Angleman.

James Laing, of this city, after a furlough, has returned to his regiment in the south.

Fred Bimble, of this city, has returned from a pleasant visit in Newark with relatives.

Dr. George Bedford, of West Front street, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Mrs. Smalley, of East Front street, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. George Strayer, of Duer street, has returned from a visit with relatives on Staten Island.

Mrs. Warren Townley, of Grandview avenue, has been taken to the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. C. L. Taggart, who has been visiting several days at Holy Cross rectory, has returned to New York.

George Kirch and family moved from Somerset street to Fourth and Liberty streets yesterday morning.

Miss Mary Peel, of Philadelphia, is spending a few weeks with her friend, Mrs. A. P. Drew, of West Front street.

Miss Emma Stevens, of the borough, has returned to the State Normal School, after a pleasant visit at her home.

Augustus Saltzman, Sr., is very ill at the City Hotel, where he has been stopping since his return from his trip abroad.

Letter carrier Daniel Shea expects to resume his position early next month. He is now having his regular fifteen days' vacation.

Robert Radford, of West Front street, who has been seriously ill, is reported as being improved. There seems to be chances that he may recover.

Lawyer Powers and wife, of Elizabeth, were in Plainfield yesterday for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Robert Randolph, of Elmwood place.

On Monday, December 12th, Rev. Dr. Schenck, of West End Park, will entertain the Ministers' Association of this city. Rev. C. L. Goodrich will read a paper.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Mulford, widow of the late Samuel P. Mulford, to Mr. Pomeroy, of New York. The wedding took place last week at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, New York.

Miss Emily Leeds Austin, daughter of Justice of the Peace Charles E. Austin, will be married to Frank B. Kleinhans, of the borough, Wednesday evening, December 14th, at 6:30 o'clock at 28 Jackson avenue.

William Dixon, for many years one of Newark's most prominent citizens, and a brother of Mrs. T. W. Morrison, of Mountain avenue, died last Thursday of paralysis. The funeral services were held Monday at Greenwood Cemetery, and was attended by a number of friends from this city.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Park and North Aves.

STAGE ROUTE.

Plainfield and Scotch Plains.

STAGE LEAVES PLAINFIELD (E. FRONT ST., OPP. PARK AVE.)

9:30 a. m., 12:45, 4:00 and 6:00 P. M.

STAGE LEAVES SCOTCH PLAINS (FRONT POST OFFICE)

10:30 a. m., 2:00, 5:00 and 7:00 p. m.

Upon notice a special stage will be held for parties of six or more attending the theatre or other attraction.

TH. S. NEWMAN, Prop.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Butler is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. W. Hedges, of Watchung avenue.

Mr. Menzenbach, of Somerset street, is detained at home with a slight illness.

Samuel Boss, of this city, has returned from a trip through the south on business.

Albert Runyon, of Mountain avenue, is able to be out again after a short illness.

Miss May Williams, of Perth Amboy, who has been visiting Plainfield friends, has returned home.

He Couldn't Be Bought.

A bright little Senate page sat at one of the entrances the other day when a lady approached him with a visiting card in her hand and asked to have it handed to Senator Blank. The boy replied that all the cards must be taken to the east lobby. The woman was inclined to be angry, and went away muttering. Then a thought struck her, and, taking out her pocketbook, she found a quarter, and, with it in her hand, she went back to the boy. "Here, my lad," she said, in a coaxing tone, "here is a quarter to take in my card." "Madam," said the boy, without a moment's hesitation, "I am paid a larger salary than that to keep cards out."

In Germany, when the vote of the jury stands six against six, a prisoner is acquitted. A vote of seven against five leaves the decision to the Court, and in a vote of eight against four the prisoner is convicted.

How to Make a Savage Your Friend.

Mr. Rougemont, the modern Robinson Crusoe, who has lived so long among the aborigines that he learned to understand them thoroughly, pleads against the ignorant habit which white men have of shooting at black men as soon as they see them.

All that is necessary to do, if you wish to make a black man your friend is to clap the hands smartly on the back of one's trousers, at the same time putting out one's tongue. This is a universal sign, in the sign language which all the blacks understand that the stranger wishes to sit with them and to hob nob with them generally. If to these signs the stranger will only add a few steps of a lively jig, accompanying himself, if possible, upon a whistle, the severest savage will be instantly placated and will abandon his hostile attitude.

Refined Cruelty.

Willie—I think old Moneybags is the meanest man I ever knew.

Millie—What has he done?

Willie—Bought for his daughter a musical parlor clock which plays "Home, Sweet Home" at 10 o'clock, "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp" at 10.15 and "Johnny, Get Your Gun" at 10.30.

ESTATE of ELISE SALTZMAN, deceased. Pursuant to the order of GEORGE T. PARROT, Surrogate of the County of Union, made on the application of the undersigned, administrator of said deceased, notice is hereby given to the creditors of said deceased to exhibit to the subscriber under oath or affirmation their claims and demands against the estate of said deceased within nine months from the eleventh day of November, 1898, or they will be forever barred from prosecuting or recovering the same against the subscriber.

WILLIAM N. RUNYON, Administrator.

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After using ours you would rather be without any if you couldn't renew your stock of our make.

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Arrive—7:30, 8:40, 11:20 a. m., 3:00, 5, 5:30 p. m
Close—7:20, 9:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30 p.m.

SOMERVILLE and EASTON.

Arrive—8:40 a. m., 3:00 and 6:15 p. m.
Close—7:20 a. m., 12:30 and 4:30 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA—Direct.

Arrive—8:40 and 11:30 a. m., 1:00 and 3:00 p. m.
Close—7:20 and 9:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Through fast mail for West and South, close 5:00 and 7:30 p. m.

WARBENVILLE.

Arrive—12:30 p. m. Close—9:00 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Office open from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6:15 p. m.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

LOANS negotiated. Elston M. French & Co., 163 North avenue. 8 18 tf

FIRST-CLASS help and first class places at the Swedish intelligence office, 22 Somerset place. 3 23 tf

YOUNG lady wants position as stenographer and type writer. Address J. M., Plainfield Business College. 11 23 12

$1,500 Wanted on first mortgage on East Fifth St property, worth $3,000. Address Mortgage, care Press. 11 23 6

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Chas. L. Moffett, Attorney. cor Park and North Aves. 12 11 eod tf

ST. Joseph's Home, conducted by the Sisters of Mercy, 43 Manning avenue. First-class places furnished and reliable help secured for those desiring girls. Dressmaking, sewing and embroidery done at the home. Pupils for piano instructions received at any time. 11 9 tf

FOR SALE—Machinery and fixtures of Climax Stopper Co. Apply at factory, corner 4th and Washington Sts., Plainfield, N.J., or 57 Park place, New York. 11 29 3

WANTED—4 rooms, east of Park avenue, for light housekeeping; small family. Address X, care Press. 11 29 2

FOR SALE CHEAP—Two handsome bearskin robes, separately or together; also double harness. 20 Harmony street.

WAITRESS wants place; good references. Call Swedish Intelligence office. 23 Somerset place 11 29 2

FOR SALE—Coupe rockaway. Apply 1001 Central avenue. 11 8 tf

WANTED—A fresh cow. Apply to Geo. J. Barry, 30 Rockview avenue, at stable. 11-25 tf

ABOUT 12 to 15 tons of compost for sale, especially prepared for lawns and hothouse purposes. F. C. Phoebus, Clinton avenue. 10 25 tf

WANTED—Horse to board for the winter; good care guaranteed. Inquire of Smalley Bros. or Geo. Conner. 11 25 6

FOR SALE—A good, draught horse; cheap. A. H. Atterbury, 315 W. 7th St. 11 30 1-12 2 2

WANTED—Neat, competent girl for general housework. 15 Fairview avenue.

FOR SALE—Cutter, price $15. Apply stable of B. O. Bowers, Franklin place.

HALL or lodge to let, over Manning's Marble Works. 11 25 tf

GIRL wanted for general housework; references required. 917 Watchung avenue. 11 30 2

Ladies' JACKETS

We have purchased from one of the leading manufacturers his entire stock of

Ladies' Jackets and Skirts.

and will place them on sale tomorrow. This is one of the greatest opportunities of the season, coming just when they are needed most. They are all tailor made and are marked at prices that are sure to attract attention.

Fine black Boucle Jackets, strapped seams, silk lined.....$4.98
Velveteen Waists in all the new shades..$3.98
Black Boucle Jackets, fancy strapped front and back, silk lined throughout.....$8.75
Fancy Silk Waists, made of the finest silks $5.50

CONCERNING BLANKETS—We have four or five lots of Blankets to tell about; good Blankets with real wool in them, Blankets that will give years of honest wear. When you buy such Blankets you feel that you have made a good investment.

10-4 all-wool Blankets.....$2.40 pair
10-4 " California Blankets.....$3.75 pair
11-4 all-wool Blankets.....$3.98 pair
11-4 " California Blankets.....$4.50 pair

We sell for 98c. a white cotton-filled COMFORTABLE, full size. $1.25 buys a fine satine covered Comfortable, full size.

WARM WINTER UNDERWEAR—And time for it. We will make this an Underwear occasion of such importance that you can ill afford to pass it by. Good, honest, dependable lots these, 'tis a pleasure to sell them, knowing they are right in every way.

Ladies Ribbed, Fleece Lined, White and Natural Vests and Pants.....19c. each
Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Pants 5, 8, 10, 12 and.....15c. each
Ladies' Ribbed Norfold and New Brunswick Vests and Pants.....50c. each
Ladies Natural Wool Ribbed Vests..39c. each
Children's Natural Wool Vests and Pants 15, 18, 20, 22 and.....25c. each
Special—A lot of fine white and Natural Wool Vests and Pants; Manufacturers Samples value $1.00 to $1.25, strictly all wool, will go for.....79c. each

LINENS FOR THANKSGIVING—Many a thrifty woman is contemplating the purchase of a table cloth or two or a dozen napkins so that when the family gather at the annual feast they will find the table napery in spick and span shape; this store will supply your linen wants to your entire satisfaction:—

70-inch Cream Damask.....50c. yard
72-inch " " .....75c. yard
72-inch " " .....89c. yard
70-inch Bleached Damask.....50c. yard
72-inch " " .....75c. yard
72-inch " " .....98c. yard

There is an odd lot of 100 dozen napkins, importer's samples, all they need is laundering as they are slightly soiled and it hurts the price but not the goods, they go for 10, 12 and 15c. ea.

MEN'S FURNISHING DEPARTMENT—Twill pay you men to nose around in a dry goods for your Underwear, Hosiery and Shirt wants. You pay dry goods store prices, and you know what that means.

Men's fleece lined Shirts and Drawers....33c.
Men's heavy wool-not cotton Shirts and Drawers.....49c.
Men's wool Half Hose, black and natural, ...17c. pair
Men's Nightshirts, full size.....39c.
All our 25c. Suspenders.....13c.
Men's all-linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs .....13c. each

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Ladies' Castor Glove in Tan, Drab and black .....69c. pair
Ladies' Outing Flannel Wrappers.....79c
Apron Ginghams.....3½c. yard
Outing Flannels.....5c. yard
S. C. Corsets.....59c. pair
Black Cosmo Corsets.....59c. pair
Ladies' Side Elastics, with band.....10c. pair
Dark Outing Flannels.....5c. yard
Fine Seamless Hose, Tan and Black..10c. pair
Fine Torchon Laces.....7c. yard
Ladies' Fleeced Hose.....19c. pair
Fancy Skirt Lining, fine quality.....13c. yard
Brocaded Velveteens, all shades.....25c. yard
Men's Fine Kid Gloves.....59c. pair
Boys' Wool Undershirts.....19c. each
Boys' laundried Percale Shirts.....42c.
Boys' Bicycle Hose.....25c. pair
Boys' Outing Flannel Waists, plaited back and front.....25c.
Boys' Heavy Knee Pants.....25c. pair
Children's Leather and Cloth Leggings .....49c. pair
Infant's Wool Ribbed Vests.....19c. each
Turkish Wash Cloths.....5c. each
Large Boxes Paper; 60 sheets, 60 envelopes .....17c. box
French Plate, Hand Mirrors.....15c. each
Grey and White-Cotton Blankets.....39c. pair
54 in. Dress Goods; fancy.....29c yard

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NEW YORK FASHIONS.

For originality and elaborate ornamentation this season's styles far outshine the confections of former years, and the ruffles, flounces, embroideries, laces, and startling combinations of materials and colors is something wonderful to behold.

In wraps and costumes for evening wear the couturieres art is given the fullest play and brocades and satins, the filmiest chiffons and nets are employed with decided lovely if somewhat daring results. Embroideries in intricate and aresbesque designs with the narrowest of bebe ribbon on dainty gauzes is one of the novel modes of ornamentation used to enhance the beauty of the evening gown and applications of the finest lace, and velvet in the most delicate shades are extensively employed with charming effect on these toilettes whose workmanship is almost beyond description.

Fur, velvet, satin and the richest brocades are popular fabrics for the handsome opera cloak or wrap, and as the season is now at hand when entertainments and balls are in full swing, a description of a few of these exquisite garments would be very timely. In the first place the wraps designed this year follow the graceful, flowing lines employed in the outdoor capes, many of them having the short front and long shawl-like effect in back which is one of this season's innovations. The richest materials are used for linings, a satin or brocaded garment in many cases being lined throughout with fur. Never before have the materials for developing these lovely toilettes been so gorgeous, or the styles so numerous and it is safe to say that the swell dressmaker will make good use of this fact.

The Medici collar, that becoming fashion which tends to impart a chic and stylish appearance to the simplest toilette, is seen on the majority of the evening wraps, many of the ball and reception gowns also having this finish.

A magnificent opera cloak, recently imported, built of plain amethyst blue satin, has the fashionable curved effect in front, but does not dip in the back. The entire garment is bordered with a finely pleated ruche of white chiffon, headed with a band of sable, which rich fur is also employed for the small shoulder cape, made with high Medici collar, which overlaps another cape of white chiffon. A fold of amethyst velvet, caught on either side with dazzling jeweled buttons, fastens the cloak in front, and from beneath this depends stole ends of exquisite white lace. The garment is lined with cream white satin.

Bands of fur will be employed to a great extent for bordering the bottom and outlining the panels of handsome dinner and ball gowns, as well as on the wraps, and though many people object to using fur on gowns designed for the house, it certainly imparts a finish and a richness to a costume which nothing else can give. Chinchilla, ermine and sable are all employed for this purpose with charming results.

A dainty and attractive theater wrap turned out by one of our swell dressmakers for a dainty young debutante, is composed of cream white crepe de chine and embroidered satin, trimmed with fur and velvet. The cape proper, of pleated chiffon is made with scalloped edges, to which the satin flounce is attached, headed with a narrow band of fur and embroidered satin, the latter textile also forming the small yoke and high collar. Stole ends of the pleated chiffon bordered with embroidered satin, extend down the front and are finished at the end with a band of the fur and a deep ruffle of satin.

A smart blouse, made of pale blue China silk is prettily combined with guipure lace. The fronts are made of silk covered with guipure, over which are arranged the crossway tucks, sewn on in three groups of four tucks each. The right side of the front fastens across to the left side, forming three van dykes, and is edged with a pleated frill of silk. The back is plain.

The upper portion of the sleeve is tucked to form a sort of epaulette and trimmed with four crossway tucks at the wrist to correspond with the bidouse front. A high collar band and jeweled waist belt completes the toilette.

One could go on for an indefinite time describing these lovely articles of feminine finery, and suffice it to say that some of the most beautiful toilettes will be seen this winter, and the "winter girl" attired in soft draperies of filmy tissues, adorned with the most exquisite needlework, has a very fair chance of outshining her attractive rival, the "summer girl."

Useful Boxes.

The shops are filled with cretonne-covered boxes, neatly made and of several sizes, that may be put to a variety of uses. One may well go with the young freshman to college to keep his shirts fresh and unrumpled, and with his sister to her Alma Mater for the care of her shirt waists. In the sewing-room they are invaluable to hold work and pieces often needed promptly. One covered in some good dark material may stand in the family sitting-room to hold the games, a favorite toy, or other impedimenta that children want at hand. Those covered in plain denim stand in some homes behind the hearth-piece for the three or four reserve sticks of hickory needed in the open fire. Plain wood chests are preferable for this use, the denim-covered boxes being suggested only as a cheap substitute that is not objectionable.

Exasperating.

Of all sad words of tongue or pen,
The saddest are: "It might have been."
But none can cause one so much woe
As these short words, "I told you so."

VARIETY IN FASHION.

Coats and Waistcoats for Women—Machine Stitching on Skirts.

(By special arrangement with the N. Y. Sun.)

The diversity in style is perhaps more apparent in the coats and skirts than in any other branch of dress, yet there is no end of variety, whichever way you turn. Eton coats, as a part of the costume matching the skirt, are shown side by side with the long cutaway, among the French models, as equally good style. Waistcoats are the proper thing with any coat, however plain or dressy, whatever the shape may be, providing it is worn open in front. Some of the most stunning waistcoats are quite masculine in cut, fitting the figure closely, and made double breasted with the same narrow round revers of a man's vest. It is low cut like an evening vest, and in place of the stiff shirt front, there is a chemisette of lace, shirred chiffon, or sheer linen lawn, finely tucked and worn with a linen collar and narrow

necktie. The lace front with color to match, is more becoming and feminine in appearance, and a rolled collar of the silk turning over at the back adds very much to the effect. The double-breasted front forms two blunt points just below the waist, and is fastened with two rows of large fancy buttons, either two or three on each side.

Other waistcoats have draped fronts folded and crossed to one side, surplice fashion, but in either case it is the soft white chemisette that makes them so attractive.

Machine stitching is decidedly the thing for trimming all cloth gowns, whether they are light or dark in color and despite the fact that there are so many new novelties in braid and applique trimmings.

The expense in this sort of decoration is in the labor, of course, but it is enough to offset the price of some of the other garnitures. It is especially genteel when it is well applied,

however, and truly elegant for its very simplicity.

Entirely plain skirts are not in sight this season, and this simple mode of trimming is a sort of compromise between those which are overtrimmed and the plain ones which have been so much in favor. The striking effect which is needed to complete every stylish gown is produced by the use of elaborate embroidery, which forms the vest or yoke according as you have a round waist or a coat. With the vest there may be double revers of contrasting velvet and satin and an additional frill of lace, all of which serves to accentuate the elegance of the plainly stitched skirt.

OUR YOUTHS' COLUMN.

TED'S SIX DAYS.

"Monday I think is the very best day,"
Said Ted, "it's such a good time to play."

On Tuesday, too, 'twas the very same song,
So happy he'd been the whole day long.

"Of Wednesdays I wish I had a ton,
They bring a fellow such heaps of fun!"

Thursday, tho' raining the morning through,
Was pleasant he had so much to do.

Friday he made a cart for his brothers,
And somehow the day surpassed the others!

Saturday, full of errands to run,
Really equalled his Wednesday's fun.

Don't you think Ted's the wisest way—
To make the most out of every day?

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An English Hobson.

Lieutenant Hobson's deed of bravery on the Merrimac reminded an English officer of an English boy named Hobson. He lived at the time in the Isle of Wight. One day news came that the English fleet was in the offing. Young Hobson ran down a back lane to the shore, shoved off in the first rowboat he found handy, pulled for the foremost vessel, and then and there enlisted in what proved to be the admiral's own ship. Out to sea they sighted the enemy. The two fleets engaged in the channel and the admiral's ship was locked yardarm and yardarm with the leading ship of the French fleet. While the fight raged the lad Hobson asked an able seaman:—"What are we trying to do?" "Do you see the flag up there?" said the sailor, pointing to the Frenchman's masthead. "Yes," said the boy. "Well, we want to get that down," said the man. Presently the English crew raised a mighty shout of exultation and the French saw that their flag was gone. Instantly the order to board was obeyed and after a short resistance the French ship surrendered. "Who saw the French colors shot away?" Nobody could answer till a little figure was seen sliding down the shrouds with something wrapped around his arm. It was young Hobson. Unobserved he had crossed the yards from his own to the enemy's masthead, and in the heat of the action had cut the Frenchman's flag from its halyards and taken possession of it. The boy was promoted to the quarter deck and by continued gallantry he rose step by step till he became Admiral Hobson.—New York Herald.

How the Pig Fooled the Dog.

Here is a true tale of a dog and a pig. They were both passengers on the same ship, and quite warm friends. They used to eat their cold potatoes off the same plate, and but for one thing would never have had any trouble. This was the fact that the dog had a kennel and the pig had none.

Somehow the pig got it into its head that the kennel belonged to whichever could could get into it first. So every night there was a race. If the dog won he showed his teeth, and the pig had to lie on the softest plank he could find. If the pig got in first Toby could not drive him out.

One rainy afternoon the pig found it rather unpleasant slipping about on deck and made up his mind to retire early. But when he reached the kennel he found the dog snug and warm inside. "Umph!" he said, but Toby made no reply.

Suddenly an idea flashed upon him, and trudging off to where their dinner plate was lying, he carried to a part of the deck to where Toby could see it, and turning his back to the kennel, began rattling the plate and munching as though he had a feast before him.

This was too much for Toby. A good dinner, and he not there! Piggy kept on until Toby had come round in front of him and pushed his nose into the empty plate.

Then, like a shot, he turned around and was safe in the kennel before Toby knew whether there was any dinner on the plate or not.

Noblesse Oblige.

"Here, boy; let me have a 'Sun.'"

"Can't, nohow, mister."

"Why not? You've got them; I heard you a minute ago cry them loud enough to be heard at the City Hall."

"Yes, but that was down t'other block, ye know, where I hollered."

"What does that matter? Come, now, no fooling; hand me out a paper; I'm in a hurry."

"Couldn't sell you no paper in this here block, mister, cos it belongs to Limpy. He's just up to the furder end now; you'll meet him."

"And who is Limpy, pray? And why does he have this special block?"

"Cos us kids agreed to let him have it. Ye see, it's a good run on 'count of the offices all along, and the poor chap is that lame he can't git around lively like the rest of us; so we agreed that the first one caught sellin' on his beat should be lit on an' thrashed. See?"

"Yes, I do see. So you newsboys have a sort of brotherhood among yourselves?"

"Well, we're going to look out for a little cove what's lame, anyhow, you bet!"

"There comes Limpy, now; he's a fortunate boy to have such kind friends."

The gentleman bought two papers of him, and went on his way down town, wondering how many men in business would refuse to sell their wares in order to give a weak, halting brother a chance in a clear field.—True Flag.

Soldat-Strafgefangener aus der alten Heimath.

Elsaß-Lothringen.

Straßburg. Auf eigenartige Weise in ein wegen Diebstahls zur Anzeige gebrachter Soldat des hier garnisonirenden Husaren-Regiments Nr. 9 desertirt. Mit Einbruch der Nacht sattelte er sein Pferd und verließ mit ihm die Kaserne; dem Posten, an dem er vorbeiritten mußte, sagte er, er hätte einen Distanzritt zu machen. Ohne von Polizei, Gendarmeriebeamten oder Grenzwächtern gestellt zu werden, gelangte er über die Grenze, wo französische Gendarmen ihn anhielten. Der Deserteur ist ein Lothringer aus Saarburg, Namens Joseph Oswald.

Metz. Ein Italiener, der nahe an der Seille ein Zimmer bewohnte, wurde während der Nacht von Ratten angefallen; die Thiere sprangen in großen Mengen auf das Bett und bissen den Mann, der sich vor Schreck ihrer nicht zu erwehren wußte, in Gesicht, Arme und Beine. In Folge der ausgestandenen Angst wurde der Italiener von Krämpfen befallen, so daß er in ein Krankenhaus gebracht werden mußte.

Oesterreich.

Wien. Die Neue Wiener Tramway-Gesellschaft hat am Tage Allerheiligen 70,650 Personen befördert, darunter 23,439 auf den Baumgartner Friedhof.—Für das Brahms-Denkmal sind bereits nahezu 30,000 Gulden eingegangen. Die Ausschreibung einer Konkurrenz zur Gewinnung von Entwürfen für das Denkmal steht bevor.—An der philosophischen Fakultät der hiesigen Universität wurden im jetzigen Wintersemester 19 ordentliche und 35 außerordentliche, im Ganzen daher 54 Hörerinnen inskribirt. Im Vorjahre—dem ersten des Frauenstudiums—waren 3 ordentliche und 26 außerordentliche, in Summe also 29 Hörerinnen inskribirt.

Bregenz. In der Hard-Fußacher Bucht, die im Bereiche der Rhein-Korrektion liegt, wurden wiederum Funde aus der Bronzezeit gemacht, eine Lanzenspitze und ein kurzes Schwert.—Ein eiserner Dolch römischer Herkunft wurde in der Nähe der alten Heerstraße Brigantum ad Rhenum aufgefunden.—In dem vorarlbergischen Markte Dornbirn entdeckte man neben einem Skelett ein kleines Messer und einen sogenannten Langsax aus Eisen, wahrscheinlich aus der Zeit der Völkerwanderung stammend.

Budapest. Bei einer Parforcejagd im Revier des Grafen Geza Andrassy stürzte der Baron Veciey vom Pferde und wurde von dem nachfolgenden Grafen Hoyos überritten und schwer verletzt.

Graz. In Wilfersdorf wurde die Gastwirthin Marie Scharler, Mutter von zehn lebenden Kindern, von dem im Hause befindlichen 73 Jahre alten Auszügler Lorenz Winter mit einem Messer erstochen.

Innsbruck. In der Neurautherstraße entstand neulich Abends Feuer, wodurch drei Häuser eingeäschert wurden. Auch Vieh ist verbrannt. Ein Bediensteter in einem der abgebrannten Häuser hat, nachdem ihm seine Entlassung angekündigt worden war, den Brand gelegt und sich dann selbst gestellt.

Lemberg. In Opryszowce überfielen mehrere Urlauber das Ortswirthshaus, beraubten es, stahlen Geld, Bier und Schnaps, mißhandelten den Pächter und richteten großen Schaden an. Der Polizeiwachmann, welcher die Plünderer verhaften wollte, wurde durch einen Steinwurf lebensgefährlich verletzt. Später wurden die Exzedenten verhaftet.

Prag. Der Industrielle Julius Oesterreicher, Besitzer einer mechanischen Baumwoll-Weberei in Rumburg, erschoß sich, angeblich wegen der ungünstigen Geschäftsverhältnisse in der Textilbranche. Oesterreicher hinterläßt sechs Kinder.

Wiener-Neustadt. Der Gemeinderath beschloß, den Bau des vielumstrittenen neuen Schlachthauses mit einem Kostenaufwande von 558,000 Gulden zu genehmigen. Dasselbe soll längstens am 1. Mai 1900 seiner Bestimmung übergeben werden.

Schweiz.

Bern. Nachdem das Zündhölzchen-Monopol vom Schweizer Volke verworfen worden ist, hat die Bundesversammlung das Gesetz über das Verbot der Fabrikation von Phosphor-Zündhölzchen angenommen.—Vom 1. Januar bis 31. Juli d. J. benützten 164,419 Personen die Dampfschiffe des Thunersees und 107,808 Personen diejenigen des Brienzersees, total 272,227 Personen.

Zürich. Der von Rufach (Lothringen) nach Unterschlagung von 3000 Mark flüchtig gewordene Postgehilfe Kolb wurde in Bauma von einem Landjäger erkannt. Als dieser Kolb verhaften wollte, streckte ihn Kolb durch einen Revolverschuß nieder. Der Beamte ist schwer verletzt. Kolb gelang es, zu entfliehen; man nimmt an, daß auch er verwundet ist.

Luzern. Das „Fremdenblatt" in Luzern, welches bisher nur während der Sommersaison erschienen ist, erscheint nun das ganze Jahr: von Mai bis Oktober täglich, im Oktober und April zweimal wöchentlich und die übrige Zeit einmal in der Woche.—Die Aktionäre der Krienser Bahn haben fast einstimmig den Verkauf der Bahn an die Stadt Luzern um 390,000 Francs genehmigt.

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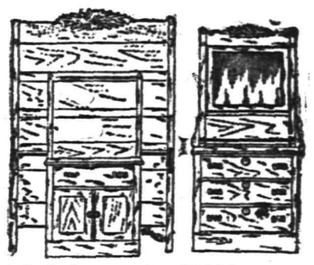

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Passengers for Newark please change car at Elizabeth.

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Leave Plainfield 7 12 a. m; 5 25 p. m.

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5 18 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

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THE CAPTAIN'S STORY

BY ALBERT DELPIT.

It was just after the scandal at our club and a little group of us were talking in a very animated way of the affair. Captain Joubert did not join in the conversation, and did not even seem to be listening to us.

"What will you take for your thoughts?" I said to him at last.

"Oh! they are not worth much. I was thinking just then of an incident which occurred once at a club in a small provincial town where I happened to be staying."

"Tell us about it!" exclaimed one of the other men, and the captain lighted a cigarette and, putting his elbow on the mantel-shelf against which he had been leaning, he began his story:

"Well, it was when I was in garrison at M——, one of the dullest and most stupid of provincial towns.

"When I was off duty I gradually got into the habit of turning in to the Union club, which, by-the-bye, was the only one the town possessed.

"There was very little play at this club, except at the time of the three annual fairs, each of which lasted a week. One autumn afternoon, just at the opening of one of these fairs, I happened to go to the club rather early.

"'They are playing high to-day,' said one of the habitues of the club to me. I turned round towards the table to watch the game, and was so surprised at the sight of one of the players that I almost exclaimed.

"It was a young man of some twenty-two or twenty-three years of age, whom I knew by sight. I was very much interested in him, for his father had fought courageously at Magenta, and had been killed on the field of battle, leaving his widow and son by no means well provided for. The young man came very rarely to the club, and I had never seen him touch a card before. I was stupefied, therefore, to see him holding the bank, and a good bank it was, too, for there were plenty of notes and gold coins heaped up in front of him.

"'How much?' called out one of the players.

"'Oh,' laughed a wealthy farmer. 'M. de Mertens is in luck's way; he can safely keep his bank open.'

"I noticed that the young man's face was deadly pale, and that there was an excited look in his eyes.

"'Open bank!' he said, and it seemed as though the very words had changed the luck.

"Ten times running Mertens lost, and in a quarter of an hour his bank was cleared out. Another man took his place, and the play went on. It got so exciting that I, too, was fascinated, and joined in. There was no room to sit down at the table, so I continued standing, holding my hat in my hand, and throwing my winnings into it. I had a run of luck, and went on playing in the most excited way, until I was startled by some one calling out:

"'You are being robbed, Captain!'

"I started, and instinctively seized a hand which had knocked against mine through my sudden movement. It was M. de Mertens' hand, and he held the forty pound note which he had just taken out of my hat. The wretched man's face was convulsed with emotion. Our eyes met; his were dilated with terror, and there was a look in them that seemed to hold me spellbound.

"'M. de Mertens is my partner,' I said, haughtily, to the man who had warned me; 'and I am surprised that you should dare to bring such an accusation against a gentleman whose reputation is so well known.'

"The individual who had called out had never been to the club before, and did not know M. de Mertens at all. We had all been standing round the table close to each other, and on seeing another player put his hand into my hat, it was very natural that the man should have thought it his duty to warn me. On hearing my explanation he apologized most humbly to M. de Mertens, and several of the acquaintances of the latter gathered round and expressed their regret that such an insult should have been offered him.

"We then continued our play, and M. de Mertens soon left the club. Three days passed, and I heard nothing more of the young man. In shielding him as I had done, my first thought had been of his father, and I had determined to save from disgrace the name of the brave soldier of Magenta.

"One evening, however, just as I was going out to pay some visits, my orderly informed me that a lady wished to see me. I went into the drawing-room, and there I found a woman of about forty-five years of age. She was very dignified-looking and there was an open, honest expression about her face which fascinated me.

"'I am Madame de Mertens,' she said, simply. 'My son told me everything about the affair at the club, and I have come to thank you with all my heart for having preserved for us intact the honor of our name.'

"'Madame——' I began, but she interrupted me in her emotion and nervousness.

"'My son had got entangled in various ways, and in desperation had taken to play. It appears he had lost every penny he possessed that night. You know the rest, alas!'

"I felt very much embarrassed, for the poor mother's grief was terrible to witness. She was still standing there in front of me, her face was deadly pale, and the tears were trembling on her long dark eyelashes.

"'He is young, madame; you must not take it to heart so,' I stammered. 'It was just a moment's weakness. I will see your son, and——'

"'No, captain,' she said, shaking her head sadly, 'he is no longer here . . . he has enlisted, and is already on his way with the regiment.'"

We had all been listening attentively to Captain Joubert's story, and when he stopped speaking there was silence for a few minutes.

"And what happened to M. de Mertens, captain?" asked one of the group. "Did you ever hear?"

"He is dead. . . . Six months ago I received a leter from Kelung—a pitiful little letter—written with very pale ink, on a sheet of paper that was all crumpled and yellow with age. There were only a few lines for me to read. I know them by heart. They were as follows:

"I am mortally wounded. . . . Admiral Coubert has just brought me the cross; but . . . I am dying. I am sending it to you, my poor cross . . . for you saved me, and I should like you to wear it . ."

"This is why, my friends, instead of wearing the decoration which I received from the chancellor, you always see me with the sergeant's cross which poor Mertens sent me. Poor boy! To think that he started as a thief, and died a hero's death at Kelung."

A STRANGE MISSION.

BY ELLA M. HESS.

"I should like to do something to help the missionaries," said Gertie White to Mr. Storm, the near-sighted, good-natured old pastor.

"Are you in earnest, Gertie?"

"Of course I am in earnest!" said Gertie, a pretty, dark-eyed lassie, with waving hair and lips red as holly berries.

"Because," said the old gentleman, thoughtfully, "I've heard of a vacancy that wants filling. But it is rather a menial position."

"Nothing is menial in the details of missionary life," said enthusiastic Gertie.

"The Reverend James Marshton is going to Brazil on a special mission to the heathen——"

"Oh, that is glorious!" cried Gertie, with kindling cheeks and eyes.

"And he wants a help."

"A help?"

"Well, my dear, to put it in plain English," said the old man, "I suppose he means a servant maid. He has written to me to know if I can recommend a meek-spirited, efficient young woman, who would not shrink from the path of duty, however thorny the path might prove."

"The very thing!" cried Gertie. "And as for servants are we not all the servants of one Master? Yes, I'll go to Brazil—that is if the Reverend Mr. Marshton will take me. Since poor mamma died and my sister Mary married, there is nothing on earth to keep me in one place more than another. But what sort of person is this Reverend James Marshton?" with a little natural curiosity.

"I don't know, my dear," said Mr. Storm. "Our communications have been carried on entirely by letter, and I shouldn't know him if I were to meet him to-morrow face to face. But I saw Mrs. Marshton once—a pretty, little, old lady, with white curls and a face like a winter apple."

"I'll go!" said Gertie, promptly. "I can sew, cook, wash and iron; and, whatever I can't do, I shall be glad and willing to learn."

"That's the right spirit, my dear!" beamed Mr. Storm.

"How soon will my services be required?"

"At once so my correspondent says."

"Then I'll go at once," said Gertie. "Please give me the address."

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James Marshton was sitting alone in his litle study, before a meagre fire, drinking a cup of poorly made tea, for the landlady didn't think it worth her while to put herself out for a lodger who was so soon going to emigrate to Brazil.

He was a tall, pleasant-faced young man with dark, pensive eyes, dark beard, and features that betoken delicacy of character and extreme refinement; and, as he sat there, he was mentally taking himself to task, in that his heart should fail at the very outset of the career he had most coveted ever since graduating from the theological institute.

"Alone!" soliloquized Mr. Marshton. "Of course I must go alone. What right have I to expect anything else? Is it for me, one of the humblest workers in my Master's vineyard, to pick and choose how, when and where I am to be employed? And——"

Just here came a soft, little flutter at the door. Mr. Marshton paused and listened.

"It's my landlady's cat," said he. "Poor thing! I'm almost sorry that I made a pet of her. She'll be lonesome when I am gone; and perhaps, on the whole, it may be better for me not to let her in."

Tap, tap, tap! Again came the hesitating, uncertain sound.

"The cat never made a noise like that before!" cried the Reverend James Marshton, much marveling.

And he rose, set down the cup of lukewarm tea, and opened the door.

There stood a pretty young woman, in a dark, well-fitting suit edged with fur, and a face like a rosebud, all blushes and sparkles.

"Does the Reverend Mr. Marshton live here?" asked Gertie White.

"That is my name," said the reverend gentleman.

"If you please, sir," said Gertie, feeling an instantaneous sensation of awe thrill down to her heart, "Mr. Alexander Storm sent me here. The young person, sir—the help."

"Oh!" said Reverend James Marshton. "Be so good as to walk in. Yes, exactly."

And Reverend James Marshton took up the tray and put it down again, in some embarrassment.

"Did he think you would suit?" said he.

"Yes, sir," said Gertie. "Here is his letter."

Reverend James Marshton unfolded the letter and read:

"Dear Brother Marshton: Allow me to introduce to you Miss Gertie White a truly worthy and industrious young female, who I think can scarcely fail to suit you in the capacity mentioned.

"Yours with many good wishes,

"ALEXANDER STORM."

Reverend James Marshton folded up the letter again, and looked helplessly at the tray before him, as if for further inspiration.

"It's a very important step that you are taking, Miss White," said he.

"Please don't be so ceremonious, Mr. Marshton," brightly interposed Gertie. "Call me by my name—Gertie. Oh, yes, of course it is important but I've fully made up my mind to it."

"You are young," said Mr. Marshton.

"I can be all the more useful," said Gertie.

"You look—excuse me," stammered the young clergyman, "but you look delicate."

"Indeed I am quite well and strong," said Gertie. "And I understand all the branches of housework, and I really think I can suit you."

"But your friends."

"I have no friends who will miss me much," said Gertie, speaking with dew in her eyes and a little quiver in her voice. "Henceforward, my mission will be all in all to me."

"I wish I could have seen a little more of you," said the Reverend James Marshton. "All this is rather sudden, you know."

"Everything is sudden—just at the last," said Gertie, cheerily. "You need have no fears, sir; I am certain I shall suit you."

He held out his hand with a bright smile.

"Well spoken, Gertie!" said he. "There is an electricity in your look and voice that encourages me in a most marvellous degree. But I desire you to think it well over before you decide."

"My decision was made the first hour that Mr. Storm mentioned your name to me," said Gertie White.

"Strange—very strange!" said Mr. Marshton, instinctively stroking his silky beard. "And you really think, Miss White—Gertie, I would say—that you will bear all the hardships and difficulties incident to the life of a missionary's wife?"

"Of a—what?" questioned Gertie, not quite certain she had heard aright.

"Of a missionary's wife," solemnly repeated Mr. Marshton.

"Of whose wife?" asked Gertie.

"Of my wife!"

Gertie rose to her feet, blushing like a rose.

"I—I never dreamed of this!" said she. "Mr. Storm told me that you wanted a help."

"A helpmeet," gravely explained the young clergyman.

"But Mrs. James Marshton?"

"Eh?" said Mr. Marshton.

"A little old lady with silver curls, and a fresh complexion," faltered Gertie. "Mr. Storm said he had seen her."

"That was my mother," said the missionary-elect. "She died a year since. Had she been with me still, I should have needed no one to hold up my weary hands or cheer my solitary hours."

Gertie put both hands over her scarlet face.

"Oh! how could Mr. Storm make such a blunder?" she cried.

"I'm afraid it was partly my own fault," said the young man. "My handwriting is apt to be illegible at times. I—I am very sorry, Miss White."

"What must you think of me?" faltered the girl.

"I think you are a sweet looking young woman," said the missionary, gaining courage, "and you seem very much in earnest. I don't see why you can't be my helpmeet in good earnest. It is true we have not known each other long; but we have each Mr. Storm's kind recommendation, and if I am not postitively disagreeable to you——"

"Oh, I don't dislike you at all!" interrupted Gertie, laughing in spite of herself, at the comicality of the situation.

"Then," said the Reverend James Marshton, "we will send for a college-mate of mine, whose parish residence is in the next street, and we'll be married at once."

Gertie White hesitated.

"But will that be helping the missionaries?" said she.

"It will be helping one particular missionary very much indeed," said the Reverend James Marshton.

"Well—perhaps—if it won't seem so very strange," said Gertie.

"Is it yes?" pressed the young clergyman.

"I—suppose—so," said Gertie.

And when the ship Monitor sailed for its future destination, containing in her list of passengers the names of "The Reverend James Marshton and wife," few who read the register knew how it had all happened.

But the Reverend James Marshton was very happy, and so was his wife.

Highly Sensitive.

"I'm going to report that post office clerk," indignantly exclaimed the young woman with ink on her fingers.

"He always seemed very polite," said her companion.

"Well, he isn't. What business has he to try to criticise my writing? When I went to mail a lot of poems he asked if they weren't second-class matter."

IN THE PHILIPINES.

SPAIN'S EXTORTIONS AND CRUELTIES DESCRIBED BY A SPANIARD.

Sources of Weyler's Fortune—The Tax Burdened Natives—Blanco's Punishment of a Wholesale Murderer—Tragedy of Dr. Rizal—Duck's Eggs Hatched by Natives.

Dr. Pinto de Guimares, a Spaniard and a resident of Manila, prints in the Revue des Revues of Paris an article on "The Spanish Reign of Terror in the Philippines." In it he says:

"No stranger can form any idea of vexations, formalities and regulations so ruinous to private and public interests as those which the Spanish officials have invented and put in force in the Philippines. These gentlemen have but one object in life, to make as large a fortune as possible during their terms of three or six years in the archipelago and then return to Spain to escape the curses of the unhappy natives. The notorious Gen. Weyler was Governor-General of the Philippines for three years and was a shining model of well-regulated economy. His annual pay was $40,000. Out of this custom compelled him to disburse large sums for his personal expenses and to subscribe generously to various public works and charities. Notwithstanding all these demands upon his purse this prudent General contrived to economize and deposited in bank at London and Paris, an amount which his own compatriots estimated at from $2,500,000 to $3,000,000. The conduct of his successor, Despajol, gives a clue to the mystery of the General's economies. On the day of the arrival of the new Governor-General at Manila one of the richest Chinese merchants of the city offered him a present of $10,000 as a tribute of respect and esteem and was struck in the face for his pains.

"The officers composing the central Government at Manila are many and well paid. The islands are divided into military, civil and mixed provincial Governments. Each is composed of a Governor and a numerous staff, all paid from the revenues of their Governorships. This system gives ample opportunity for fiscal malversion and oppression which fall upon the unhappy natives. Under Spanish law every inhabitant of the colony is compelled to carry a personal card which answers the purpose of a passport. No one can travel without one. Its cost varies from $2.50 to $25 and it must be renewed annually. Those who pay less than $3.50 are compelled to give their personal labor to the Government for fifteen days or pay an additional tax of $7.50. As the daily wages of workers ranges from 5 to 50 cents, the severity with which this tax weighs upon the masses can be imagined.

"Throughout all of the islands the taxes are uniform and innumerable. Every native who keeps and fattens an animal for food is taxed; if he has a horse or some cocoanut trees he is taxed for each. If he wishes to make cocoanut oil he is again taxed for the privilege. There are taxes on weights and measures, on stores and shops; a tax on land, on all kinds of manufactures and on alcoholic spirits. Native tax collectors are made responsible for the collection of the total taxes in their districts. At Siquijor forty-four of these native functionaries were exiled to Bohol after their houses, land and cattle had been confiscated, because they had not been able to make good the arrears due by their fellow countrymen. This is the price which the natives of the Philippines pay for their Government on Christian principles.

"And yet, owing to the marvelous fertility of their soil, the oppressed, tortured, ruined islanders manage to exist. A primitive system of cultivation has produced, in one year, eight millions of dollars worth of hemp, six of sugar and four of tobacco! Gold, iron, copper and coal are found on the islands.

"Such was the state of the colony when, as suddenly as a flash of lightning, the insurrection of 1896 came. It was the result of speeches made by Spanish officers at an army reunion and banquet, who then and there proposed to 'exterminate the savage natives in their lairs,' and declared 'that they would give no quarter, but slaughter these rascals to the last man.' At first the insurgents were checked by want of arms and supplies, but the first detachment of Spanish troops which opposed them were so few and behaved in so cowardly a fashion that they were easily cut to pieces, and the rebels secured several hundred rifles and thousands of cartridges.

"The memory of the Death Hole of Manila will never be effaced while the present generation of natives and their children live. The Death Hole was a noisome dungeon, built in the foundations of the city rampart, on the River Pasig side of Manila. This prison had been unused for more than 100 years. It was half full of foul water, the home of rats, snakes and all kinds of vermin. One hundred natives were shut in it. During the night they were heard shrieking and begging to be knocked on the head or be taken out. The Spanish Lieutenant in charge, annoyed by their groans and complaints, stopped up the only opening by which fresh air could reach them. All were found dead in the morning. Gen. Blanco was then Governor-General of the Philippines. When he heard of this atrocity he summoned the butcher Lieutenant before him, and, after upbraiding him for his cruelty, kicked him downstairs! The General knew that if he had court-martialed this officer the latter would have been acquitted.—New York Sun.

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Twentieth Day of December

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Fourth Tuesday of November

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Made Necessary to Determine Payment of Accident Insurance — His Death was Due to Concussion of the Brain.

Last evening at the undertaking establishment of A. M. Runyon & Son, of Park avenue, an autopsy was performed on the body of Robert Randolph, of Elmwood place, who died so suddenly last Saturday night. The autopsy was performed at the instigation of the insurance company that was carrying an accident insurance for Mr. Randolph. There seemed to be some doubt as to whether Mr. Randolph's death was due to an accident or natural causes, hence the examination. Dr. Tomlinson was in charge of the autopsy, and he was assisted by Dr. E. W. Hedges. A thorough examination was made, and the physicians decided that death was due to concussion of the brain, thereby making the death an accidental one.

In examining the body no dislocation of any kind was discovered and every organ was apparently in a healthy condition. The heart was found to be all right. According to the opinion of the physicians the cause of death is veiled in mystery. There was no external evidence of bruise or injury, but so far as the physicians are able to determine, death was caused by concussion of the brain, a disarrangement at the nerve centre.

The funeral services of the late Robert Randolph were held from the home, on Elmwood place, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The attendance of friends and neighbors was very large and was strong evidence of the esteem in which the departed was held by all. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor of the First Baptist church, where the deceased attended, conducted the service. He spoke words of comfort and consolation, and his remarks were strongly addressed to the living. He spoke of the domesticity of the deceased and how he loved his home.

The floral display was beautiful and included a large pillow from the employes at the Pond Machine Tool Works, where Mr. Randolph was employed. It bore the words "Our Comrade."

Those who served as pall bearers were James Smith, Daniel Page, Mr Conklin, M. C. Dobbins. The remains were removed to the rooms of A. M. Runyon & Son, on Park avenue, where they were held for burial today.

BICYCLE THIEF CONVICTED.

Wm. Grey, Colored, Found Guilty of Stealing Frank Dencklau's Wheel.

(Special to the Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, November 30th—William Grey, the colored man who was charged with stealing the wheel belonging to Frank Dencklau, was tried in the Union County Court here this morning and found guilty. He will be sentenced by Judge Vail next week.

Grey's defence was rather weak. He claimed that he purchased the wheel from a man named Green residing in Rahway. Prosecutor English was able to trip him up in the cross questioning several times.

It will be remembered that Dencklau lent his wheel to a friend one Saturday afternoon and that evening the friend returned it and left it standing in front of Hall's pharmacy where Dencklau was employed. There was no clue to the thief.

A week or so later Grey was arrested in New Brunswick after a lively chase. He had a wheel and acted in such a suspicious manner that a policeman there questioned him.

He broke away from the officer in front of the station house, but was tripped up by a passerby and captured. He first said that he bought the wheel in Metuchen.

It is believed that he will be sentenced to the State Prison for a year.

He Won't Find White Now.

Marshal Wise arrested Harry Decker in the borough last evening Decker is about 35 years of age and was acting suspiciously in several places. When asked what he was doing he gave the officer some sauce and impudence. He finally said that he was looking for a man named White, who he said, resides in the borough. White could not be found and Decker was locked up. He said that he had no home and was traveling about the country. Recorder Long gave him five days, and he is now serving his sentence.

Death of an Aged Fireman.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Elizabeth, November 30th—Charles Randolph, one of the oldest members of the Elizabeth Fire Department, died Monday night in the Elizabeth General Hospital. Mr. Randolph was 74 years old and joined the department in 1845. He is survived by two daughters and a son.

Luncheon for Clergyman.

Next Tuesday Rev. Dr. Rodman, of East Seventh street, will entertain about twelve of the local clergy at his home. Luncheon will be served and an informal discussion of a religious topic will be discussed.

SPORTING.

CYCLING COMMENT.

The sensational event of the winter athletic season will be the great six-day bicycle race at Madison Square Garden commencing at five minutes past midnight next Sunday Dec. 4th, and preceded by a Sacred Concert commencing at 9 p. m. Crack riders, famous for speed and endurance, come from all over the world to compete for the valuable cash prizes offered. C. W. Miller of Chicago, the present world's champion will defend his title and unequaled record, while against him will be pitted 25 picked American riders and a great number of famous foreign champions, including Teddy Hale, of Ireland, winner in '96 and second in last year's race; Fredericks, of Switzerland; Joueux, Stephane and Monarchon, of France; Nawn and Pilkington, of Ireland; Fred Schinneer and Fred Foster, of Germany; Aaronson and Julius, of Sweden, and the Antipodean wonder Cistoc, who has journeyed all the way from Australia to engage in what will prove the greatest long-distance competition ever known in the history of cycling. As a prelude to the six-day contest there will be an opening carnival next Saturday evening, December 3d, when the big feature will be a one-hour race between Edourd Taylore, hour champion of France, and Harry Elkes, hour champion of America, paced by 40 riders. There will also be numerous short distance events participated in by the champion.

BASKET BALL.

A basket ball game is being arranged between the teams of girls from the Junior and Fourth Classes of the Plainfield High School.

The contest for the championship banner in the Plainfield Y. M. C. A. will be continued Friday evening with a match between teams B and C. B has now defeated A, and will attempt the same process on their other rivals.

The next regular basket ball game at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will be played Monday evening between the teams from Plainfield and New Brunswick. The New Brunswick boys haven't done anything particular as yet to make themselves famous, but they are counting on a victory over Plainfield to enhance their reputation.

WHIST

Next week Wednesday evening in this city the New Jersey Athletic Club whist team will play a match game with the Park Club team.

GOLF.

Tomorrow evening the officers of the Park Golf Club will meet and officially announce the links closed for the season.

BISHOP LAID THE STONE.

Notable Ministers Take Part in the Exercises at Drew Seminary.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Madison, Nov. 30.—The exercises of the laying of the corner-stone of the new chapel and administration building of Drew Theological Seminary took place yesterday at 11 o'clock in Christ Methodist Episcopal church. Dr. H. A. Buttz, president of the seminary, being ill, Rev. Dr. S. E. Upham presided.

The opening prayer was made by Rev. Dr J. M. Buckley, editor of The Christian Advocate. Upon the platform with him was Bishop Andrews and Rev. Dr. Milburn, of Washington, D. C., chaplain of the United States Senate.

After the services in the church the congregation went to the campus, where the corner-stone was laid by Bishop Andrews and addresses were made by Drs. Milburn, Buckley and Upham.

New Fire Department Orders.

Chief Doane, of the fire department, has issued new orders regarding the responses of the different fire companies to the first alarms from the various boxes. They will hold good until further orders. They state that No. 2 Hose and Alert Hose Companies shall respond to all alarms. No. 1 Truck and the Chemical Engine will respond to first alarms from boxes 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 25, 26, 32, 34, 35, 41, 46, 85 2 2, followed by the number of the box, will be a special call for the steamer.

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JOTTINGS OF THE DAY

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Newsy Notes of More or Less Importance Bunched Together for the Ready Reference of Press Readers

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps held a meeting last night and went through their usual practice.

—Today the Ladies' Aid Society of Warren chapel are holding an all day sewing meeting at the chapel. Lunch was served at noon.

—The Christian and Missionary Alliance meet in the rooms of the W. C. T. U. tomorrow at 9 a. m. for prayer; at 7:45 p. m. for Gospel service.

—The monthly business meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist Christian Endeavor Society, will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. D. M. Runyon, of Arlington avenue.

—Tomorrow evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M. E. church an excellent entertainment will be given. It will be a repetition of the entertainment given last week.

SPANISH CABINET MEETING.

Instructions to Peace Commission Agreed on—Carlist and Phillippine Problems.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Madrid, November 30.—The Cabinet Council sat until a late hour last evening. The Ministers agreed upon the form of instructions to be forwarded to the Paris Peace Commission relating to secondary matters connected with the treaty of peace.

The Cabinet also discussed the movements of the Carlists and the question of the repatriation of the Spanish troops from the Phillippines.

The matter of the suspension of the constitutional guarantee was also discussed, but it was decided not to make any change in this respect for the present.

GATE CITY SAFE.

Sighted Off Moutauk Point By the Chattahoochee Monday Afternoon.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Boston, November 30.—The Savannah Line officials this morning state that the Gate City, which had been reported wrecked off Cape Cod Saturday night, was sighted by the Chattahoochee off Montauk Point Monday afternoon.

SENTENCE OF DEATH AFFIRMED.

Court of Errors Decides That Reid Must Hang for the Murder of Henry.

(Special to The Daily Press.)

Trenton, Nov. 30—The Court of Errors and Appeals yesterday unanimously affirmed the judgement of the Hudson Oyer and Terminer, which sentenced William Reid to be hanged for the murder of Andrew Henry. The crime was committed May 14th last in front of the saloon of John Waltman, in Hoboken. Reid was convicted of murder in the first degree July 20th, and was sentenced to be hanged September 15th.

Street Car Jumped the Track.

Car No. 14, of the Plainfield Street Railway Company jumped the track on the Somerset street bridge near French's mill, this forenoon and travel was delayed for some time. This is not a new trick of the cars. Several times before cars have jumped at that point, but fortunately no damage has resulted.

Plants in Mexico.

Down in Mexico the castor bean, which we think does pretty well for us if it stands up ten or twelve feet "in its stockings," grows to be a tree thirty feet high, with hard wood and orthodox bark. Our common field daisy is pruned into a shrub two or three feet high and made to cover itself with a wealth of its yellow-eyed flowers; its stem becomes as large as one's wrist, and it is much used as an ornamental shrub in cemeteries. Hibiscus, a rare greenhouse shrub with us, which has large, flame-colored flowers, with curious plume-like centres, is planted for hedges, and is said to make very beautiful ones. The foliage is a lovely green, and the freedom with which it produces its flowers makes it very attractive.

Thad Stevens and the Judge.

Thad Stevens was once engaged in trying a case before a Judge noted for his ignorance of the law. During the trial the Judge made a ruling which greatly incensed him, when, with hands trembling and his thin face reddened, he began to tie up his papers. "Do I understand," asked the pompous Judge, "that you are trying to show contempt for this court?" No, sir," retorted Stevens; "I am not trying to show contempt for this court. On the contrary, I'm doing my best to conceal it."—Time and Hour

Northwestern Philosophy.

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Notice as to Registration.

The County Board of Elections for this County will be in session at their room at the Court House in Elizabeth on Thursday, Dec. 1 and on Saturday, Dec. 3, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. to place on the Registry in the City of Plainfield any voters not now registered who are qualified to vote, provided they appear in person before said County Board for the City Election to take place in said City Tuesday, Dec. 6th next.

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Men's driving ulsters, black or brown, at $2.75, worth $7. A genuine Montagnac, extra heavy, as fine as split silk, ulster good for Sunday wear, worth $25, at $8.90. Boys' ulsters at $2.50, worth double. Children's ulsters from $1.50 up. Children's reefers from 75c. up Boys' 3 piece suits in black or blue at $2.75, ages from 11 to 16 years, worth $6.50.

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